

# The aphasic patient: a program for auditory comprehension and language training

## Patient's edition

The use of this Patient's Edition in conjunction with the Clinician's Edition will allow optimal progress toward the return of speech to the stroke patient. In this program, the clinician's task is to provide spoken cues to effect an understanding. The patient's task is to respond by matching the spoken cues with one or more of the pictured referents available to him. Thus, once the patient is able to understand what is said, he can signal his understanding by identifying the visual representation of the message. The illustrations employed are large, well-defined and appealing to the adult patient. They portray familiar daily items and activities such as sleeping, washing and dressing. Rearrangements of the vocabulary and sequence illustrations are included to eliminate the tendency of some patients to point to the picture's position rather than its content.

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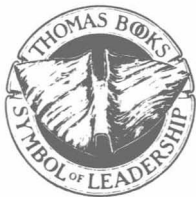
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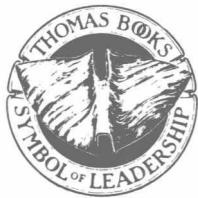
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