

27th November 2010, Saturday

9.00-5.00 p.m.

Event Location :
The LEGEND Hotel
100 Jalan Putra
Kuala Lumpur, MALAYSIA



Well known for her www.speech-language-therapy.com web site Dr Caroline Bowen serves as an Honorary Research Associate in Linguistics at Macquarie University, Sydney, Australia.

She practices as a Speech-Language Pathologist in the world heritage listed *Blue Mountains National Park* in New South Wales, where she freely admits to being distracted at times by the beauty of her surroundings. In an uninterrupted career spanning 4 decades, her workload has become a delectable blend of hands-on clinical practice, research, teaching and writing – punctuated by bushwalking and gardening. She is fascinated by child speech, family centred practice, clinical applications of information and communication technology, and continuing professional education. Caroline has presented numerous workshops in Australia and around the world. She is the author of three books on child speech, including *Children's Speech Sound Disorders*, published in 2009 by Wiley-Blackwell.

SUPPORTING CHILDREN with SPEECH SOUND DISORDERS :

A study day for parents, teachers and medical professionals

By

Caroline Bowen PhD, CPSP, ASHA Fellow
Speech-Language Pathologist

This study day is specially devised for parents, teachers and teachers' aides, school principals, educational psychologists and medical professionals. Dr Bowen provides an overview of the nature, implications and management of speech sound disorders in **preschoolers** and **young school-aged children**. The emphasis is on typically developing children, those at risk for literacy difficulties, and those who need help with their speech. Practical strategies are shared in the areas of identification and screening, communicating with families, providing appropriate support to students with Speech Sound Disorders and related problems, and working consultatively with speech-language professionals.



In a day packed with practical resources for those working with children with speech sound disorders (SSDs), Caroline Bowen will explain the different types of SSDs and how they interact with other communication disorders and literacy acquisition. The SSDs covered will include:

- o Articulation Disorders
- o Phonological Disorders, including Inconsistent Deviant Speech Disorder
- o Childhood Apraxia of Speech ("verbal dyspraxia")
- o SSDs associated with Syndromes, Conditions and Structural Anomalies
- o The Dysarthrias

The practical resources provided will incorporate:

- o Screening measures
- o Modelling, Recasting, facilitating the use of Revisions and Repairs, Successive Approximations, Metalinguistic Techniques and PACT, Auditory Input Therapy/ Thematic Play, and encouraging Literacy Development in children with SSDs.
- o Web resources

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Learner's objectives

- Learners will gain an overview of the nature, classification and implications of children's speech sound disorders (SSDs), including the relationships between SSDs, language development, literacy acquisition and the roles of the child, the family, teachers and speech-language pathologists in the assessment and therapy process.
- Learners will distinguish various types of SSD, including articulation disorders, phonological disorder, childhood apraxia of speech, speech disorders associated with syndromes and conditions, structurally-based speech sound disorders, and the dysarthrias and see how they interact with developmental and environmental factors.
- Learners will explore evidence-based, theoretically sound, and easily implemented intervention and homework strategies, to be used with children with SSDs.
- Learners will develop competence in using a screening procedure for SSDs in young school-aged children, and explore familiar concerns and issues around making speech pathology referrals and recommendations.
- Learners will know how to access to a range of web based resources, available indefinitely, updated periodically, and linked from <http://www.speech-language-therapy.com/0cpd.htm>

Workshop Registration

Registration fee RM 600 per person

Kindly note that each participant will be required to complete a registration form to ensure certificates and material are prepared efficiently. Confirmation of seat is upon payment of fees only. Fees include meals and material.

Name (Dr/ Mr/ Mrs .) (in block letters please)	
Contact number (Off/Home)	
Contact number (Mobile)	
E-mail address	
Complete mailing address	
Designation (please circle	Parent / Teacher / Medical Professional / Student / Other

Enclosed herewith is my workshop fees amounting : RM_____ made payable to **PEOPLE FACTOR ASIA** by Cheque no _____/money order _____/ bank draft _____/ bank transfer dated _____ to Hong Leong Bank account number 05600303793 (kindly send receipt).

All forms can be faxed to 03-6250 8910 or mailed directly with payment to the SpeechHelp Clinic, 20 Jalan Bukit 11/2, 46200 Petaling Jaya, Selangor, Malaysia.

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