What is Speech Pathology?
Speech Pathologists are qualified professionals who are trained to assess and treat people of all ages who have a communication or swallowing disorder.

Speech Pathologists can help with:

- Speech (saying the correct speech sounds)
- Language (talking, understanding, reading, writing)
- Cognition (thinking)
- Voice (following assessment by an Ear, Nose & Throat Specialist)
- Swallowing (including difficulty chewing, coughing when eating or drinking, feeling food stuck in the throat)

If you have any questions, talk to the team

What services does Speech Pathology provide?
Speech Pathology services are provided through centre and community based settings to adults 18 years and over who have a communication or swallowing disorder.

Find out how you can access this service on the next page
How can I access the service?

Referrals can be made by yourself, your doctor or health care professional by contacting Caulfield Access.

If you are 65 or over the referral needs to be made via My Aged Care. You can contact them by phone on 1800 200 422 or myagedcare.gov.au

If you have any questions, call the team

Do fees apply?

At CCHS, fees apply to our services. Fees are set in line with government guidelines and are based on your income. When you call us, fees will be explained and discussed with you. If you are concerned about fee affordability, please let us know.

Further Information

Caulfield Community Health Service
alfredhealth.org.au/services/caulfield-community-health-service

Alfred Health
alfredhealth.org.au

If you would like to provide feedback or request a copy of this information in a different format, contact us at patient.inform@alfred.org.au