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# Signs to monitor for progressive dysphagia

...and likely to need a **high priority referral** to SLT via HUB by emailing:

[integratedhub@berkshire.nhs.uk](mailto:integratedhub@berkshire.nhs.uk)

- Increased and consistent coughing when eating/drinking that results in eye-watering, shortness of breath or changes to skin colour
- Choking episodes (full or partial obstruction of the airway resulting in inability to speak, cough or breathe)
- Recurrent unexplained chest infections

