

**ADULT SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY  
SWALLOWING CASE HISTORY ATTACHMENT**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe the swallowing problem: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_**Onset of swallowing problem:**  gradual  sudden  past few weeks  past few months  6 – 12 months  
 over \_\_\_ years**Has the problem changed over time?**  Improved  Gotten worse  Same**Have you received previous swallowing evaluations and/or treatment?**  NO  YES**If yes, list dates, name, location and phone number:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_**Please describe the consistency of foods and liquids you are currently eating:**

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|--|---|--|--------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Regular foods | <input type="checkbox"/> Cut up or soft foods | <input type="checkbox"/> Finely chopped      | <input type="checkbox"/> Puree |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Thin liquids  | <input type="checkbox"/> Nectar thick liquids | <input type="checkbox"/> Honey thick liquids |                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other         | _____   |  |                                |

**Do you have a feeding tube?**  No  Yes (date placed): \_\_\_\_\_**Amount/type of feeding per day:** \_\_\_\_\_**How do you take Medication?** \_\_\_\_\_**Have you had a recent weight loss?**  No  Yes \_\_\_ # of lbs. over \_\_\_ weeks/mos.**Describe your appetite:**  Good  Fair  Poor**Do you have dietary restrictions or have you eliminated any foods from your diet?** No  Yes (Please state restrictions) \_\_\_\_\_**Food Allergies**  No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_**Please describe any management strategies you are using to swallow your current diet:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_**Length of meal time:**  < 20 minutes  20 - 30 minutes  > 30 minutes**Do you require any assistance with your meals?**  NO  YES (describe) \_\_\_\_\_**Do you wear dentures?**  No  Yes Circle: Upper / Lower / Partial**What is your current physical status?**  Walk  Cane  Wheelchair**Can you support: your upper body?**  No  Yes **head?**  No  Yes**Please describe your voice:**  Normal  Hoarse  Breathy  Weak  No voice**Do you experience any of the following? (Check all that apply)**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Poor morning voice quality     | <input type="checkbox"/> Throat soreness or burning sensation not related to illness |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent throat clearing       | <input type="checkbox"/> Coughing episodes not related to illness/swallowing         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Increased phlegm in the throat | <input type="checkbox"/> Heartburn (If checked, how many times per week? ____)       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tastes repeating after meals   | <input type="checkbox"/> Feeling of a lump in the throat when swallowing             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Increased throat/mouth dryness | <input type="checkbox"/> Bad taste in the mouth (sour, acidic, metallic)             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent burping               | <input type="checkbox"/> Unpredictable/variable voice quality during the day         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Feeling of throat tightness    | <input type="checkbox"/> Increased coughing when lying down                          |

**Do you take any medication for reflux?**  No  Yes \_\_\_\_\_**Please write down any additional information you feel will help us understand your swallowing problem:**  
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\_\_\_\_\_Speech Pathologist's Notes: \_\_\_\_\_  
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