



# **Apps for Aphasia**

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## **Apps for Aphasia**

There are many apps for use on the ipad, iphone, and other electronic devices.

One group, called the Tavistock Trust for Aphasia, has created a directory of software and apps for aphasia. You can find it at:

http://www.aphasiasoftwarefinder.org/

We have printed out their list for you here. It is publicly available information. Please check their

site for updates. We have also added a few more apps of our own.





#### A Few Words of Advice

- •There are many types of aphasia. So, not all software or apps will be right for you.
- •Try the free or trial version of any software first to make sure it works for you.
- •Do not spend money on software that you have not tried out. Just because it is for aphasia does not mean it will be right for you.
- •If you're not sure, get advice from a speech-language pathologist.
- •Any software or app will be best for you if it helps you do something that is important to you.
- •If you get frustrated with the software or your device, just take a break.



Voices of Hope for Aphasia offers specialized training on a wide variety of technology tools.

Our workshops and webinars are especially designed for people with aphasia and their families.

We also offer **one-on-one consultations** to help you choose the right technology.

We go on **outings** to help you use your new tools.

Check out our website to find out about our upcoming workshops, labs, and field trips!



### Try these websites for helpful tools!



Make a personalized aphasia wallet card. www.aphasiaid.com



Tap twice to send short messages.

www.tapgram.com



Online news and non-fiction with 5 different reading levels.

www.newsela.com



Online weekly news articles with text-to-speech function. Subscription required.

www.newsforyouonline.com



## Published on *Aphasia Software Finder*

( www.aphasiasoftwarefinder.org )

Listed in alphabetical order. \$=Less than \$15, \$\$=\$15-\$75, \$\$\$=over \$75

	Name	Description	Cost	Works on	Language
1 A B 2 E F 3 I	AlphaTopics	Use letters or topics to cue your listener to the context of the conversation. Good for peoples whose natural speech is not always clear.	\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
Committed on the App Store	Answering TherAppy	Exercises to practice understanding and answering questions	Free trial, \$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
Therapy tasks    Interpretation of the second of the secon	Aphasia Therapy Online	Software to work on listening, reading, spelling, and saying words	Free	<ul> <li>Android phone</li> <li>Android tablet</li> <li>iPad</li> <li>iPhone</li> <li>iPod</li> <li>Mac</li> <li>PC</li> </ul>	English Australia n UK



	Name	Description	Cost	Works on	Language
	Aphasia: Start Speaking Again	Use speech recognition software.  Targets word finding in connected speech. Users must move images on the left to the colored boxes using	\$\$	• iPad • iPhone	English
Good Base of the App Store	Asking TherAppy	Exercises for learning to ask questions	Free trial, \$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
	Bilingual Aphasia Test	For Speech-Language Pathologists only	Free	<ul><li>Android phone</li><li>Android tablet</li></ul>	English Australia n UK
	Category Therapy	Putting words and pictures into categories. Practicing the meaning of words. Results can be emailed.	Free trial, \$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
	Cognitive Rehabilitation 1, 2, and 3	<ol> <li>Practice determining cause and effect.</li> <li>Practice problem solving.</li> <li>Practice determining reasons why things happen.</li> </ol>	\$	• iPad • iPhone	English



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	ChatterBoards	AAC communication aid for people of any age who have speech or language difficulties.	\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
Comprehension Aphasia Coverte Vinal Sensi Coverte Coverte Vinal Sensi Coverte Resorts Male Sension START	Comprehension Aphasia	For working on understanding spoken words and instructions.	\$\$	• iPad	English
	Conversation Paceboard	Designed to help individuals with imprecise articulation and a fast speaking rate to pace their speech and improve intelligibility in conversation.	\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
	Comprehension TherAppy	Understanding spoken and written words.	Free trial, \$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English UK
(CT)	Constant Therapy	Exercises to work on all areas of language but also attention, planning, problem solving within everyday situations.	Free	• iPad	English

