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## Haringey Early Years (EY) Speech, Language and Communication needs pathway for children under 5 years old

Health Visitors  
 Child minders  
 Early Years settings

Concerned about child's communication?

EYs Settings or Health Visiting Team Completes the LEEP Communication screening tool

Stammering / severe speech / complex needs / deaf / swallowing

Green

Amber

Red

Signpost to nurseries (if no setting), stay and play/web resources.

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Evidence based strategies and interventions e.g. EY WellComm & EY Talk Boost in settings, and working with parents/carers

Support application to nursery and/or top up funding

Signpost to Huddle/Markfield at Specialist Stay and Play groups/web resources

Refer to Speech and Language Therapy as per referral guidelines

Ring SLT advice line/refer to SLT as per referral guidelines

Specialist assessment and block of intervention as needed

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EY setting provide communication friendly environment

Evidence based strategies and interventions in settings

If no setting, consider Portage and CC outreach workers

Advice from EP cluster groups

Packages of SLT intervention with parents as needed

Liaison with settings to inform targets

SLT Signpost settings to EY Practitioner training

