

Why Should I Be Aware of Both Dyslexia (SLD) and ADHD?

- Dyslexia and ADHD have a high rate of co-occurrence.
- Scientific research indicates that 85% of children with ADHD also have a mild SLD; 55% of those with a mild SLD have a severe SLD; and 55% of those with a severe SLD have a pervasive SLD.
- Research concludes that 15-40% of people diagnosed with dyslexia also have ADHD.
- Symptoms of both conditions can co-exist and overlap.
- Because of overlapping symptoms and imperfect testing, people can have a diagnosed condition and another undiagnosed condition.

Co-occurrence between ADHD and SLDs

