



John Tracy Clinic

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FREE PROGRAMS & SERVICES

AUDIOLOGICAL EXAMINATIONS

Parents who suspect a hearing loss in their baby or young child can contact the Clinic at (213) 748-5481 to schedule a free hearing evaluation in Los Angeles or Long Beach.

BABY SOUND CHECK®

A model program to build capacity in community healthcare clinics to screen and monitor the hearing health of infants and toddlers in underserved areas.

PARENT EDUCATION AND SUPPORT

Parents participate in bimonthly evening classes that are open to any parent of a child with a hearing loss. Included in this program are parent support groups and classes covering child development and communication skills. Interpreters are available.

PARENT/INFANT PROGRAM

During weekly sessions, in a homelike setting, a teacher guides parents in learning how to use daily opportunities to encourage language development in deaf and hard-of-hearing children. Parents are assisted in investigating their communications options.

PRESCHOOL & SPEECH/LANGUAGE SERVICES

Parents and deaf and hard-of-hearing children (ages 2-5) experience a preschool program that focuses on the child's language, auditory, speech, social and cognitive development.

CONSULTATION SERVICES

Support groups and individual counseling are offered to parents enrolled in Clinic services. The staff is also available to evaluate the developmental progress of each child.

FRIDAY FAMILY SCHOOL

Parents with their babies and toddlers who have hearing loss are offered the opportunity to share a playgroup experience. Parents join in group meetings and in classes on development and communication skills.

SUMMER SESSION

Three-week programs for families living outside the Los Angeles area include a preschool for deaf and hard-of-hearing children, a sibling program, and parent classes and support groups.

CORRESPONDENCE COURSES FOR PARENTS

Designed to help parents teach their deaf and hard-of-hearing children to communicate, these distance education courses include lessons on language development, auditory skills and speech, as well as information on child development. Families receive individualized responses to all inquiries and reports. The Clinic's courses are available online and by mail in English and Spanish.

TOLL-FREE LINE

1-800-522-4582 Voice/TTY

An 800 telephone service provides information to families nationally and internationally who are enrolled in the Clinic's Correspondence Courses for Parents. Prospective parents, professionals and others may also call with questions about Clinic services or hearing loss.



"John Tracy Clinic made all the difference in the world. Your staff gave all of us such hope, compassion and caring."

— R.G., California

OTHER PROGRAMS AND RESOURCES

TEACHER EDUCATION

John Tracy Clinic has over 65 years of experience in teacher and professional education. A graduate program leading to an accredited Master's Degree and California Credential in Auditory-Oral, Early Childhood Deaf Education is offered in collaboration with the University of San Diego. Two program options are available: 1) a one-year, onsite option designed for pre-service teachers, and 2) a two-year, online distance education option for working professionals. Contact the Clinic for more information or visit www.jtc.org.

SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS

Professionals may apply to participate in Clinic-sponsored seminars and workshops held throughout the year. Contact the Clinic for details.

Learn more about John Tracy Clinic at www.jtc.org

Our mission: to provide – worldwide and without charge – parent-centered services to young children with a hearing loss and to offer families hope, guidance and encouragement.



Hope, Guidance and Encouragement