

10/15/2020

To All DDW Providers

We are happy to announce the SAFE Clinic dates for 2021. Two appointments are planned for each Clinic date. The morning session begins at 9 am and the afternoon session starts at 1:30 pm.

The SAFE Clinic serves adults (18 and over) with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) who are experiencing challenges related to oral eating and/or tube feeding.

The SAFE clinic team consists of a physician, SLP, PT and RD. An OT and/or Behavioral expert may be added to the team based on the person's needs. The SAFE Team provides *free* eating, tube feeding, nutritional and clinical assessments and provides recommendations to support health, safety and independence. SAFE Clinic focuses on aspiration risk management support and development of specific strategies to assist with:

- Oral-motor function and swallowing
- Positioning
- Nutrition and overall health.

The 2021 dates for the SAFE Clinic are:

- 1/22/21
- 2/19/21
- 3/12/21
- 4/16/21
- 5/21/21
- 6/4/21
- 6/25/21
- 8/13/21
- 9/17/21
- 10/15/21
- 11/5/21
- 12/3/21

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