

## What is a Videofluoroscopy?



A Videofluoroscopy is a moving **X-ray**.



It looks at how you **swallow** when you **eat** and **drink**.



X-rays are carried out at the **hospital**.



Having an X-ray is like having a **photograph** taken.

An X-ray takes pictures of **inside your body**.

## **Who will be there?**



**Some Speech and Language Therapists.**



**A Radiographer – a person who takes X-rays.**



**Your family member, friend or carer.**

## What will happen?



At the hospital, you will tell **reception** who you are.



You will **wait** in the waiting area.



You will go into the room with the **X-ray** Machine.



You will **sit** on the chair.



A Speech and Language Therapist will give you things to **eat** or **drink**.



While you are eating or drinking, the Radiographer will take an **X-ray** of your swallow.

It will not hurt.



Afterwards, a Speech and Language Therapist will **talk** to you and your family member, friend or carer about your **X-ray**.



You can then leave.