



DID YOU KNOW

- Worldwide, more than 70 million people stutter.
- Stuttering affects three to four times as many males as females.
- Approximately 5% of all children go through a period of stuttering that lasts six months or more. Three-quarters of those will recover by late childhood, leaving about 1% with a long-term problem.
- Exciting new research in the areas of genetics, neurophysiology, child development, and family dynamics is shedding light on the possible causes of stuttering. As a result, we have made tremendous progress in the prevention of stuttering in young children.
- Studies show that people who stutter are as intelligent and well-adjusted as those who don't.
- People who stutter are often self-conscious about it and may let it determine the vocation they choose.
- There are no instant miracle cures for stuttering.
- Stuttering becomes an increasingly formidable problem in the teen years.
- A qualified clinician can help not only children but also teenagers, young adults, and even older adults make significant progress toward fluency.
- James Earl Jones, John Stossel, Emily Blunt, Darren Sproles, King George VI, Kendrick Lamar, George Springer, Ed Sheeran, Joe Biden, Winston Churchill, Marilyn Monroe, Tiger Woods, Nicole Kidman, and Marc Anthony – all famous people who stutter.