## **RESEARCH STUDY**

## SPEECH PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY DEPARTMENT CALVIN COLLEGE

Hello!

Are you interested in participating in a research study that examines the strength and mobility of the tongue and jaw and their role in swallowing?

You may be qualified to participate in this study if

- You are either 18 to 40 years, 41 to 60 years, or 61-80 years old
- You have had no difficulty swallowing food and/or liquids
- You have had no neurological, head and neck impairments or injury
- You have no gastrointestinal disorders that affect your swallowing
- You are not undergoing treatments or taking medication that affect swallowing function

**Participation in this study** will be completed in **one session** that will extend for approximately **1.5 hours.** If you are interested in participating, please use the contact information provided below and more information will be send to you.

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Thank you for your interest in this research study!