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The Modified Barium Swallowing Impairment Profile (MBSImP):A Standardized Assessment
and Treatment Planning Protocol**SEMINAR DESCRIPTION**

Currently in the field of Speech-Language Pathology, universal standards for swallow evaluation terminology, measurement, and reporting methods *do not exist*. The Modified Barium Swallow Study, while a clinically useful tool, remains a subjective test. Evidence, rather than opinion, should guide clinical decision-making.

This seminar will introduce participants to the *Modified Barium Swallowing Impairment Profile*, or *MBSImP*™. Built on the findings of a rigorous, five-year study the MBSImP is a research-based, standardization of the MBS study. The MBSImP assesses the integrity in each of 17 critical components of swallowing which together provide an objective profile of the physiologic impairment affecting swallowing function. For the first time, the MBSImP provides the means for clinicians to communicate MBS study results in an evidence-based manner that is consistent, specific, and accurate.

This seminar presents strong evidence for a new direction in dysphagia assessment and is a must attend for anyone who evaluates or treats adults with dysphagia in any clinical setting. This seminar also serves as an excellent preparatory course for those planning to become "Registered MBSImP Clinicians."

SEMINAR LOCATION**Abington Memorial Hospital**

Conference Center (within Lenfest Pavilion)

1200 Old York Road

Abington, PA 19001

Phone: 215-481-2000**Accommodations:**

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Willow Grove, PA 19090

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adjacent to the Conference
Center / Lenfest Pavilion.**PRICE: \$325.00****2 or more \$295.00****5 or more \$275.00****REGISTER EARLY -
SPACE IS LIMITED**Late Fee: Add \$20 if registering less
than two weeks prior to seminar.**Become a Registered MBSImP Clinician:**

The only way to become a Registered MBSImP Clinician is to complete the MBSImP Web-Based Training, which is worth an additional 2.1 CEUs. Those attending this CE Seminar will receive a \$200 credit toward enrollment in the Web-Based Training. Learn more at www.northernspeech.com/MBSImP.

Book at least 45 days prior to seminar.

Memorial Hospital receives a rate of
\$149 but the weekend rate may be lower.

Courtyard is 4 miles from hospital.



DAY ONE: Dr. Martin-Harris will combine state-of-the-art, 3-D animations with actual VFSS segments to teach participants to identify & score each of 17 critical components of swallowing.

DAY TWO: Participants will practice the scoring of physiologic function and impairment using video of varied swallow cases and learn the method of developing overall impression scores and treatment planning.

SEMINAR OBJECTIVES

At seminar conclusion, participants will be able to:

1. Describe in detail the physiologic components of oropharyngeal and esophageal swallowing function.
2. Identify in detail system interactions relevant to swallowing efficiency, airway protection, and nutrition.
3. Describe the relevance of standardized swallowing practice underlying the development of the MBSImP.
4. List and define standardized terms for describing MBS visual observations of the swallowing mechanism.
5. List the 17 physiologic swallowing components comprising the MBSImP.
6. Detail targets of evidence-based treatment from MBSImP scored profiles.
7. Participate in consensus and independent, guided practice in MBSImP scoring.
8. State the method for developing MBSImP Overall Impression Scores.
9. Translate MBSImP findings to targeted, evidence-based treatment.

SEMINAR OUTLINE

DAY ONE

- 7:30-7:55 **Check In and Onsite Registration (Coffee and Tea)**
- 7:55-8:00 General Seminar Information
- 8:00-9:00 Physiologic Foundation of Swallowing Function and Impairment
- 9:00-9:30 Overlapping Disorders of the Upper Aerodigestive Tract
- 9:30-9:45 **Break**
- 9:45-10:15 Overview and Rationale for the Development and Implementation of the MBSImP
- 10:15-11:45 Recognizing and Scoring the 17 Swallowing Components on the MBSImP
- 11:45-12:45 **Lunch on Own**
- 12:45-2:30 Recognizing and Scoring the 17 Swallowing Components on the MBSImP *Continued*
- 2:30-2:45 **Break**
- 2:45-4:00 Recognizing and Scoring the 17 Swallowing Components on the MBSImP *Continued*
- 4:00 **Adjourn and Sign Out**

DAY TWO

- 7:30-7:55 **Sign In (Coffee and Tea)**
- 7:55-8:00 General Seminar Information
- 8:00-11:30 Additional Practice Scoring Physiologic Function and Impairment with Audience Consensus To Determine Overall Impression Scores and Evidence-Based Treatments *(with a break at 9:30)*
- 11:30-12:00 National MBSImP Registry and Access To Patient Profiles
- 12:00 **Adjourn and Sign Out**

Intended Audience: Speech-Language Pathologists in clinical practice who evaluate and treat adults with dysphagia.



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This course is offered for 1.0 ASHA CEUs (Intermediate level, Professional area).

