Dysphagia and Respiratory Concerns Following TBI

INTRODUCTION

This session explores evaluation and treatment of swallowing and breathing issues following traumatic brain injury. The speaker discusses how to account for deficits in cognition, self-regulation, and arousal as well as concomitant injuries necessitating prolonged mechanical ventilation, which add complexity to the clinical picture for this unique patient population.

This course is a recorded session from the 2020 online conference “Maximizing Functional Outcomes for Individuals With Traumatic Brain Injuries.”

LEARNING OUTCOMES

You will be able to:

- identify important factors to consider when developing dysphagia treatment plans for patients with TBI
- develop a list of other specialties/colleagues essential to maximizing success when evaluating and treating dysphagia, communication, and respiratory difficulties associated with TBI

PROGRAM HISTORY and IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Recording length: 69 minutes
Online conference dates: March 18–30, 2020; December 2–14, 2020
End date: March 18, 2025

To earn continuing education credit, you must complete the learning assessment on or before March 18, 2025.

This course is offered for 0.1 ASHA CEUs (Intermediate level, Professional area).