

Speech & Language



Music enhances
speech, language
and non-verbal
communication



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MUSIC THERAPY SERVICES

*Exceptional music therapy services for children and adults
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Music Therapy

NeuroRhythm specializes in **developmental and neurological** challenges including **autism spectrum disorder** and other **cognitive, speech/language and motor delays**. We are a research-based behavioral music therapy practice, and the **only** company that integrates the scientific fields of **Neurologic Music Therapy (NMT)** with **Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA)**.

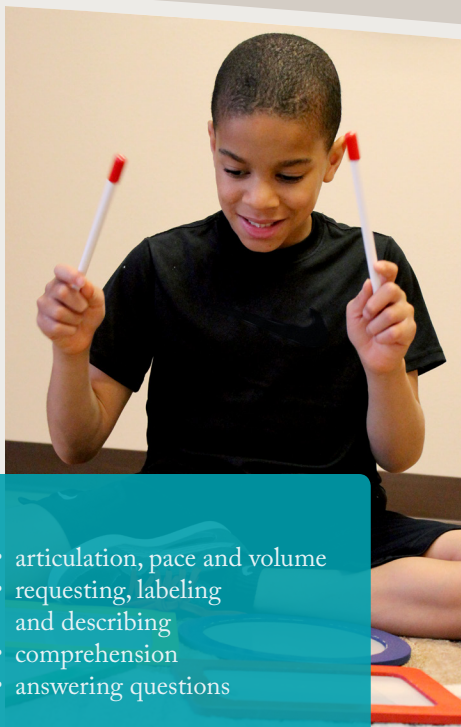
Music therapy is an established allied healthcare profession in which music is used within a therapeutic relationship by a **Board Certified Music Therapist (MT-BC)** to address the **physical, cognitive, communication, social and emotional** needs of individuals of all ages.

Neurologic Music Therapy (NMT) is the therapeutic use of music to address the **cognitive, speech/language, and sensorimotor** function of individuals with neurological diseases or disorders. Treatment techniques are based on a neuroscience model and the influence of music on functional changes in the **brain and behavior**.

Music Therapy for Speech and Language Needs

Research supports parallels between singing and speech production and music's ability to facilitate **improved verbal and non-verbal communication skills**.

Speech naturally incorporates musical elements such as meter, rhythm and melody, and research shows that **music enhances** these speech/language functions.



Music Therapy Improves

- verbal communication
- non-verbal communication
- expressive language
- receptive language
- speech initiation and production
- articulation, pace and volume
- requesting, labeling and describing
- comprehension
- answering questions