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Having a Video Swallow



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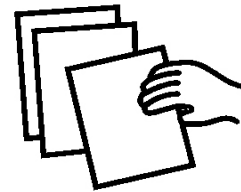
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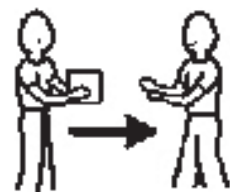


You are coming for a video swallow.

At the main reception someone can show you the way to the x-ray department.



You should have a card or letter to bring with you.



Give your card or letter to the receptionist.



You can sit in the waiting room until it is your turn.



Shelley eating a biscuit for her x-ray



You will be asked to swallow some white liquid.



They will take some x-rays while you are swallowing it.

You might be asked to eat some yoghurt and a biscuit too.



It will take around 15 minutes.







You can discuss your results with the Speech Therapist before you go.



Shelley at reception



	You can put an apron on to protect your clothes from any spills.
	You will be asked to sit on a platform which is attached to the x-ray machine.
	It is just like having your picture taken.
	It does not hurt.
	You should try and stay as still as you can.



Shelley having an x-ray