SPEAKER BIOGRAPHIES



JoAnne Robbins, PhD, CCC-SLP, BRS-S, is an internationally known researcher, lecturer, author and inventor. She is a Professor in the Department of Medicine in the University of Wisconsin School of Medicine and Public Health, and she also serves as Associate Director of Research for the Geriatric Research, Education, and Clinical Center (GRECC) at the William S. Middleton Memorial Veterans Hospital. Dr. Robbins has over 20 years of experience in treating dysphagic patients. Her work is known worldwide and published in numerous international and national peer-reviewed journals. She also is coauthor of the *Easy-To-Swallow, Easy-To-Chew Cookbook*.



Christine Sapienza, PhD, CCC-SLP, is an author, international lecturer, and researcher focusing on normal and disordered speech and voice production in adult and pediatric populations. She is a professor and Chair of the Department of Speech, Language and Hearing Sciences at the University of Florida at Gainesville. She is also a Research Career Scientist with the Brain Rehabilitation Research Center at the Malcom Randall VA in Gainesville. Dr. Sapienza is an ASHA Fellow and author of *Voice Disorders*. She received her degrees at the University of Buffalo, including her PhD in 1993.



Bonnie Martin-Harris, PhD, CCC-SLP, BRS-S, is an internationally renowned lecturer, researcher and clinician. She is the Founder and Director of the MUSC Evelyn Trammell Institute for Voice and Swallowing in Charleston, SC. Her latest research project was a rigorous, five-year MBS study testing whether a standard vernacular, protocol, evaluation measurement, and reporting method could be validly and reliably executed for the MBS. This study produced the *Modified Barium Swallowing Impairment Profile (MBSImP)*.



Cathy L. Lazarus, PhD, CCC-SLP, BRS-S, is one of the premier researchers in the field of Speech-Language Pathology. She has conducted extensive research and lectured internationally for over 20 years on swallowing disorders in the head and neck cancer population. She is faculty at NYU School of Medicine, as well as Director of Research for the Thyroid Head and Neck Research Center at Beth Israel Medical Center in New York City.



Ianessa Humbert, PhD, CCC-SLP, is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation at Johns Hopkins University in Baltimore, MD. She is an accomplished researcher, having studied the effects of electrical stimulation on hyolaryngeal movement in healthy and dysphagic adults. Dr. Humbert's current research focuses on swallowing neurophysiology and on Alzheimer's disease.



Kathy Panther, MS, CCC-SLP, has 25 years experience in the medical speech pathology environment and lectures nationally on dysphagia management. She was one of the first SLPs in the US to implement a free water protocol, having successfully managed thousands of dysphagia patients on free water since 1984. Ms. Panther is Director of Inpatient Rehab and Director of the Brain Injury and Stroke Rehab Programs at Frazier Rehab Institute in Louisville, KY.



Jennifer Brush, MA, CCC-SLP, is an internationally published researcher, educator, and long-term care consultant currently in practice in Northeast Ohio. Ms. Brush specializes in geriatric care, rehabilitation programming and interdisciplinary activity development for dementia. As a sought after speaker, she offers interactive and educational presentations that help audiences to bridge the gap between current research findings and the care needs of their clients and communities. Ms. Brush has first-hand applied research experience as she has served as the Principal Investigator on both government and private foundation grants. She is the co-author of *A Therapy Technique for Improving Memory: Spaced Retrieval*, and *Time Well Spent with the Older Adult*. She is the editor of *IDEAS for a Better Visit*, as well as the author of numerous articles related to cognitive disorders, memory loss, and dementia in the elderly.



Roxann Gross, PhD, CCC-SLP, BRS-S, is a leading expert, accomplished researcher, and frequently invited international lecturer on tracheostomy-dependent patients. Prior to becoming the Research Manager at The Children's Institute, she was the Director of the Swallowing Disorders Center at the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center as well as an Assistant Professor of Otolaryngology in the School of Medicine. She is now an adjunct assistant professor in the Department of Communication Science and Disorders at the University of Pittsburgh. She has published several scientific papers and clinical book chapters. Her primary area of research examines interactions between breathing and swallowing in individuals with indwelling tracheostomy tubes, neurologic impairments and respiratory disease.



Robert Arnold, SLP.D, CCC-SLP, is the Director of Swallow & Voice Rehabilitation for Restore Management Company, LLC in Pelham, Alabama. Dr. Arnold has over 20 years of experience in medical speech-language pathology including extensive experience counseling individuals with swallow & voice disorders. His dissertation entitled "The Effects of Counseling on Outcomes of Dysphagia Therapy" is presently in press with ProQuest and he is also the author of a self-study entitled "A Rational Self-Analysis Primer for Speech-Language Pathologists." In addition, Dr. Arnold is inventor of the Oromotor Dynamometer.

SEMINAR SCHEDULE

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