RESIDUAL ARTICULATION ERRORS: LATERAL LISPS & R ERRORS

3.0 HOURS

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COURSE ABSTRACT

Many SLPs find correcting lateral lisps and residual /r/ errors among children to be extremely challenging. SLPs frequently have older children with these residual articulation errors and distortions on their caseloads, which can be even more difficult to remediate. This presentation will focus on particular elicitation strategies that can be effective for older children who have such habituated and motorically-based errors and distortions, such as phonetic shaping and cognitive reframing. Practical therapy tips, video demonstrations, and target selection recommendations will be outlined that can help children move from isolation level to spontaneous speech.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Identify at least 3 new elicitation techniques for residual /ɹ/ and lateralization errors
- Describe how cognitive reframing and phonetic shaping can benefit children with habituated errors
- Discuss how principles of motor learning may be incorporated into therapy to promote generalization

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