Is your child with autism having trouble talking?

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Social Communication Intervention for Children With Autism Who Have Delayed Language

Your child may be eligible to participate if he/she:
• Has a diagnosis of an autism spectrum disorder
• Is between 4 ½ and 8 ½ years old
• Has shown limited progress in spontaneous expressive language
• Has had at least 1 year of intervention

Participants will receive:
• Assessments of language and cognitive skills at no cost to you
• Evidence-based communication intervention at the child’s school at no cost to you

What we will ask you to do
• Come to Vanderbilt Kennedy Center for assessments six times throughout the intervention
• Fill out forms telling us about your child’s development
• Children will participate in daily sessions for 4 months at their school
• Total time commitment is about 9 months

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