 At Reach we believe in the potential of every child, and we know that each child is unique. We work together with families to recognize each child's strengths and develop their abilities.



Reach Child and Youth Development Society holds the three-year accreditation for Community Services: Child and Youth Services, and Community Services: Respite Services. CARF (The Commission of Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities)

## Reach ABA Program

The Reach ABA Program is for children with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) living in Delta, Surrey or Langley. It is a skill-building program that uses the principles of Applied Behaviour Analysis to teach young children with ASD functional communication, play, social interaction, academic, fine motor and self-help skills.

### Reach ABA Program for Children Under 6

The Reach ABA Program is a highly structured intervention program that uses teaching methods such as Discrete Trial Training (DTT) and Natural Teaching Strategies (NTS). DTT incorporates errorless learning, prompting and reinforcement. NTS is based on the child's interest and incorporates choices, reinforcing materials, and reinforcing consequences.

The Reach ABA Program offers two options: Centre-based ABA or Home based ABA. The ABA team includes an Associate Behaviour Consultant and a Behaviour Interventionist.



A Behavioural Consultant will coordinate the child's Behaviour Plan of Intervention (BPI), covering all child development domains.

For families who choose the ABA Centre-based Program, the team will have a Speech-Language Pathologist (SLP) and an Occupational Therapist (OT).

Children's progress is monitored and updated at monthly team meetings. All program material are provided.

### Option 1: Centre-Based ABA Program

- Children receive 40 hours of one-to-one intervention each month at a Reach ABA centre.
- An interdisciplinary team consisting of a Behaviour Consultant, a Speech-Language Pathologist, an Occupational Therapist, an Associate Behaviour Consultant and a Behaviour Interventionist.
- All program materials are provided.



### Option 2: Home-Based ABA Program

- Children receive 30 hours of one-to-one intervention each month in their own home.
- A team consisting of a Behaviour Consultant, an Associate Behaviour Consultant, and a Behaviour Interventionist.
- All program materials are provided.

### Reach ABA Program for Children Over 6

Services include consultation and training from a Behaviour Consultant, Speech-Language Pathologist and Occupational Therapist.

Reach's ABA Program is available to families in the Lower Mainland. Families can contact Carol Ywan at 604-946-6622 ext. 343 or at [caroly@reachchild.org](mailto:caroly@reachchild.org) for information or intake. More information about the program is also available on the Reach ABA website page at [www.reachdevelopment.org](http://www.reachdevelopment.org)

*The Reach ABA Program is based on the best practice principles of ABA (Applied Behaviour Analysis)*





When your child has autism and needs intervention...

# Help is within reach.

## Believing in potential

Each year over 800 children benefit from programs and services at Reach Child and Youth Development Society. Our family-centered, individualized, and responsive approach means that families experience success and each child is given the opportunity to reach their potential.





**Family Centered** Our family-centered philosophy recognizes that the family is the major decision maker and constant in the child's life and as such, we believe families should be in control and informed. We believe, that the primary aim of good service planning is to enable and empower families.

**Individualized** We recognize and respect the diversity and uniqueness of families and children and provide individualized approaches to goal identification and service planning.

**Responsive** We believe that it is essential that services be flexible to meet the changing needs of children and families, and to respond to input from the community regarding those needs.

**Experts in our field** We have brought together professionals with expertise and knowledge in a variety of areas including Early Childhood Educators, Speech Language Pathologists, Behavioural Consultants, Supported Child Development Consultants, Occupational Therapists, Infant Development Consultants, and others with extensive experience supporting families and children.

## Our mission is to

-  provide early and timely intervention for children with special needs in a family-centered manner.
-  provide choices and ongoing support to children and families.
-  facilitate and support the full integration of all children into our community, and
-  exist as a quality community resource for the optimal development of children from infancy onwards.



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## Reach ABA Program

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