

Seminar Description

Seminar content will benefit Speech-Language Pathologists across the continuum of care, including SLPs who conduct MBS studies and SLPs who develop and execute treatment plans for dysphagic patients. Focus will be the adult population and participants do not need to conduct MBS studies to benefit from the content presented. Specific areas of focus will include:

Assessment. Discussed will be a standardized approach to assessment, one that focuses on specific physiologic impairment(s) and not solely on the presence or absence of aspiration. Presented will be 17 physiologic components necessary for the execution of normal swallowing and why each component should be assessed in all patients as part of a complete examination. A novel approach for classifying dysphagia severity using a combination of physiologic and patient oriented measures will be introduced.

Treatment. Next, this seminar will link the impaired physiologic components with evidence-based interventions to specifically target swallowing impairment. Case-based instruction will demonstrate the application of targeted interventions and treatment planning based on assessment outcomes in patients with dysphagia related to neurologic disorders, cancers of the head and neck, and pulmonary disease. Evidence-based interventions including demonstrations of visual feedback and training methods for strength training and respiratory swallowing coordination will be illustrated.

Outcomes. Formulation of appropriate treatment goals using the approach and association of impairment scores to overall dysphagia severity will be introduced. Participants will learn to apply and track the outcomes of treatments that target the physiologic components of swallowing toward optimization of function.

Prerequisite: Must have a degree in Speech-Language Pathology or be enrolled in a graduate SLP/CSD program.

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Speaker

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Dr. Martin-Harris is the author and developer of the first standardized method for videofluoroscopic assessment of swallowing impairment (Modified Barium Swallowing Impairment Profile, MBSImP™), translated to research and clinical practice in the United States, Canada and 13 additional countries. She is also author of the manual, “*Standardized Training In Swallowing Physiology—Evidence-Based Assessment Using The MBSImP Approach*” published by Northern Speech Services.

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Seminar Objectives

1. Identify the physiologic mechanisms of swallowing.
2. List the critical components of swallowing assessment and impairment.
3. Explain the coordination and optimal patterning between breathing and swallowing function.
4. Estimate the severity of swallowing impairment using MBSImP scores and patient oriented measures.
5. Develop targeted, evidence-based treatment plans including the establishment of measureable goals.
6. Reference the results of tested interventions that directly target cross-system interactions of the upper aerodigestive tract.
7. Summarize the importance of standardized training, assessment, outcome tracking, and reporting.

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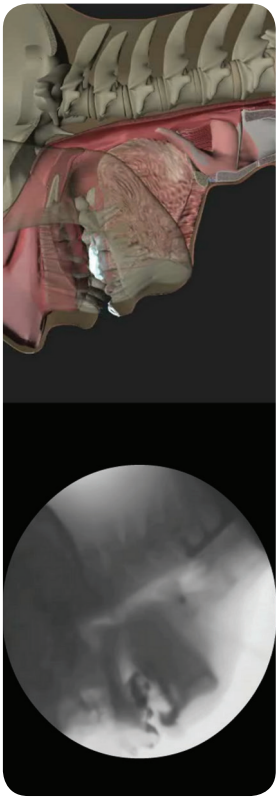
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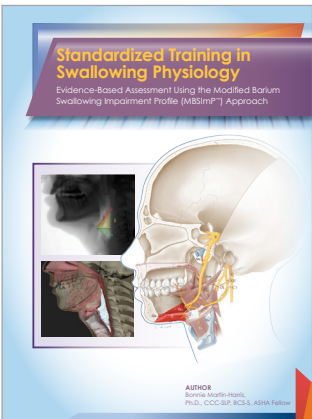
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This program is offered for 1.0 CEUs (Intermediate level; Professional area).

Seminar Outline

DAY ONE

7:30-7:50 Check In and Onsite Registration (Coffee and Tea)

8:00-9:30 A Place for Standardization in Individual Dysphagia Treatment

- Why Standardize?
- What Should Be Standardized?
- Supports Quantification of Treatment Effects
- Facilitates Outcome Measures & Accurate Prognosis
- Facilitates Discovery and Innovation

9:30-9:45 Break

9:45-11:45 Physiologic Foundation of Swallowing Function & Impairment

- The Swallowing Specialist
- Physiologic Components of Deglutition
- Respiration & Swallowing

11:45-12:45 Lunch on Own

12:45-2:30 Targeted Treatment: Front Line Tactics

- Translating Assessment Results to Physiologically Targeted Treatment
- Compensation, Adaptation, Strengthening, Agility
- Textures, Volumes, Postures, Maneuvers

2:30-2:45 Break

2:45-4:00 Targeted Treatment: Physiologic Mechanism

- Targeted Interventions for the Physiologic Components of Swallowing

4:00 Adjourn

DAY TWO

7:30-7:50 Sign In (Coffee and Tea)

8:00-9:30 Demonstration and Implementation of Assistive Technology

- Guided Visual, Auditory, and Tactile Feedback During Swallowing Retraining
- Respiratory-Swallowing Coordination and Training
- Effects on Airway Protection and Pharyngeal Clearance

9:30-9:45 Break

9:45-12:00 Case Studies: Neurologic Diseases, Head & Neck Cancer, Pulmonary Disease, Frail Elderly

- Training Paradigms & Goal Setting
- Standardized Reporting
- Progress and Outcome Measures

12:00 Adjourn, Sign Out and Certificate of Completion



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