



CIRG News

IDDSI is widely recognized as the best practice for evaluating food and fluids for individuals with dysphagia. Within Canada we are seeing a consistent increase in the number of organizations accepting and implementing IDDSI as best practice. The Canadian IDDSI Reference Group (CIRG) is the advocacy organization that encourages IDDSI adoption through education and support for potential implementers of IDDSI. CIRG also continues to foster relationships with food and drink manufacturers to work on making products that meet IDDSI standards.

IDDSI Mentoring Moments

Special Virtual Program! CIRG is offering an IDDSI implementation/transition mentoring course, starting on January 16, 2023. This course is called IDDSI Mentoring Moments which will guide participants through a two-phase IDDSI transition over six sessions. Each session includes:

- 30 minutes of theory and workbook review
- 30 minutes of practical instruction/homework assignment review
- 30 minutes of group discussion/mentorship

Limited space available. Register today to secure your spot or to be placed on a waiting list. Register [here](#).

IDDSI Funnel Survey Still Available & Awaiting Your Response

We are all eagerly awaiting the official release of the new IDDSI funnel. Not only was this product developed specifically for the IDDSI flow test, but it is completely reusable making it incredibly affordable in terms of cost per use. If you are interested in purchasing funnels, we ask that you answer our survey [here](#).

To join the Canada IDDSI mailing list, email CIRG at canada@iddsi.net.



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