Our goal is to make sure speech therapy children receive at Waldo County General Hospital (WCGH) is as good as or better than any in the United States. We measure our results and compare what we do to national standards.

We take seriously our responsibly to assure every child we work with has the speech and early reading skills necessary for school and life success. We would want no less for our own families.

Table 1 shows progress by at least one level of improvement for each child in speech therapy at Waldo County General Hospital measured by the NOMS Functional Communication Measure, compared to national outcomes. These children most often get speech therapy right in their preschool or early childhood classroom settings.

Table 2 shows the percent of children making progress by multiple levels of achievement as measured on the NOMS.
Summary:

Speech Therapy services provided at Waldo County General Hospital exceed national performance measures, established through the National Outcomes Measurement System (NOMS).

Children seen in speech therapy services at WCGH make, on average, more progress gains than children seen in other reporting settings across the United States.