Program Information

Fall/Winter Sessions 2017

When:

Mondays: October 2 to November 20, 2017

OR

Thursdays: October 5 to November 16,

2017

Group Times are: 1:30pm—3:00pm

Where:

Community Care for South Hastings 470 Dundas St. E., Unit 63 North end of Bayview Mall Belleville, ON

Sessions are 1.5 hours, weekly

For more information, or to register for the program, please contact:

Kathy Smith: Speech Language Pathologist (613) 966-5015 ext. 241

OR

Lorraine Pyle: Stroke Support Services

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Registration required by September 27, 2017

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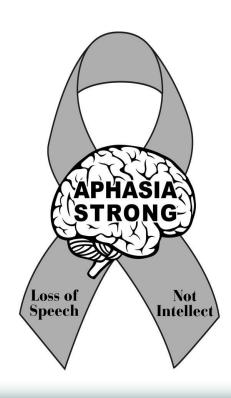
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APHASIA CONVERSATION GROUP



What is Aphasia?

Aphasia refers to one of the communication disabilities that can occur after **stroke**, **brain injury**, or **brain disease**. It may be **hard** to **talk**, to **understand** spoken words, to **read** and to **write**.

A person with Aphasia

- Knows what he/she wants
- Can make his or her own decisions
- Is a competent adult
- Aphasia masks a person's inherent competence

APHASIA is when your brain holds your words hostage.



People affected by Aphasia are at risk for:

- Social Isolation
- Depression
- Aphasia-related abuse

Benefits of Aphasia Support Programs

- Meet other adults living with Aphasia and practice your communication skills in a fun, stimulating environment
- Engage in interesting adult topics despite Aphasia
- Improve your conversation skills and confidence

Aphasia Conversation Group

The Aphasia support group is run by a Speech/Language Pathologist with the assistance of community volunteers or Communicative Disorders Assistants.

- Each group will set a maximum number of participants per group, so be sure to register
- Conversation topics include sports, politics, hobbies, music, local events

If you are a Caregiver of a Stroke Survivor with Aphasia:

CCSH does offer Caregiver Support Groups on a monthly basis. Call Lorraine for more information about times and