

# **Dysphagia Training**

#### **Aims**

This dysphagia training course aims to raise awareness and knowledge of dysphagia and common swallowing problems. The course will look at the common causes of swallowing difficulties and will how to help reduce the risk of choking.

# **Dysphagia Training Course Summary:**

Causes of dysphagia and common swallowing problems
The anatomy of swallowing
How to recognise when someone is having difficulty swallowing
Reducing risk of choking
Knowing when to escalate and refer to a specialist
Privacy, dignity and respect
Alternatives to oral feeding

### **Learning Outcomes**

On completion delegates will demonstrate a much improved awareness of the common causes of dysphagia. They will be able to identify when signs of people are having difficulties swallowing and the correct actions to take. They will understand their role and responsibilities when supporting clients suffering with dysphagia and swallowing difficulties

### **Duration**

This course lasts approximately 4 hours.

### Certification

Delegates will be issued with certificates of attendance valid for a period of 1 year.

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