

SDX knows post-acute care, and we know aspiration doesn't always happen in the first 3 minutes. Because we offer endoscopy and not radiation like a modified barium swallow, SDX FEES can see how your patient eats over time, during the course of a meal. And no radiation means no barium, so your patient can eat & drink an entire meal during the exam. Our average FEES study lasts 12 minutes, providing information about the PRE- and POST-swallow deficits as well as the impact of fatigue...a necessity for patients with COPD, neurodegenerative disease, post-surgical weakness or debility following illness.



Since 1997, SDX Dysphagia Experts has been making dysphagia easier to swallow with a REALISTIC view.

WHY DO 300 FACILITIES ALREADY CHOOSE FEES WITH SDX?

- FAST SERVICE: WE AIM FOR SERVICE WITHIN 48 HOURS OF YOUR CALL.
- > ON-SITE TESTING: IF YOUR PATIENT EATS IN BED, WE CAN TEST THEM IN BED.
- ➤ WE CAN TEST ANY FOOD AND WE CAN TEST FOR FATIGUE AND STRATEGIES WITH BIOFEEDBACK PROVIDED TO IMPROVE CAREGIVER TRAINING & PATIENT OUTCOMES.
- ONLY A FEES CAN EVALUATE SECRETION MANAGEMENT.
- ESPECIALLY IF A PATIENT NEEDS A MODIFIED DIET, MEDICARE WANTS TO SEE THAT DIET INDIVIDUALIZED TO INLCUDE PERSONAL PREFERENCES. ONLY A FEES CAN PROVIDE UNLIMITED TRIALS OF FOOD, INLCUDING EVERYTHING FROM MIXED CONSISTENCIES TO NATURAL NECTARS, EVEN ICE CREAM, TO ENSURE A LEAST RESTRICTIVE DIET.
- ➤ <u>WITH EACH SDX FEES, YOU RECEIVE A REPORT IN PDF WITH COLOR IMAGES AND A VIDEO</u>

 RECORDING OF FEES FOOTAGE THROUGH SECURE CLOUD ACCESS.

MEET YOUR AREA SDX FEES SPECIALISTS

Andrew Christler, MA, CCC-SLP
Regional Director of Business Development

Andy joined the SDX Team in 2017 as an expert FEES instructor and scoper, leading SDX's growth & development throughout New York City and New Jersey. In addition to dysphagia, his areas of expertise include trach & voice. He is bilingual (Spanish) and was a professor in Bogota, Colombia.

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Yvonne Mennuti, MA, CCC-SLP
Senior FEES Specialist & Expert Trainer

Yvonne was recruited by SDX for her geriatric & dysphagia expertise following completion of her Clinical Fellowship in 2015. SDX FEES has flourished in Fairfield County, CT under Yvonne's leadership & she embraces her growing territory in NY, servicing facilities in Long Island and the Hudson Valley.

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