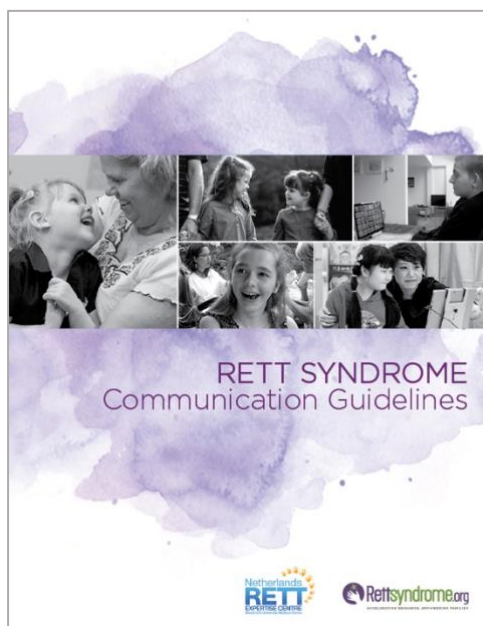


### Release of Rett Syndrome Communication Guidelines

We are delighted to announce the release of the NEW *Rett Syndrome Communication Guidelines: A handbook for therapists, educators and families.*



The digital download is free and can be downloaded as many times as you need. You can choose to download the complete handbook or individual sections of the handbook.

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#### **What are the guidelines?**

The guidelines are designed for parents, carers, therapists and educators. They help by setting a baseline of good practice in developing the communication skills of people with Rett syndrome. They are a starting point for assessment, intervention and long-term management. From this detailed baseline, local and personal practice can be built.

#### **How did we develop them?**

The project called on practice and experience of people around the world, coordinated by a small group of international experts. They are consensus-based guidelines, based on available evidence gathered through systematic literature review, real-life experience and expert opinion. In total, 650 people from 43 countries participated in the project.

The project was coordinated by the Rett Expertise Centre Netherlands-GKC and funded by a HeART Grant from Rettsyndrome.org.

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### **Translation of the guidelines**

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