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across a  
broad range of  
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A team  
with  
experience  
&  
expertise  
that  
visits  
Nursing  
Homes



# Assessment and management services provided for Nursing Homes and Residential Facilities

- Swallowing assessments
- Recommendations for appropriate texture modifications eg: thickened fluids
- Advice regarding transitions from enteral nutrition to oral intake
- Communication problems
  - Dysarthria (slurred speech)
  - Aphasia (comprehension and expressive language)
  - Dementia
- Hearing Aid problems
- Education and Inservice sessions for nursing and kitchen staff



## A Complete Speech Pathology service

Our team of speech pathologists provide a comprehensive assessment and treatment service for residents living in nursing homes and other residential facilities.

Residents are assessed and recommendations for their management will be made including positioning, diet modification and communication.

All recommendations are discussed with nursing staff and family members as required.

Formal inservices can also be delivered to nursing and kitchen staff.

### TYPICAL NURSING INSERVICE

#### TOPICS COVERED:

1. Normal swallow
2. Abnormal swallow
3. Indicators of aspiration and swallowing problems
4. What is a modified diet and thickened fluids and why are they recommended.
5. What is a videofluoroscopy and why are they used.
6. Communication strategies.

Duration: 1 hour  
Cost: \$100.00 plus GST

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