

Course Title: Swallowing Disorders 110 - Imaging Swallowing Examinations:
Videofluoroscopy and Endoscopy

Target Audience: OT / OTA and other healthcare professionals

Course Type: Video vs. Text-based

Educational Level: Beginner, Intermediate, Advanced

CE Hours: 2 contact hour / .2 ceu

Course Prerequisites: None

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Learning Objectives:

- Explain why it is important to “image” the swallowing mechanism and evaluate swallow function with an instrumental study
- List 5 basic guidelines to help determine whether any instrumental swallowing examination is indicated
- Describe the basic components and potential modifications of a fluoroscopic swallowing examination and an endoscopic swallowing examination
- Describe and differentiate strengths and weaknesses of the fluoroscopic swallowing examination and the endoscopic swallowing examination
- Compare the endoscopic examination with the fluoroscopic examination

Agenda:

Hour #1

Considerations for an Imaging Swallowing Examination

Goals of imaging swallowing evaluations

Indications for imaging swallowing examinations

Videofluoroscopic Swallowing Examinations

What’s in a name?

Objectives of the videofluoroscopic swallowing examination

Procedures for the videofluoroscopic swallowing examination

Strengths and weaknesses of the fluoroscopic swallowing study

Hour #2

Endoscopic Swallowing Examinations

Differences between the endoscopic swallowing examination and the fluoroscopic swallowing examination

Procedures for the endoscopic swallowing study
Strengths and weaknesses of the endoscopic swallowing study
Direct Comparisons between Fluoroscopic and Endoscopic Swallowing Examinations

Course Completion Requirements:

A passing score of 100% is required for course completion. You will have as many attempts as needed until your passing score of 100% is achieved. Upon successful completion of course and completing a satisfaction survey, you will receive your certificate of completion.

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