Figure 3. Expressive vocabulary outcomes.

Speech and language intervention versus delayed or no treatment Expressive vocabulary outcomes Comparison: Outcome:

		Treatment			Control	throb.	SMD	Weight		95% CI
Study	n	W	SD	u	W	SD	(95% CI random)	(%)	SWD	random
Measures of overall expressive vocabulary development	cabule	ary develop	ment		4		Lating on wheeler	LANGE, TEL		Laterated Lateral
Gibbard, 1994	18	15.70	8.30	8	3.20	4.90		49.5	1.79	1.01-2.58
Law et al., 1999	28	75.95	10.54	10	74.00	90.6		50.5	0.19	-0.54-0.91
Subtotal (95% CI)	46			28				100.0	0.98	-0.59-2.56
Test for heterogeneity, $\chi^2(1, N = 44) = 8.67$ , $p = .0032$ Test for overall effect, $z = 1.22$ , $p = .2$	= 44)	= 8.67, p =	0032				and the season of			
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Different words in language sample	ole									
Gibbard, 1994	18	14.20	7.10	18	8.10	4.30		45.0	1.02	0.32-1.72
Girolametto et al., 1996b	12	64.50	46.00	13	25.20	22.00		30.5	1.07	0.22-1.92
Robertson & Ellis Weismer, '99 11	11	15.10	5.20	10	8.50	5.30	BB	24.5	1.21	0.26-2.15
Subtotal (95% CI)	41			41			<b>*</b>	100.0	1.08	0.61-1.55
Test for heterogeneity, $\chi^2(2, N = 39) = 0.10$ , $p = .95$	= 36)	= 0.10, p =	95				A Laborator Management			
Test for overall effect, $z = 4.51$ , $p = .00001$	. = d ,	00001					entire in the same			
Parent report of vocabulary										
Gibbard, 1994	18	225.30	106.10	18	49.40	30.30		- 20.1	2.20	1.36-3.05
Girolametto et al., 1996a	8	79.50	35.00	00	68.90	49.00		18.1	0.24	-0.75-1.22
Girolametto et al., 1996b	12	187.70	181.00	13	65.40	99.00		20.4	0.88	0.05-1.71
Law et al., 1999	28	23.22	4.12	10	21.44	2.07		21.9	0.47	-0.26-1.20
Robertson & Ellis Weismer, '99 11	=	76.20	37.50	10	51.40	40.80	B	19.6	0.61	-0.27-1.49
Subtotal (95% CI)	7			29			•	100.0	0.89	0.21-1.56
Test for heterogeneity, $\chi^2(4, N = 72) = 12.61$ , $p = .013$	= 72)	= 12.61, p	= .013				The state of the s			
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