

Feeding Therapy: A Sensory-Motor Approach

Presented by Lori Overland, MS, CCC-SLP

Do you know a PICKY EATER? Lori will show you a step-by-step approach to teach your most challenging clients tolerance of touch, enabling them to learn to eat and develop appropriate oral-motor movements. Day 1 focuses on promoting acceptance of touch for therapeutic feeding and oral stimulation and movement. Her techniques incorporate a variety of temperatures, textures and tastes. Day 2 features hands-on learning of techniques for spoon feeding, straw drinking and chewing solid foods. Leave this workshop with therapeutic feeding techniques you can use with confidence the next day.

1.2 ASHA / AOTA CEUs (intermediate level; professional area)

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Identify and define the developmental acquisition of feeding skills.
- Identify individual oral-phase feeding deficiencies.
- List at least four goals of a therapist administered oral-motor feeding program.
- Explain the benefits of improved oral movement in cases of oral-phase feeding deficiencies.

Speaker Information

Lori Overland, MS, CCC-SLP has more than 25 years of professional experience and has been in private practice for over 20 years. She specializes in dealing with the unique needs of infants, toddlers, pre-schoolers and school age children, incorporating oral-motor techniques into feeding and speech therapy. She is a member of TalkTool's speakers bureau and has a private practice in Norwalk, Connecticut. She holds degrees from Hofstra University and Adelphi University and is currently completing her doctoral dissertation at Adelphi University.



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Agenda

Day 1 8:30am-12:30pm

1. Introduction and Course Overview
2. Conceptual Overview of Therapeutic Feeding
 - A. Defining Populations
 - B. Medical Concerns
 - C. Nutritional Concerns
 - D. Oral-Motor Concerns
3. Development of Feeding Skills Birth-36 months
4. Sensory Integration in the Mouth

1:30pm-4:00pm

5. Sensory Practicum
6. Assessment
7. Demonstration of Feeding Assessment or Taped Assessments

Day 2 8:30am-12:30pm

1. Pre-Feeding Considerations/Preparing the Oral Mechanism
2. Planning a Program
3. Demonstration of Therapist Appropriate Feeding Techniques

1:30pm-4:00pm

4. Discussion of Practical Applications of Techniques for Therapists
 - A. Infant Feeding Techniques
 - B. Introduction to Spoon Feeding
 - C. Solid Foods
 - D. Cup Drinking
 - E. Straw Drinking
5. Discussion/Questions

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