

Learning Objectives

MedBridge Education

Clinical Assessment of Swallowing, Part 1 – Introduction to Normal Swallowing & Swallowing Screen

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Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

Chapter 1: Introduction and Normal Swallowing

- Describe the impact of Bolus size and viscosity on normal swallowing
- Differentiate between normal aging and disordered swallowing

Chapter 2: Screening and Background Information

- Describe the chest x-ray terminology suggestive of pneumonia
- Identify three laboratory results suggestive of dehydration in the dysphagia patient.

Chapter 3: Case Studies

- Demonstrate principles and techniques from lecture with two real world case studies.