



Key Take-Aways

DIR/Floortime® Addresses Patient-Centered Outcomes, Offers Parent Choice, and is Aligned with Disability Rights

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Summary: DIR/Floortime® is a developmental approach that addresses patient-centered outcomes to support a person's unique needs, offers parent choice, and is aligned with disability rights

- ✓ In Floortime™ we move away from compliance and towards a supportive, co-operative and respectful approach where the adults facilitate the learning process by following the child's lead.
- ✓ People who have disabilities deserve to have a say in how they are cared for and/or supported.
- ✓ DIR/Floortime® encourages us to notice the signs of what your child is trying to communicate, and to respect that each child has unique differences in how (s)he will react to stressful situations and comply to demands put on him/her.
- ✓ Development does not have a timeline.
- ✓ Parents deserve to have the option for funding an approach that focuses on development—the capacity to relate, communicate, and think—rather than on behaviour alone.

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