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The Com DEALL program, was developed by Dr. Prathibha Karanth and is the culmination of over four decades of work by her, in the area of communication disorders. Dr. Karanth is a leading authority in the field of Early Intervention and Autism. As an Autism expert, she has been honoured several times at various platforms. Chief among them are the 'Reeta Peshawaria Oration' jointly given by the ministry of SJE, GOI and the National Institute of Mental Health, Secunderabad in 2015 and the "MahilaThilakam Award" in 2012 by the Govt of Kerala for her outstanding career and contribution to the field of health. She was a member of the Expert Committee of the Kerala State Initiative on Disability, 2013. She served as the expert member on Autism, RCI, New Delhi from 2002 to 2005. She was invited by the American Speech and Hearing Association in 2014 to make a presentation on the Com DEALL model. She was Fulbright Visiting Professor from 1999 to 2000, at the University of Georgia at Athens and the City University of New York, and Principal Investigator for the project on Language Training Materials in Major Indian Languages", funded by UNICEF, New Delhi from 1993 to 1996. Dr. Karanth has published several books, manuals and papers in peer reviewed journals and book chapters, and made over 300 presentations in seminars, conferences, symposiums and workshops across the country and overseas. She has been twice elected as the President of the Indian Speech & Hearing Association.

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