

Do you have problems with swallowing and memory? Please join our study!

What is this study about?

People with swallowing problems often have weak tongues and/or dry mouths. We are studying which treatments are best for people who have trouble swallowing AND have memory issues, like dementia.



What will you and your caregiver do in this study?

| What | Where | When | Payment at end of study |
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| Visit I Patient – tests Caregiver – questionnaires | UW Hospital* | Beginning of study | Patient - \$50 Caregiver - \$50 |
| Treatment activities | Your home | Up to 90 min. weekly | |
| 4 Check-in phone calls I Mailed forms to fill out | Your home | Calls once/week Forms once at end | \$5 per call (\$20 total) each for Patient and Caregiver |
| Visit 2 Patient – tests Caregiver –questionnaires | UW Hospital* | End of study (8 weeks later) | Patient - \$50 Caregiver - \$50 |

*Visits to UW Hospital will coordinate with regular care appointments scheduled by your doctor.

Total Payment

Patient: up to \$125

Caregiver: up to \$125



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If you are interested in participating in this study, please contact **the Swallow Lab**,

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