Social Communication Intervention for Children With Down Syndrome

Your child may be eligible to participate if he/she:
• Has a diagnosis of Down syndrome
• Is between 30 and 54 months of age
• Has fewer than 50 spontaneous words and signs

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

What we will ask you to do
• Come to Vanderbilt Kennedy Center for assessments before intervention and monthly throughout the intervention
• Fill out forms telling us about your child’s development
• Bring your child to Vanderbilt (or your child may be seen at school) for intervention twice per week
• Participate in learning and practicing intervention strategies with your child at home twice per week
• Participate in follow-up assessments 3 months and 6 months after completing the 48-session intervention

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Could your child with Down syndrome benefit from additional language intervention?

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