The Fiberoptic Endoscopic Evaluation of Swallowing (FEES) was developed by Prof. Susan Langmore in 1991. Alongside the modified barium swallow (MBS) or videofluoroscopy swallow (VFS) study, FEES has become a globally recognized gold standard for evaluating oropharyngeal dysphagia and for assessing swallowing function.

This course is certified according to the German Society of Geriatrics (DDG) and the German Society of Neurology (DGN) and the guidelines of the Royal College of Speech and Language Therapists (RCSLT) and the guidelines of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA). The use of FEES in Neuromotor Dysphagia is the focus of this course. Physicians and speech and language therapists (SLT) will receive 15.75 hrs of lectures and acquire 6.25 hrs of practice. The lecture component covers neurophysiology, neuropsychology, indications, scoring, interpretation, and use of orientation for treatment of neurogenic dysphagia. In the hands-on component participants will pass the scope at least ten times under the guidance of multiple highly trained mentors. A range of FEES systems will be used to allow participants to test reduced types of equipment.

Target audience & pre-conditions
Neurologists or clinicians with an interest in this field are invited to attend. It offers SLTs in particular the opportunity to acquire qualifications in the area of instrumental dysphagia assessment and to expand their knowledge and skills.

To qualify for the FEESfor2 certificate, applicants should have two years of clinical practice with neurological patients. Three months of this period should have been completed in a neurological department. These are not requirements for attending the course without DGN certification but would be an advantage.

Directions
Hospital zum Heiligen Geist
Kempener Akademische Lehrklinik
der Universität Düsseldorf
Von-Brockhausen-allee 1
47906 Kempen

By rail: There are direct trains from Düsseldorf main station (HSF) (57 mins) and Krefeld (11 min) to Kempen (Niederneuendorf) Station. From Kempen station, you may take the 066 Bus directly to the hospital "Krankenhaus" (5 min) or you may choose to walk (15 mins).

By car from the motorway (A4)
from the North/Neast:
Take the exit signed "Kempen". Continue straight following signs for Kempen. Continue straight through Kempen. At the inner ring road follow the signs to the hospital and turn right (Ludwig-Jahn-Ufer). You will reach the hospital after 300 m.

By car from the South-East via the A44
Take the exit "Münchenhede", then turn towards Kempen. Continue straight through Kempen. At the inner ring road follow the signs to the hospital and turn right (Ludwig-Jahn-Ufer). You will reach the hospital after 300 m.

Contact Details/Registration
Please fill in the registration form of the flyer and send it as a pdf by email to:
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- Dr. med. Peter Mitter, Gerontopsychiater, Klinik für Psychiatrie und Geriatrie, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München, Germany
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Registration fees:
- Early Bird: Prior to September 19, 2016: €650.00
- After September 19, 2016: €750.00 (Please email your conference confirmation to: service@krankenhaus-kamen.de)

Cancellation Policy:
Prior to 15.09.16: 100% of the registration fees will be refunded. No refunds will be issued after 15.9.16. You may transfer your registration to another person at no additional cost and at any time. Please see section “Contact & Enquiries”.

Payments:
All payments have to be settled in Euro (€). The full payment of the course fee must be credited to the account given below. The reservation of the course is not valid until the full payment of the course fee has been received. Please note that for technical and financial reasons we don’t accept credit card payments nor payments made by bank cheque.

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Foundation Knowledge

The Langmore FEES Protocol

Day 3: Saturday, 22.10.2016
Treatment Planning & Complex Cases

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Registration
I hereby submit my funding registration for the FEES seminar "Neuromotor Dysphagia" from 20.10.2016 – 22.10.2016