

ABOUT THE PRESENTERS

J. Paul Willging, MD is Professor of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery at the University of Cincinnati Medical Center. He is Director of: Clinical Operations for the Division of Pediatric Otolaryngology at Cincinnati Children's Hospital; Interdisciplinary Feeding Team; Pediatric Otolaryngology Fellowship Training Program.

Daniel Benscoter, MD is an Associate Professor in the Division of Pediatric Pulmonary Medicine at Cincinnati Children's and Director of the Transitional Care Center (TCC) at CCHMC. He is a member of the Aerodigestive physician team.

Vincent Mukkada, MD is an Associate Professor in the Division of Gastroenterology, Hepatology, & Nutrition at Cincinnati Children's. He is a GI physician on the Interdisciplinary Feeding Team.

Claire Kane Miller, PhD, MHA, CCC-SLP is the Program Director of the Aerodigestive Center/Interdisciplinary Feeding Team at CCHMC and holds a position in the Division of Speech-Language Pathology at CCHMC. Her clinical expertise is in the management of feeding and swallowing issues in pediatric patients with structural and neurological deficits.

Brenda Thompson, MA, CCC-SLP is the clinical manager of the Speech Pathology Inpatient Team at Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center. She has a special expertise in the evaluation and management of infants in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU).

Debbie Dorr, MA, CCC-SLP is a staff speech pathologist and member of the Interdisciplinary Feeding Team and the FEES clinic staff. Her clinical expertise is in the area of pediatric dysphagia.

Karen Rizzo, MA, CCC-SLP is a staff speech pathologist and member of both the FEES Clinic and Interdisciplinary Feeding Team. She has a special interest and expertise in clinical evaluation and management of pediatric dysphagia.

Sarah Kaskie, MA, CCC-SLP is a staff speech pathologist participating in the Tube Weaning and FEES clinic. She has a special interest in infants and toddlers with complex feeding issues.

CONFERENCE FEE

Early Registration by: September 15, 2022	\$475.00
Registration after September 15:	\$500.00
Registration Deadline: October 1, 2022	

Tuition includes continental breakfast and lunch, course handouts, pediatric dysphagia textbook, CEUs, certificates of course attendance, and a networking reception on Day 1.

Directions to the conference rooms and hotel options will be sent with e-mail confirmation of registration.

ON-LINE REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

Click on the following to register : <https://cchmc.cloud-me.com/course/courseoverview?P=0&EID=40923>

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Hotel Block will be held at the Graduate Cincinnati Hotel, 151 Goodman Drive, Cincinnati Ohio 45219

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Pediatric Dysphagia Series:

Instrumental Evaluation of
Pediatric Dysphagia: Pediatric
Flexible
Endoscopic Evaluation of
Swallowing (FEES)

October 8 & 9, 2022

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COURSE DESCRIPTION

The focus of this course will be upon the use of instrumentation in the assessment and management of pediatric dysphagia. Protocols for the use and interpretation of Fiberoptic Endoscopic Evaluation of Swallowing (FEES) and videofluoroscopic evaluation of swallowing (VSS) will be presented. The application of other diagnostic measures such as impedance and manometry will be presented.

LEARNER OUTCOMES

Upon completion of this seminar, the participants will be able to:

- Describe the protocols used in pediatric fiberoptic endoscopic and videofluoroscopic swallowing assessments and the application of each study in special populations such as breastfeeding infants, protocol in the neonatal intensive care unit, and other medically fragile infants and children
- Describe the equipment components needed for instrumental assessment of FEES
- Identify clinical indications for instrumental assessments of swallowing.
- Explain how to implement the use of pediatric FEES in the clinical setting
- Discuss the effects of chronic aspiration on overall pulmonary status.
- Differentiate advantages and disadvantages associated with instrumental assessments of swallowing.
- Discuss the range of instrumental assessments available for evaluation of pediatric dysphagia.
- Identify normal and abnormal swallowing dynamics viewed endoscopically
- Describe available methodology for assessment of aspiration.
- Recognize and identify anatomical landmarks and key structures in the upper aerodigestive tract.

DAY 1

Saturday October 8, 2022

7:45 – 8:15	Registration, sign-in, Continental Breakfast
8:15 – 8:30	Welcome, Course Objectives and Introduction of Speakers – Dr. J. Paul Willging
8:30 – 9:30	Overview of the comprehensive Aerodigestive Diagnostic Assessment, and the Role of Instrumental Swallowing Assessment – Dr. J. Paul Willging/CK Miller, PhD
9:30 – 10:15	History of Pediatric FEES, Roles on the FEES Team at CCHMC, Claire Miller, PhD/ J. Paul Willging, MD, Faculty
10:15 – 10:30	BREAK
10:30 – 11:00	CCHMC FEES Protocols: NICU protocol, medically fragile patients, breastfeeding protocol
11:00 – 11:30	Anatomy, Endoscopic View of Normal/Abnormal
11:30 – 12:00	Interpretation of Swallowing Dynamics
12:00 – 1:00	LUNCH (PROVIDED)
1:00 – 1:45	Updates and Considerations from the Gastroenterology Perspective -Vincent Mukkada, MD
1:45 – 2:00	Questions/Discussion
2:00 – 2:30	Introduction to equipment logistics, tips/tricks, break into small groups for “hands-on activities with handling the scope and conducting FEES procedures – J. Paul Willging, MD
2:30 – 2:45	BREAK
2:45 – 5:00	Re-convene in Location C, Fees Clinic for hands-on Practice; Passing the Scope; Swallowing Workstation Measures, Facility Tour to Include Sterilization Area and Storage Area for Equipment - Faculty
5:00 – 5:15	Questions, Answers and Adjourn
5:15 – 5:30	Break
5:30 – 6:30	Networking Reception (Room D2.23)

DAY 2

Sunday, October 9, 2022

8:00 – 8:30	Continental breakfast
8:30 – 9:30	Clinical Presentation and Identification of Aspiration; Medical Management, Dan Benscoter, MD
9:30 – 10:30	Interpretation of the FEES Exam, Cases J. Paul Willging, MD/Claire Miller, PhD/Sarah Kaskie, MA, CCC-SLP/Debbie Dorr, MA, CCC-SLP
10:30 – 10:45	BREAK
10:45 – 11:45	Role of FEES in the NICU and with Medically Fragile Patients
11:45 – 12:00	Questions, Answers and Review
12:00 – 1:00	LUNCH (PROVIDED)
1:00 – 2:00	Continue Case Interpretation/Comparing and Contrasting Videofluoroscopy and FEES – Faculty
2:00 – 3:00	Integration of High Resolution Pharyngeal Manometry (HPRM) in the Pediatric FEES Clinic J. Paul Willging, MD, Claire Miller, PhD
3:00 – 3:15	BREAK
3:15 – 4:15	Putting It All Together: Setting up a FEES Clinic, Scope Care, Identifying a Mentor J. Paul Willging, MD & faculty
4:15 – 4:30	Questions, Course Evaluation, Adjourn



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