Evaluation of Swallow Function

Patient ID: _____ Diagnosis: _____

Patient/Family/Staff report: _____

Signs and symptoms
☐↓ lip closure
☐Abnormal chewing
☐↓ AP transit
☐Pocketing/Holding
☐Premature spillage
☐↓ tongue base retraction
☐Stasis/Coating
☐Delayed swallow trigger
☐Piecemeal deglutition
☐Oral/Nasal regurgitation
☐↓ hyoid-thyroid approximation
☐↓ hyoid protraction
☐↓ laryngeal elevation
☐Penetration
☐Aspiration
☐↓ pharyngeal squeeze
☐Vallecular pooling
☐Pyriform pooling
☐Vallecular residuals
☐Pyriform residuals
☐↓ UES opening
☐Cricopharyngeal bar
☐Esophago-pharyngeal reflux
☐↓ LES opening
☐Esophageal stasis/dysmotility
☐Gastroesophageal reflux
☐↓ coordination

Dysfunction
☐↓ lip closure (lip seal)
☐↓ cheek tone
☐↓ chewing
☐↓ tongue movement
☐↓ tongue base retraction
☐↓ VP closure
☐↓ hyolaryngeal excursion
☐↓ airway protection
☐↓ pharyngeal contraction
☐↓ UES opening/closure
☐↓ esophageal motility

Impaired muscle groups	Weak	Stiff	Neuro
☐Oropharyngeal “sling”			
☐In- & Extrinsics tongue			
☐Velopharyngeal muscles			
☐Hyolaryngeal excursion muscles			
☐Laryngeal intrinsics			
☐Pharyngeal constrictors			
☐UES			

Electrode placement
☐1
☐2a
☐2b
☐3a
☐3b
☐4a
☐4b

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