Infusions – Documenting Nasogastric Rehydration in Paediatrics (Nursing)

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This Quick Reference Guide will explain how to:

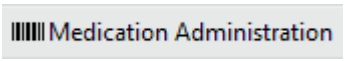
Document administration of nasogastric rehydration solution for management of dehydration in paediatric patients.

Documenting administration of electrolyte replacement for enteral infusions (Nursing)

Handy Hint – Enteral feeding tube documentation

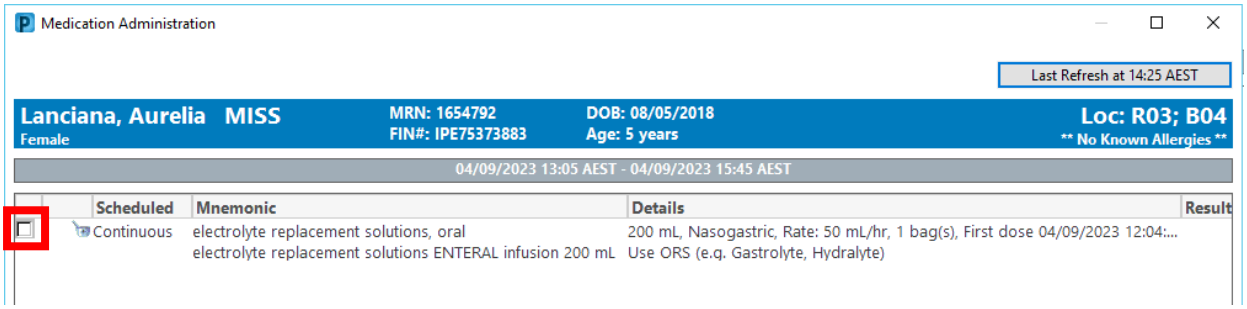
Ensure that the patient's enteral feeding tube is already documented in iView.

Refer to the *Enteral Nutrition Ordering, Documenting and Reviewing* QRG for further information.

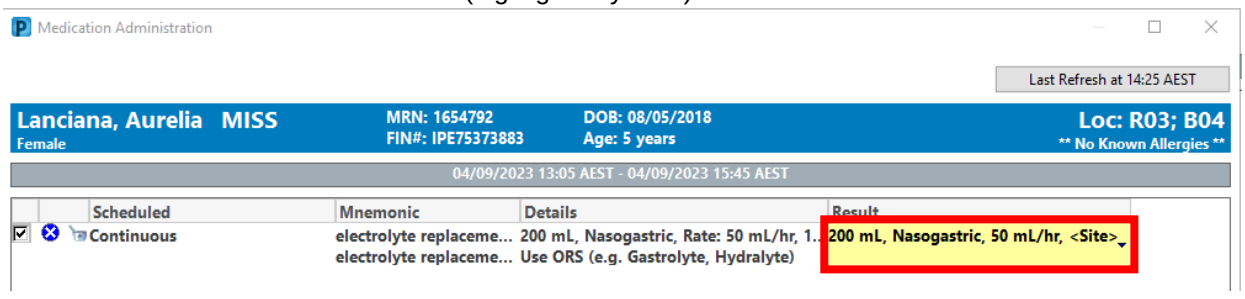
1. Launch the **Medication Administration Wizard** 

