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Dave Hammer's program also accounts for 6 Continuing Professional Education (CPE) hours by the Arkansas Board of Examiners in Speech Pathology and Audiology.

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## 27th Annual Betty Fusilier Conference on Communication Disorders



## Childhood Apraxia of Speech Presented by: Dave Hammer, M.A., CCC-SLP

March 12, 2010  
UCA Student Center Ballroom  
Conway, AR



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## Featured Speaker:

Dave Hammer has been employed by Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania since graduating with his Master's in Speech-Language Pathology in 1979. He has been the Coordinator of Speech and Language Services at the Children's Hospital North satellite facility in the northern suburbs of Pittsburgh since 1988. Dave has a wide range of pediatric clinical experience, with specialty interests in apraxia of speech in children, childhood and adolescent stuttering, and severe articulation/phonological disorders. Dave has been invited to present workshops on apraxia of speech throughout the United States, Canada, and Australia. He is a member of the CASANA (Childhood Apraxia of Speech Association of North America) Advisory Council. Dave was a member of the ASHA AdHoc committee on childhood apraxia of speech. He has been involved in the production of a number of apraxia-related DVD's and an innovative children's CD. Dave brings a practical and therapy-oriented approach to his presentations.

## Learner Outcomes:

1. List the hallmark features and characteristics of apraxia of speech.
2. Identify differential diagnostic factors and treatment strategies that differ from other speech and language disorders
3. List key therapeutic strategies effective for children with apraxia of speech.
4. Identify multi-sensory cueing techniques and stages of faded cues.



## Schedule:

7:30-8	Registration, Coffee & Donuts
8-8:15	Introduction
8:15-9:45	Diagnostic Indicators
9:45-10	Break
10-10:45	Foundations for Intervention
10:45-11:45	Multi-Sensory Treatment Strategies
11:45-12:30	Lunch
12:30-12:45	Questions From Morning Session
12:45-1:30	Visual and Motor Cues/Prompts
1:30-2:30	Repetitive Practice Activities to Achieve Speech Motor Learning
2:30-2:45	Break
2:45-3	Computer Visual Feedback and Ways to Use in Treatment for CAS
3-4:15	Challenging Cases/Treatment Outcomes
4:15-4:30	Questions

## Course Abstract:

This hands-on, practical, therapy-rich presentation will focus on strategies for therapists that facilitate verbal communication for children with apraxia of speech. An overview of diagnostic considerations will be presented. The majority of the presentation will be intervention-based, with a wide range of treatment ideas described. A multi-sensory approach to treatment will be detailed. Videotaped examples of children in treatment will be used to highlight therapy ideas and suggestions for carryover outside of the treatment setting. Professional level for this presentation is Intermediate.

## The 27th Annual Betty Fusilier Conference on Communication Sciences and Disorders Registration Form

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Employer: \_\_\_\_\_

Work #: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please indicate if you want a box lunch (included in registration fee):

Box Lunch  yes  no

Professional	\$85.00
UCA NSSLHA Member	\$17.00
Student	\$35.00

Make checks payable to UCA NSSLHA. Registration postmarked after February 26, 2010 will be subject to a \$15.00 onsite registration fee. Those participants who register late or onsite will have to manage lunch on their own. Mail to: NSSLHA Spring Conference, Speech-Language Pathology, UCA P.O. Box 4985, 201 Donaghey Ave., Conway, AR 72035. All requests for a refund must be made in writing. No refunds after March 5, 2010.