

Editor's note:

It is with great pleasure that we launch the Journal of Clinical Speech & Language, a cooperative effort between the School of Clinical Speech & Language Studies, Trinity College, and the Irish Association of Speech & Language Therapists.

1991 marks the twenty second year of the education of speech and language therapists in Dublin under the directorship of Dr. Marie de Montfort Supple and she has contributed to this edition by serving on the Editorial Board and by writing a paper.

Betty Byers Brown, who has actively supported the growth and development of the profession on this island over the years, died in September. As well as giving us the benefit of her broad experience in publishing by serving on the Editorial Board, she was a constant support, both professionally and personally. She will be greatly missed, ar dheis De go raibh a h-anam.

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