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	Conversation TherAppy	For practicing conversation skills and longer spoken or written sentences	\$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
*	Dexteria	Exercises for writing practice and fine motor skills.	\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English Chinese French Spanish
ENGLISH KEY WORDS 120	English Key Words 120	Exercises to segment and blend phonemes into 120 key English words.	\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
INAME IT	iName it	Practice exercises for saying words. You need to decide if you said it correctly, the app doesn't do it for you.	\$\$	• iPad	English
igractics Verbs	iPracticeVerbs	Practice of written and spoken verbs. Flashcard exercises. Multiple choice exercises.	\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English



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	Keyword Understanding	Exercises to practice to understand the basic concepts of size and color as well as one and two-step directions of increasing difficulty	\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
App Store	Language TherAppy 4TinT1	Bundle containing: Comprehension TherAppy, Naming TherAppy, Writing TherAppy, Reading TherAppy	Free "lite" trial, \$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
Lexico	Lexico Cognition	Exercises for developing language understanding, vocabulary building, cognitive, memory, and auditory skills	\$	• iPad	English Chinese French Italian Spanish
MyTalk	MyTalkTools	AAC app that helps people with communication difficulties say what they want with sequences of words, sounds and images.	\$\$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>Phone</li><li>Apple Watch</li><li>Apple TV</li></ul>	English



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	Naming TherAppy	Saying words & describing pictures. Can add your own words. Results can be emailed.	Free "lite" trial, \$\$	<ul><li>Android Phone</li><li>Android Tablet</li><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English UK
	Pictello	Tool for visual storytelling- Use Text to Speech voices or record your own voice to narrate your story.	\$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English Dutch French German Spanish
Pocket Artic	Pocket Artic	Exercises for practicing speech sounds	\$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
Pocket	Pocket Pairs	Exercises for saying and hearing words with minimal sound differences (pen vs. ben). Diagrams with tongue position.	\$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English



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Virtual Speech Center Inc.  Problem Solve It  START  More Appa Settings Reports Info	Problem Solve It	Exercises to improve performance on cognitive tasks resembling daily challenges (social communication, management of finances, or health).	\$	• iPad	English
	Proloquo2Go	Symbol-supported communication app to promote language development and grow communication skills, from beginning to advanced communicators	\$\$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li><li>Apple Watch</li></ul>	English French Spanish
P	Predictable	Word prediction application.  Speaks out messages you type, adapts to individual's pattern of use, records users own voice, and saves phrases in the phrase bank for quick access.	\$\$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
Question GUESTANDEN	Question TherAppy 2TinT1	Exercises to practice answering and asking questions. Bundles Answering TherAppy and Asking TherAppy	Free trial, \$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English



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react2.com	React2.com	Not an app, but behaves like one. Contains many modules listed below:	\$\$ monthly subscription	<ul> <li>Android phone</li> <li>Android tablet</li> <li>iPad</li> <li>iPhone</li> <li>iPod</li> <li>Mac</li> <li>PC</li> <li>Internet</li> <li>required;</li> <li>requires flashL</li> </ul>	Australian UK
	Auditory Processing	Listening exercises from pre-word to conversation.			
	Life Skills Module	Like skills exercises (money, time, reading)			
	Memory and Sequencing	Remembering and sequencing exercises			
	Semantics Module	Exercises for working on word meanings			



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Mobile Education Store Sentence BULLDER TEEN	Sentence Builder Teen	Exercises for building sentences	\$	• iPad	English
	SmallTalk Aphasia	For use as a tool when out and about. 50 spoken phrases with symbols about stroke, conversation, phone, emergency, meals, and health.	Free	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
	SmallTalk Common Phrases	34 speech exercise videos for phrases ("call back later", "can you write that for me", etc.)	Free	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
/br/	SmallTalk Consonant Blends	74 exercises to practice speech sounds. Videos and voice recordings to copy.	Free	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English



