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Sommario/riassunto	Communication difficulties and needs in children and adults arise from a wide range of causes but one unifying factor is their effect on people's everyday lives lived through conversations. Communication difficulties affect life opportunities, societal participation and mental health. They impact on everyday interactions and conversations with others at home, in communities, in education and in healthcare. There

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is a growing movement amongst speech and language therapists to offer communication partner training (CPT) to tackle the impact of communication difficulties and needs. Better Conversations is both an approach to the study of conversation in communication difficulty and a growing suite of CPT intervention programs underpinned by Conversation Analytic principles and methods. [This book] is a practical resource for clinicians who wish to implement the Better Conversations approach to CPT.