

**\*\*New Briefing\*\***

**Aphasia Awareness**

**Aims & Objectives/Learning Outcomes**

Aphasia is a language disorder that affects the ability to communicate. It can impact speaking, writing, understanding, and reading. It's typically caused by brain damage, often from a stroke or head injury, but can also result from neurological illnesses or tumours.

Aphasia can affect people differently, with varying degrees of severity and types depending on the brain area affected. The facilitator will tell their lived experience & what support Say Aphasia can offer.

**Target Audience**

DBC ONLY - Adult Teams

**Dates, Times & Venues**

- Monday 14 July 2025 from 10.00-10.40am via MS Teams or Zoom

**Facilitator:**

Pete Coady, Say Aphasia

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