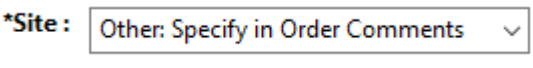
2. Scan the patient's wristband

3. Tick the box for the electrolyte replacement solutions ENTERAL infusion order



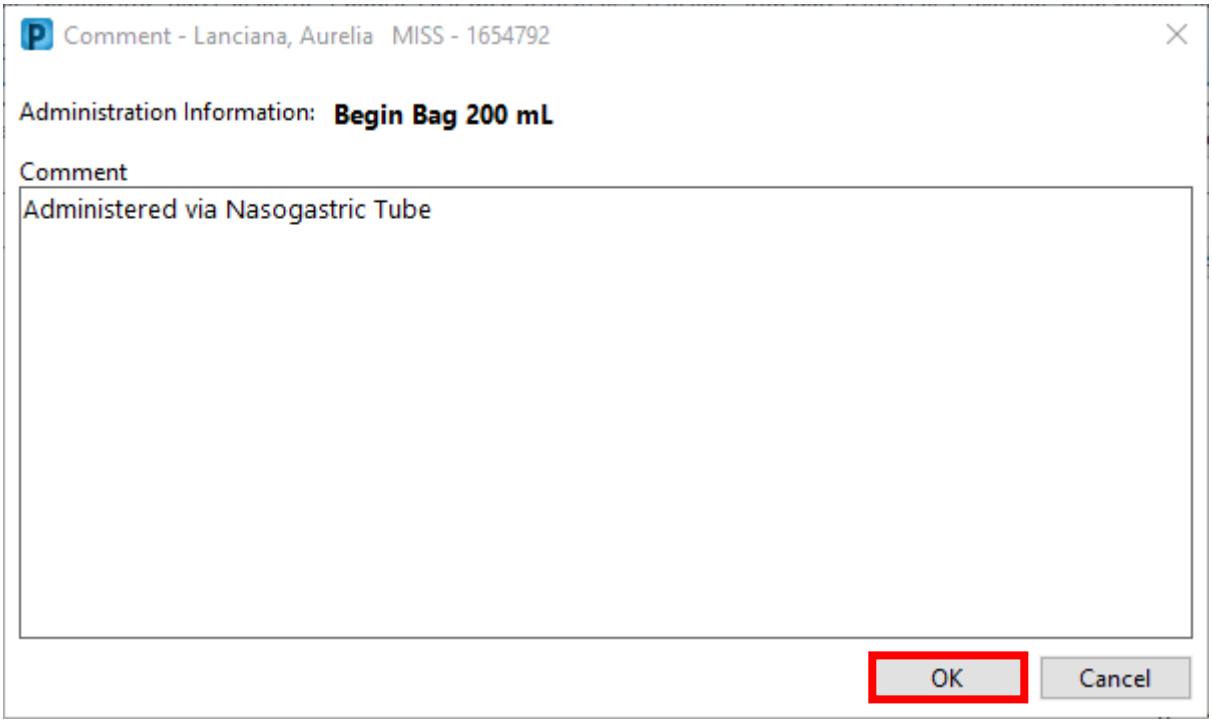
4. Select the **Result** column for the order (highlighted yellow)



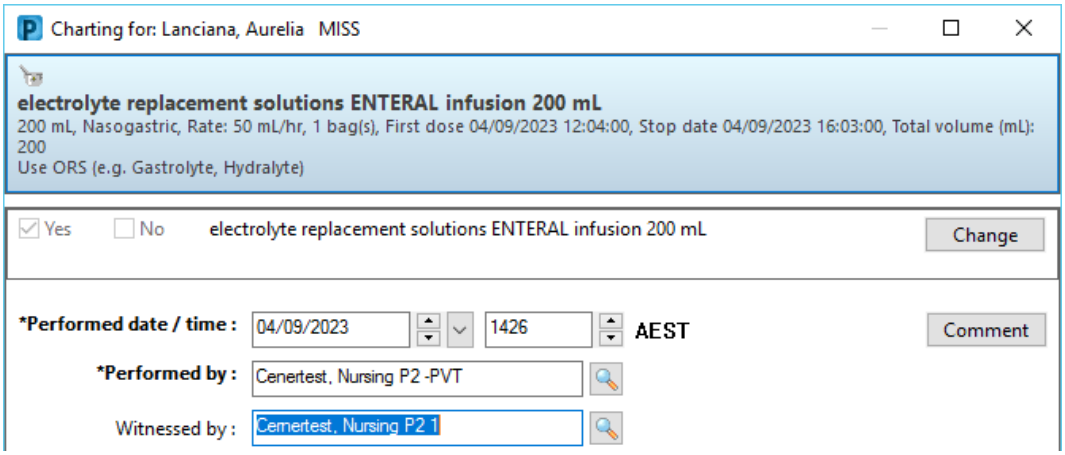
5. In the **Charting for:** window, select 'Other: Specify in Order Comments' from the drop down menu for **Site** 

