

Summary

A multidisciplinary, blended, multi-centred university postgraduate diploma. Offers advanced training in the specific area of oropharyngeal dysphagia, including **practice** with clinical cases during **3 weeks**.

Designed and approved by ESSD. The course is offered by the Autonomous University of Barcelona, but may also be offered by the University of Rouen in France and the University of Milan in Italy in the future.

2 parallel courses in Spain

Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona (UAB), España.

1. 100% English
2. 75% Spanish, 25% English

Enrolment fees

Fees are 3.500€.
Scholarships and grants are offered.

Info and applications:

postgraduateswallowingdisorders.com

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Postgraduate
Diploma on
Swallowing
Disorders

October 2017 – May 2018

Multidisciplinary,
International,
Blended Course, 57 ECTs

(Online course + 4 on-site weeks)
Includes 3 weeks of practice in a hospital

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Target students

Multidisciplinary personnel in all fields dealing with oropharyngeal dysphagia: radiology, ENT, SLP, neurology, nursing, dietetics and nutrition, physiotherapy, rehabilitation and geriatrics, etc. A minimum level of English is required: B2-C1 in the Common European Framework of Reference.

Course content

MODULES		ECTS
1	Basic theoretical knowledge of swallowing across the lifespan	6
2	Basic clinical knowledge of dysphagia across the lifespan	9
3	Screening and assessment of OD 1: Clinical, non-instrumental	9
4	Screening and assessment of OD 2: Instrumental exploration	9
5	Active and passive treatments	9
6	Critical evaluation of research literature on dysphagia	9
7	Recognition of roles and expertise of multidisciplinary team members	6

Course coordinators

Pere Clavé (Spain), Antonio Schindler (Italy), Renée Speyer (the Netherlands), Eric Verin (France), Margaret Walshe (Ireland), Virginie Woisard (France)

Academic calendar

Application period starts on May 1st 2017.

Dates	Activity	Modality	Schedule
02/10/2017 09/02/2018	Modules 1-5	Online	Open, with a weekly schedule
12/02/2018 02/03/2018	Practice, classes and final exams	On-site at Mataró Hospital (Spain)	Monday-Friday 8:30 – 17:00
05/03/2018 18/05/2018	Modules 6 & 7	Online	Open, with a weekly schedule
21/05/2018 25/05/2018	Final exams and classes	On-site in Barcelona	8:30 – 17:00

Places

A minimum number of students is required to run the course. The maximum number of places available for each version is 30.