



WORKSHOP *DEMANDS & CAPACITIES MODEL (RESTART) FOR TREATMENT OF PRE-SCHOOL CHILDREN WHO STUTTER* 3 DAYS

**July 31, August 1 and 2 2019, Rotterdam, Erasmus MC , the Netherlands
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Introduction

De Sonnevile-Koedoot ¹et al (2015) compared the effectiveness and costs of Demands and Capacities Model based treatment and the Lidcombe Program in preschool children during an 18 month follow-up. This study, known as the RESTART trial, showed that the two treatments for pre-school children who stutter have comparable outcomes. Both the Demands and Capacities Model based treatment (DCM) and the Lidcombe Program (LP) can be recommended. It is best practice to offer parents a choice between those two treatments.

This workshop is designed for speech and language pathologists who want to be trained to practice the version of DCM treatment that was investigated in the RESTART trial. During a third day participants will practice applying the (Restart-)DCM approach in case studies; participants are invited to share their own cases.

Learning Outcomes

Day 1: Participants will be able to describe the rationale of the DCM approach and DCM multifactorial assessment (2 hours); they will have practiced selecting relevant demands, conducting a parent-clinician conference cf. DCM approach (2 hours), and treatment skills regarding reducing motoric and linguistic Demands of the child and the environment (3 hours).

Day 2: Participants will have practiced treatment skills regarding reducing emotional and cognitive Demands of the child and the environment (2 hours), and increasing motoric , linguistic , emotional and cognitive Capacities (5 hours).

Day 3 optional: participants will practice applying the (Restart-)DCM approach in case studies; participants are invited to share their own cases (4 hours).

For an overview of the RESTART DCM treatment method, see our website www.restartdcm.org and, for a free download of the methods manual:

<https://restartdcm.nl/wp-content/uploads/2017/09/RESTART-DCM-Method-English.pdf>

¹ de Sonnevile-Koedoot C, Stolk E, Rietveld T, Franken M-C (2015) Direct versus Indirect Treatment for Preschool Children who Stutter: The RESTART Randomized Trial. PLoS ONE 10(7): e0133758. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0133758
<http://journals.plos.org/plosone/article?id=10.1371/journal.pone.0133758>

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Date / Time	July 31th, August 1th 2019, 09:00 AM – 17:00 PM; August 2th 2019, 9:00 AM – 14:00 PM
Location	Erasmus Medical Centre, Rotterdam, the Netherlands
Trainers	Marie-Christine Franken PhD, SLP, NVST recognized Fluency Expert, clinical researcher, Erasmus MC Sophia, Rotterdam. Ellen Laroes, SLP, NVST recognized Fluency Expert, private practice Brunssum, teacher at Zuyd Hogeschool, Heerlen lecturing Fluency Disorders
Cost	675 euro, including coffee/tea, lunch and workshop materials
Contact information	info@restartdcm.org
Target group	Speech and language pathologists with pre-school stuttering children in their caseload
Accreditation points	30
Accreditation	Certificate of participation
Group size	Minimum 16, maximum 24
Language:	English

REGISTRATION

Registration takes 2 steps:

1. Send an email to: info@restartdcm.org

stating 'Registration workshop RESTART-DCM 2019' plus name, affiliation, date and place of birth (required for certificate), international regular mail address including ZIP Code (required for invoice). You can find a contact form on <https://restartdcm.nl/english-restart-dcm-workshops/>. Please register as soon as possible but at the latest May 1th 2019. May 2th 2019 will be the reference date for the required minimum number of registrations (16).

2. Payment of the workshop fee

The fee for the workshop amounts to € 675 euro, including coffee / tea, lunch and workshop materials. If the minimum number of registrations will have been obtained at May 2th 2019, shortly afterwards an invoice will be sent by e-mail to those who have registered. The total fee amount should be transferred within 10 days after the Invoice will have been sent.

Additional information

All attendees are expected to print out and have thoroughly read the RESTART DCM Method prior to the workshop: <https://restartdcm.nl/wp-content/uploads/2017/09/RESTART-DCM-Method-English.pdf>. About four weeks before the workshop starts, registered participants who have paid the full workshop fee will receive further information on exact location within the Erasmus Medical Centre, etc. Cancellation conditions are sent upon request.

In case of questions about the content of the workshop, please contact:

- Marie-Christine Franken: m.franken@erasmusmc.nl
- Ellen Laroes: logo-stottertherapie@kpnmail.nl

If you have any questions about payment, registration, lodging, etc. please contact info@restartdcm.org