## **Current Research Projects**

In collaboration with Julie Theurer (Assistant Professor, Western University) and Dr. David Palma (Radiation Oncologist, LHSC), LHSC Speech-Language Pathologists, Meaghan Prouse, Colleen Dreyer, Kendra Thouless and Sarah Hawkins are participating in a multicentre randomized clinical trial (known as PROACTIVE) examining the effectiveness of pro-active vs. re-active swallowing therapy for individuals receiving radiotherapy for head and neck cancer. This trial is poised to provide practice-shaping evidence for speech-language pathology in this patient population worldwide.