Enteral Nutrition Ordering, Documenting and Reviewing



Digital Health Quick Reference Guide

This Quick Reference Guide will explain how to:

- Ordering communication of feeding regimen
- Order Enteral Feeds
- Documentation of Enteral Nutrition
- Reviewing Enteral Nutrition



Important

• The enteral feeding order communicates the recommended feeding regimen. Feeding should not be commenced until advised by the Medical Officer

Communicating tube position and safety of feed commencement - Medical Officer

- 1. An Enteral Feeding Communication order will be placed by a Medical Officer to communicate that a newly inserted nasogastric tube (NGT) or repositioned gastrointestinal tube (GIT) can be safely used for feeds.
 - From the Table of Contents (TOC) select Orders and Referral
 - Click on +Add
 - In the search field type in Enteral and select **Enteral Feeding** Communication and select the patients most appropriate enteral feeding status
 - o Tube not in Position Withhold Feeds
 - o Tube Position Confirmed Ready for Use
 - Tube Position Confirmed Withhold Feeds
 - This will display in the New Results/Orders Notification on Care Compass

Ordering Enteral Feeds - Dietitian

1. Document the full assessment and details of the planned regimen in the Nutrition Assessment or Progress powerform

- 2. From the Table of Contents (TOC) select Orders and Referral
 - Click on +Add
 - In the search field type in Enteral and select the appropriate enteral regimen



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- 3. In the details window at the bottom complete required fields
 - Sign and Submit the orders once complete
 - Refresh the page
 - This will display on the **Activities page** on Care Compass under PRN / Continuous indicating the feeds can commence, along with the regimen details e.g. Enteral Nutrition Adult Continuous
- 4. To change the enteral regimen the order must be cancelled and reordered
 - Locate the current enteral regimen in Orders and Referrals
 - Right click and select Cancel/Reorder
 - In the details window at the bottom complete updated fields
 - Sign and Submit the order once complete
 - Refresh the page
- 5. When feeds are no longer required, select the order and cancel/DC

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Enteral Nutrition out of Hours Gastric feeding (NG, PEG, RIG) - Nursing

- If the enteral feed are being commenced out of hours before a regimen is provided, the Enteral Nutrition-out of hours Gastric Feeding regimen must be ordered and the regimen followed as per procedure OP-GC3- Adult Enteral Feeding
 - From the Table of Contents (TOC) select Orders and Referral
 - Click on +Add
 - In the search field type in Enteral and select Enteral and select the Enteral Nutrition out of Hours Gastric feeding order
 - In the details window at the bottom complete relevant information:
 - Tube Feeding Route



- 2. A **Diet Order** also needs to be ordered
 - In the search field type in **Diet Order**
 - In the details window at the bottom select **Nil By Mouth Enteral from the Dietary Modifiers 1** (this is so the kitchen can supply the appropriate Feed)
- 3. A Dietitian Referral needs to be ordered
 - In the search field type in Dietitian Referral
 - In the details window at the bottom complete the required information (this must be completed if feeds are commenced after hours with no regimen in place)
 - Sign and Submit the orders once complete
 - Refresh the page





Documentation – Nursing

If an NGT has been inserted and the position has been confirmed on X-Ray, an **Enteral Feeding Communication** order will be present on the **Activities page** on Care Compass under PRN / Continuous indicating the feeds can commence, along with the regimen details e.g. Enteral Nutrition Adult Continuous

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 - Select the Nutrition-Diet-Enteral Care Band
 - Select the Gastrointestinal Tubes section, click on the Dynamic Group icon to complete the Gastrointestinal Tube Label
 - Click OK
 - Complete all relevant documentation of the Gastrointestinal Tube and sign (Green Tick)
- 2. Select the Enteral Feeding section
 - Document:
 - Commencement of enteral feeding
 - Changes of feed type
 - Rate and Enteral tube intake

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- 3. Select Tube Flush section
 - Record any tube flush activities

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- 4. Select the Fluid Balance Band
 - Input and Output from the enteral feed can be viewed on the Fluid Balance Chart

Reviewing the tube status, assessments and enteral administration documentation

- 1. From the Table of Contents (TOC) select Results Review
 - Click on the Assessment and Procedures Tab
 - Documented clinical information for enteral feeding can be viewed here

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