The Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders invites you to attend the George Kopp Memorial Lecture

**The Vulnerable Elderly Patient with Dysphagia: Assessment and Management**

Presenters

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and

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**Wayne State University**
Oakland Center Auditorium
33737 West 12 Mile Road
Farmington Hills, MI 48331

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The intended audience is speech-language pathologists.
AGENDA

8:30-9 a.m. Registration
9-10 a.m. The Feal Elder and Failure to Thrive (FTT)
10:30-10:45 a.m. Break
10:45-noon Ethics and Intervention Considerations
Noon-1 p.m. Lunch
1-2:30 p.m. FEES and Modified Barium Swallow (MBS) for Fragile Patients
2:30-2:45 p.m. Break
2:45-3 p.m. Comprehensive Multidisciplinary Management and Dysphagia Case Review

LEARNER OUTCOMES

Participants will be able to:
- Explain the natural physiological course of life-ending illness
- Describe the efficacy of artificial nutrition and hydration in the critically ill
- Discuss the use of quality-of-life measures in end-of-life decision making
- Describe salient medical and clinical elements of case studies of medically fragile patients with dysphagia
- Discuss ethical and value-driven dimensions of the same cases.

DIRECTIONS

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From the northwest: Take US 23 south to I-96 east; which becomes I-696; take exit 5 (Orchard Lake Road) and turn left (north); follow the rest of the directions above.

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From the west: Take I-96 east, which becomes I-696; take exit 5 (Orchard Lake Road) and turn left (north); go 500 feet to 12 Mile; turn left (west) and go 1.4 miles to Oakland Center, which is on the left.

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Paula A. Sullivan, MS, CCC-SLP, BBS-S, is chief of Audiology and Speech Pathology at the William S. Middleton Memorial Veterans Hospital in Madison, Wisconsin. In addition, Sullivan is a clinical instructor in the Division of Otolaryngology and is an adjunct instructor in the Department of Communicative Disorders at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. Sullivan has more than 25 years of experience as an SLP. She has focused her clinical and research efforts on swallowing disorders in geriatrics and in individuals with head and neck cancer. Sullivan has been appointed to a Veterans Health Administration task force charged with making recommendations and developing national policy pursuant to the Office of the Inspector General’s Report on Feeding and Swallowing. She is co-author of Swallowing Intervention in Oncology and Easy-to-Swallow, Easy-to-Chew Cookbook. Sullivan is the former coordinator of ASHA’s Division 13, Swallowing and Swallowing Disorders. She is an ASHA fellow.