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Dear Clinician:

The second edition of the **Structured Photographic Articulation Test featuring Dudsberry (SPAT-D II)** has been revised and we are in the process of standardizing this popular articulation test. Approximately 2,000 children between the ages of 3 and 10 will be participating nationwide. We are looking for speech-language pathologists who are interested in helping us with this process.

Clinicians who participate are asked to test 30 children who are currently not receiving special education services. The estimated time involved for testing each child is approximately 15-20 minutes. Each child will look at a series of color photographs and respond to prompts designed to elicit specific speech sounds. The clinician will note the exact responses of the child. This is an enjoyable and non-threatening test for a child. It is like looking at a photograph album. The child's name will be kept confidential and identified by number only.

Each clinician will be provided with a stimulus picture booklet, test forms, and administration instructions. In addition, letters to parents that explain the testing process and parent/guardian consent forms are included in the materials packet. Consent forms may need to be modified to meet individual school system requirements. Clinicians are asked to contact us if modifications are needed.

Those who participate in the standardization of the test will receive a complimentary copy of the SPAT-D 3 and \$250.00 of free products from the Janelle Publications catalog.

We hope that you will be able to help us with this important project. Please contact Sten Kresheck via email at <u>sten@janellepublications.com</u> or call our office at 800-888-8834 if you are able to participate or wish to receive further information.

Sincerely,

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