



DEPAUL UNIVERSITY

SPEECH AND LANGUAGE CLINIC

Frequently Asked Questions

1. Are you accepting insurance? How much are sessions?

A. We don't accept any insurance and our services are free! This is a donation-based clinic, and our mission is to provide speech therapy services free of charge for individuals with communication disorders. Our clients are more than welcome to donate to support us with our mission!

2. I would like to give a donation. Are you a non-profit?

A. Correct! Our clinic is part of DePaul University, a large private, 501 © 3 not-profit university in Chicago. Therefore, all donations are tax deductible.

3. I don't need services, but I would like to help. What can I do?

A. We depend on donations to help us to continue to provide these services and reduce the service delivery disparity for underserved populations. A donation of any amount helps, and all donations are tax deductible. Your donation will be a gift to provide for an individual with a communication disorder.

Here are just some of the ways in which we will use your generous donation:

- \$25 will purchase a packet of test protocols for the clinic
- \$50 will provide therapy materials for a social skills group for children with autism.
- \$100 will provide two therapy sessions for an individual with a voice disorder.
- \$250 will provide a 2-hour comprehensive speech and language evaluation for a preschool child with delayed communication.
- \$500 will provide 10 weekly therapy sessions for an individual who stutters.
- \$1000 will provide bi-weekly therapy sessions for an entire quarter for an individual with aphasia (language disorder characterized by difficulty speaking, understanding, reading, and writing) because of a stroke.
- \$4000 will provide bi-weekly therapy sessions for an entire year for an adolescent with a language and reading disorder.

Visit us at go.depaul.edu/slplclinic to learn more.

4. Where are you located?

A. Our clinic is in the heart of Lincoln Park neighborhood, located at the DePaul University campus. We are open to serve all residents of Chicago and its

neighborhood suburbs! Call us today to learn more about our clinic or visit us: go.depaul.edu/slpclinic.

5. What kind of groups do you currently have?

A. As of right now, we are developing groups that fit well with our clients' needs.

6. What age groups do you accept in your clinic?

A. We welcome all individuals of ages ranging from young children through adults with a variety of communication and swallowing disorders.

7. Is it open? Are you doing sessions?

A. We are open and accepting all new clients for screenings and evaluations. Starting in January 2022, our clients will start speech therapy sessions. So don't wait and call today to take the initial steps!

8. How many sessions per week does each client take?

A. Here at DePaul's speech-language therapy clinic, we focus in creating individualized treatment plans for each client based on their needs and schedule. We can offer therapy services weekly or bi-weekly!

9. How do I sign up?

A. Call us at 773-325-7040 or send an email to slpclinic@depaul.edu. We will send the link to our online patient form for new clients. Once you submit the form, one of our speech therapy faculty will reach out to you to answer further questions and set up an appointment.