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Welcome Letter

Congratulations! You've made a strong decision for the development of your child's communication! We are honored that you chose us to be an integral part of your team. We offer our services in your home because communication develops best in a child's most *comfortable* and *natural* environment. Please do not plan to have your child 'ready' for therapy each visit – our sessions will take place during your normal routines. This means we may conduct sessions outside or in the community. Your clinician may bring a few small things to engage your child, but the majority of the materials used will be those already in your home! Your child's language will not be perfected in the short period that we have together. My job is to train *you* to be your child's therapist the remainder of the week. So, you are an *integral* part of your child's therapy and are expected to observe, participate, and often 'take-over' when a strategy has been found effective with your child. We know that it is not a parent's dream for their child to require speech therapy - but rest assured that we have your family's best interest in mind and you are in good hands!

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A step-by-step guide to speech therapy

		If using Insurance:
1. Complete and return:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Patient Information • Consent for Release • Privacy Policy 	Front and Back of Insurance Card
2. Collect relevant paperwork:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • IFSP or IEP • Recent evaluation or treatment notes 	Prescription for therapy
3. Clinician's First Visit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collect Forms/Chart Review • Client/Team Interview • Evaluation (unless completed recently) 	Discuss Eligibility & Benefits
4. Report completion – will be e-mailed to you (may take up to 10 business days)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Evaluation is faxed to your PCP • Your PCP return faxes the signed report • We submit a request for authorization • Your insurance company returns their decision
5. Phone conversation to discuss results and recommendations.		

Therapy Begins!