

7 Things to know about The Speech & Stuttering Institute

1. We are a “Centre for Training and Development”

- The Ontario Ministry of Children & Youth Services has given the prestigious designation to The Speech & Stuttering Institute as a “**Centre for Training and Development**”. This designation means that the Government is relying on our Institute to help create speech and stuttering treatment pathway guidelines across the Province of Ontario.

2. We provide exemplary clinical therapy programs for children, teens and adults (fee for service)

- We provide programs for preschool and school aged children with speech sound production disorders
- We provide treatment programs for preschool, school aged and adults who stutter
- We have a speech therapy program for school aged children on the autism spectrum who demonstrate intentional communication
- Our programs run on the weekdays, weekends and evenings
- We promote long term maintenance of fluency skills through a yearlong follow up program

3. We conduct state of the art research

- The Speech & Stuttering Institute conducts research to evaluate effective treatment procedures

4. We train other professionals

- We run Ministry sponsored training seminars in fluency and motor speech disorders for clinicians across Ontario

5. We are a not-for-profit organization

- The Speech & Stuttering Institute is very grateful to our private donors, foundations and corporations for their philanthropic support which helps us sustain our level of expertise and excellence in the field.
- Donations allow us to provide subsidies for families who demonstrate a need for financial assistance.

6. We promote public awareness

- We have a variety of events and mediums to promote public awareness of communication disorders

7. We transform lives!

- By engaging in all of these activities The Speech & Stuttering Institute is transforming the lives of people with communication challenges.