Testimonials from the Alison Lawson Remedial Visual Dyslexia Treatment undertaken with Tracey Heslop, Visual Dyslexia Therapist, at The Alison Lawson Centre-Blue Mountains (now operating at The Alison Lawson Centre-Sunshine Coast)

(directly copied from participant's writing)

"Tracey Heslop treated my son Daniel with the LASD unit and treatment. He complied with the program even though the first couple of weeks it was really difficult for Daniel (aged 9). Daniel had issues with both eyes and needed a couple of extra sessions than normal to correct both eyes. We are so thrilled with the results. Daniel is reading really well now, and the treatment also helped bring him up to speed in a lot of other areas. Daniel doesn't get tired reading anymore, and rarely makes an error reading aloud. Daniel is happy that the letters don't swirl around all over the page and now loves to read! We have continued to see the benefits 12 months on. I would recommend Tracey to anyone, any age. She was so encouraging with Daniel in every achievement. Reading is a gift and a delight and should be a pleasure. We had looked at other programs, but none of them offered the permanent results that the Alison Lawson Clinic did."

Elisa, mother of Daniel, treated 2012

"The children are all well and seem to be happy with their progress so far. Gus got an award last week for going up two years in his reading levels over the last three months"

Robyn, mother of Gus, 9-year-old boy treated May 2012

Jacinta, mother of Tiannah, 7 ½ year old girl treated June, 2012

"Really happy with treatment. My son Peter, had the treatment starting May and finished in September. His half year reports and exam reports were as expected - not great. End of year the teacher made the comment that his improvement was outstanding - and they were really pleased with him!! We would recommend the treatment to anyone that is having problems!!! And Tracey is very caring and loving, and only wants the best for the kids - my son is 12 almost 13"

Rosemary, mother of Peter, treated 2013

[&]quot;Improved reading, writing, spelling. More confident with all the above. Memory improved immensely. No more words jumping around when reading"

[&]quot;Would you recommend the Alison Lawson Treatment to others?"

[&]quot;Absolutely! Just a big thanks! Tiannah has progressed more during her treatment than the past 2 ½ years at school"

"Today marks the end of a very big 10 weeks as my daughter successfully completed the program with Tracey at The Alison Lawson Centre-Blue Mountains!

Before we began my daughter was struggling. She found everything 'hard' at school. Headaches, reversing every second number, reversing letters, and losing her place reading. She would come home frustrated with herself getting 2/10 in her spelling test.

Now, after 10 weeks she says she finds school 'easy'. She hasn't had headaches & her writing has improved. Although she still reverses numbers occasionally, she has written 1-1000 confidently which was IMPOSSIBLE when we started. Her reading is fluent and she doesn't lose her place. Her spelling is fantastic and she comes home telling me she got them all right!

I can't recommend this program enough to anyone with a child (or yourself) that struggles with this stuff. It's been enormous amount of work but worth every minute.

Thank you Tracey from The Alison Lawson Centre-Blue Mountains for your gentle and caring nature, your patience, passion and clear direction. Xx"

Rosie, mother of Lillian, 7 treated 2013

"Hi. My name is Ben.

In term one I went to the Alison Lawson Blue Mountains Centre. Tracey gave me some red and blue glasses some thick glasses black glasses, red and white glasses and got me to look at this machine while it was turning and I did my work on it. I could see double visions and I practiced middle and distant vision. I had fun with dot patterns and read funny stories. The pictures were cool and fun to colour. The crosswords were good, pretty much everything was good. We had to practice three or four times a day for about two hours it made me tired sometimes. It got easier as I went on. My schoolwork is now easier my reading has gotten heaps better. Tracey was nice and calm and helped me learn. I think that other kids should do it that need it so it helps them."

Ben 9, Glenbrook, treated March 2012

"Hello Tracey,

How are you? I just thought I would let you know that I got my results for my yearly exam for English today..and guess what I got 72%!! and I am so happy!! I don't whether it's the course I did or the new teacher I have got cause she is a lot better than the last and I mean a lot!!! I think it's a bit of both!! But I can see that course has helped me sooo much thanx to you!!! For half yearly I only got 55% but I think this was partly because of the teacher as well! Cause he didn't exactly teach us all the stuff!! I think this result is the best rest I have ever got for English!! I have gotten about 60% and 65% roughly but as

far as my memory goes back I have not gotten this well!!! I also know my math mark that was for 5.2 math and I used to be 5.1 I got 65%!! I am also VERY pleased with this mark cause I only had all up about 12weeks to learn all the different topics in 5.2 cause it's a lot harder than 5.1!! but science was a bit dumb but I can't be good at everything! I got 51% and for the half yearly I got 47%!! For all the marks I have got so far have been very improving so I am so happy thanx to all your help!!

Thank you very much, Vanessa XO "

14-year-old, treated 2013

How do you say thank you to someone who has had such a profound impact on our lives? I cannot recommend Tracey highly enough. Her relatability to children is extraordinary as is her love and care. It is obviously she genuinely loves what she does. We were blessed to be referred to Tracey and even though the 2 weeks were perhaps the most intense my 6-year-old and I had been though together we did it and not only did we come out the other side, what I have noticed in the past week since completion is a different child. Finn is now embracing his writing (now legible), taking pride n his school work, is impressed he can see the board and for him this week he achieved his first ever merit certificate at school for most improved in reading! We are getting there. And we can see light in the tunnel. The biggest thing for me is seeing my little boy take such pride and satisfaction in his work now which he is enjoying doing rather than the struggle it has previously been. We still have our moments, though they are fewer and less struggle. So blown away and only a week later. Thank you Tracey! Xo Katherine

Katherine, mother of Finn, aged 6 years old treated 2014

We had the pleasure of being exposed and available to TX with Tracey @ "THE ALISON LAWSON CENTRE" on the Sunshine Coast. We started with a challenging young boy who was beating his head against a wall with frustration, not being able to "unlock" or understand simple information, text etc. He just could not see what was in front of him. His behaviour was escalating....not in a good way whilst he was trying to deflect having to do any work as he just did not understand. Tracey sat with Harrison explained every step of the way, remained calm, and basically let him know that she cared about him and she wanted to make life easier for him. So 10 days back to back tears, persevering and a will to succeed and wow we have a new boy! We saw Tracey in term 2 Harrison was on level 3 readers and that was a struggle.....we are thrilled now that after the tx Harrison is on L19 and fast approaching L20 & 21. Both my husband and I were hesitant at first due to the unknown and not 100% sure this was going to work but now looking back we are forever grateful and so thankful that our little man now has a great start in life. Thankyou Tracey xxx

Carlie & Paul, Parents of Harrison, aged 6 years old treated May 2016 (Sunshine Coast)