





A part of the mission of A Voice Discovered is to provide funding to individuals and organizations for AAC equipment, services, training and AAC camps when all other funding sources have been exhausted. AVD provides grants for individuals up to \$1500 and for organizations up to \$3000. The following is a list of the cost of equipment and services and what a grant may be used to fund.

AAC equipment

Below is a summary of equipment prices associated with items that are necessary for those who use AAC

iPad -- \$399 -- \$999 Sturdy iPad Case with strap -- \$50 -- \$100 Sturdy iPad case with strap and built in speaker -- up to \$400 Robust AAC App -- \$200-\$300 Keyguard -- \$50-\$100

Device Mount for dedicated speech generating device -- \$1000-\$2000 Device mount for iPad -- \$80-\$500

Switches to access an iPad or a dedicated speech generating device -- \$65 -- \$400

AAC Therapy or Training -- \$100/hr -- This is what AVD reimburses speech and language pathologists to provide services however, this is less than what speech and language pathologists usually charge per hour.

AAC Assessment -- \$500 -- \$1000 (5-10 hours at \$100/hr) -- This is what AVD reimburses speech and language pathologists to provide services however, this is less than what speech and language pathologists usually charge per hour. Typically AVD funds up to \$500 for an assessment and up to \$200 for a report write up. If a longer assessment period is needed, it can be discussed with AVD

AAC Camps -- Free up to \$1500