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	SmallTalk Daily Activities	For use in conversations. 85 spoken phrases with symbols for talking about daily tasks.	Free	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
	SmallTalk Days, Months, Dates	Speech exercise videos for days of the week, months of the year, and numbers 1 <sup>st</sup> to 31 <sup>st</sup> .  Videos and voice recordings to copy.	Free	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
SmallTalk Letters, Numbers, Colors Lingraphica* Bio Agreeds Company	SmallTalk Letters, Numbers, Colors	Speech exercises for letters of the alphabet, numbers 1L20, and 12 colors	Free	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
SmallTalk Letters, Numbers, Colors Lingraphica* The Aptento Company	SmallTalk Oral Motor Exercises	Exercises for lip and mouth movements. Video and voice recordings to copy. May need help from a Speech-Language Pathologist.	Free	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English



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<u>/m/</u>	SmallTalk Phonemes	Exercises for speech sounds. Videos and sound recordings to copy. May need help from a Speech-Language Pathologist.	Free	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
	Sono Flex	AAC vocabulary app that turns symbols into clear speech.	\$\$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
Speak it	Speak It!	Text-to-Speech application to practice personal words. Add your own words and phrases.	\$	• iPad • iPhone	English UK
	Speech Cards Professional	Photos, flashcards of objects to name. You can record your attempts.	Free trial, \$\$	• iPad • iPhone	English Australia n UK



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	Speech Flipbook	For working on speech sounds and single words.	\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
	Speech Pacesetter	Helps you pace your rate of speech and reading aloud.	Free trial, \$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	All
	Speech Sounds on Cue	Video and sound recordings to copy.	Free trial, \$\$	• iPad	English Australian
Speech Trefficer	Speech Trainer 3D	Exercises for speech sounds.  May need help from a  Speech-Language  Pathologist.	\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English



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SLP	Speech Tutor	Exercises for practicing speech sounds.	\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
Home	Talk Around It Home	Exercises for speaking household objects	\$\$	<ul><li>Android phone</li><li>Android tablet</li><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English Spanish UK
Men	Talk Around It Men	Exercises for speaking common words about men.	\$\$	<ul><li>Android phone</li><li>Android tablet</li><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English Spanish UK
Nature	Talk Around It Nature	Exercises for speaking common words about nature.	\$\$	<ul><li>Android phone</li><li>Android tablet</li><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English Spanish UK



	Name	Description	Cost	Works on	Language
Person	Talk Around It Person	Exercises for speaking common personal object words.	\$\$	<ul><li>Android phone</li><li>Android tablet</li><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English Spanish UK
	TalkPath Therapy	Exercises for practicing speaking and repeating words, copying letters and spelling words, listening and also reading letters, words sentences and phrases.	Free trial, \$\$	<ul> <li>iPad</li> <li>iPhone</li> <li>iPod</li> <li>Mac</li> <li>PC</li> </ul>	English UK
TEXT	Text to Speech- Voice Synthesizer	Text to speech application with 36 different voices and the ability to adjust rate and pitch.	Free	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iphone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
TouchChat	TouchChat	Communication solution for individuals who have difficulty using their natural voice. Words, phrases and messages are spoken with a built-in voice synthesizer or by playing recorded messages.	\$\$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English Spanish



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Intro 🖍	VAST Songs 1	10 songs to practice different speech sounds ,rhythms, pace and rates.	\$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
KEY WORDS	VASTx Keywords	Practice 21 speech sounds on their own and in words and phrases.	\$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
SAMPLES	VASTx Therapy	Exercises for speech sounds and mouth movements. Videos and sound recordings to copy.	\$\$	<ul><li>iPad</li><li>iPhone</li><li>iPod</li></ul>	English
	Word Retrieval	Exercises for working on spoken naming. Can record your own spoken attempts.	\$	• iPad	English



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