<https://www.e-lfh.org.uk/programmes/dysphagiaguide/>

This webpage provides an overview of the HEE Dysphagia Guide eLearning and its relevance to health and social care staff.

Module 1 ‘Essentials’ and the relevant sections of module 3 ‘Food’ are advised for any staff role - you may find the other sessions helpful and the matrix below, produced by ELHT Speech & Language Therapy service, is a guide on how managers can prioritise staff learning time.

Click ‘view’ or ‘register’ in the ‘how to access’ section at the bottom of this page to enter the training modules. Registration is advised if care homes wish to track progress of staff. However, you do not need to register to access the training.

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| **Module** | Kitchen/Catering Staff | Health Care Assistants/Carers | Registered Nurses | Dysphagia Champions | Home Managers |
| 1) Essentials | Priority | Priority | Priority | Priority | Priority |
| 2) Training and Resources | Priority | Priority | Optional | Priority | Advised |
| 3) Food | Priority (relevant sections) | Advised (relevant sections) | Optional | Priority (relevant sections) |  |
| 4) Quality and Safety |  |  | Optional | Priority | Advised |
| 5) Workforce |  |  |  |  | Priority |
| 6) Assessment  *a) Health and Care Staff* |  | Advised | Advised | Priority | Optional |
| 6) Assessment  *b) Cooks and Catering Staff* | Priority |  |  | Optional |  |
| 7) Dysphagia and Medicines |  |  | Advised | Priority | Optional |

**Other links** <https://communication-access.co.uk> eLearning for communication - to promote awareness of communication impairments and strategies