September Awareness Events

There are a number of awareness events during September that are relevant to people with communication and swallowing needs. If you are interested in promoting how speech and language therapy transforms lives in these areas, RCSLT has a range of resources to support your campaigning and influencing.

If you know of any other September awareness events, please let us know on info@rcslt.org

September - World Alzheimer’s Month
@RCSLT resources:
- Common signs of dementia and when to refer - https://bit.ly/2qXbw1O
- Ken and Fay’s Story - https://bit.ly/1NwHgRV
For more information see: https://www.alz.co.uk/world-alzheimers-month
#WorldAlzheimersMonth

Other useful links:
- @alzheimerssoc https://bit.ly/1fLhxb6
- @alzscot https://bit.ly/1KSBfLq
- https://www.alzheimers.org.uk/
- https://www.alzscot.org/

6 September – National Read A Book Day
For more information see: https://bit.ly/2vy9zgR
#NationalReadABookDay

8 September – International Literacy Day (UNESCO)
For more information see: https://bit.ly/2znayEl
#internationalliteracyday

13 September – Roald Dahl Day
Roald Dahl’s wife had aphasia - https://bit.ly/2Qo21FE
@RCSLT resources:
For more information see: https://bit.ly/1Kf447r
Other useful links:
- @RoaldDahlDay https://bit.ly/2yT3LPE
16 September – National Teaching Assistant’s Day
For more information see: https://bit.ly/1OalaGh
@NationalTADay https://bit.ly/2ZYMsIP

16-20 September - Head and Neck Cancer Awareness Week
@RCSLT resources:
   • Clinical Information: https://bit.ly/2B4yQBw
   • Factsheet: https://bit.ly/2FQuG40
For more information see: https://bit.ly/2MuniPK
Other useful links:
   • @MakeSenseCmpn https://bit.ly/2YK7azz
   • @CR_UK https://bit.ly/2MRq73C

21 September – World Alzheimer’s Day
@RCSLT resources:
   • Clinical information: https://bit.ly/2ZYIUX1
For more information see: https://bit.ly/2NDmnZi
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Other useful links:
   • @alzheimerssoc https://bit.ly/1fLhx6
   • @alzscot https://bit.ly/1KSBIlq
   • https://www.alzheimers.org.uk/
   • https://www.alzscot.org/

25 September – International Ataxia Awareness Day
@RCSLT resources:
For more information see: https://bit.ly/2xT1nYa
Other useful links:
   • @AtaxiaUK https://bit.ly/2OTL2OY
   • https://www.ataxia.org.uk/