6. Select

7. Enter site of administration in the freetext **Comment** field and select **OK**



8. If required, enter in details for the second nurse in the **Witnessed by** field



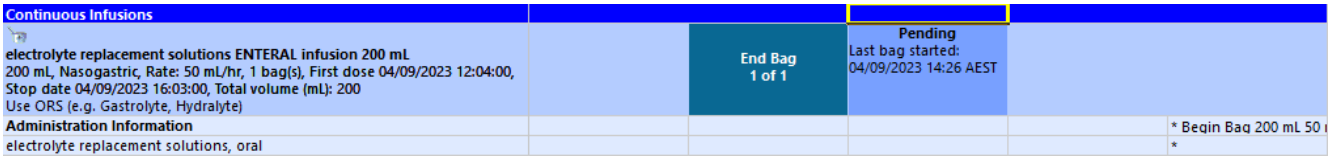
9. Select OK and enter Password for the second nurse (if required)

10. Select Sign

11. Open the **MAR** and select **Refresh the MAR**

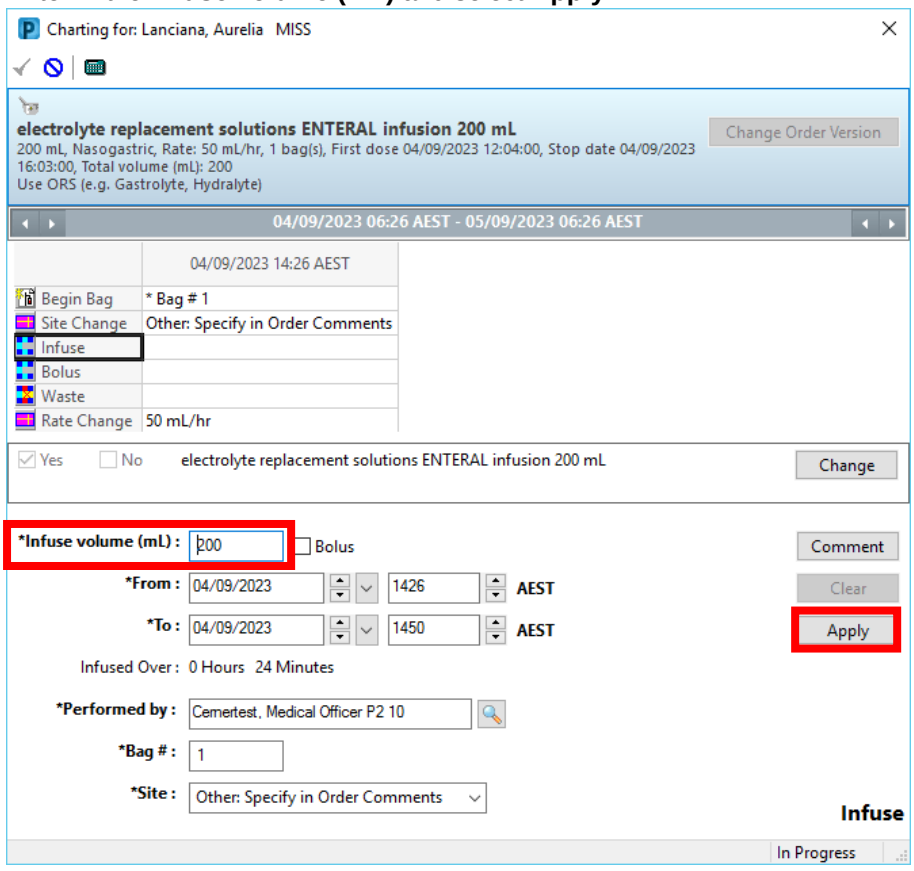
12. Order will display with a tile stating:
    Pending
    Last bag started:

    And a tile to the left of it stating:
    End Bag
    1 of 1



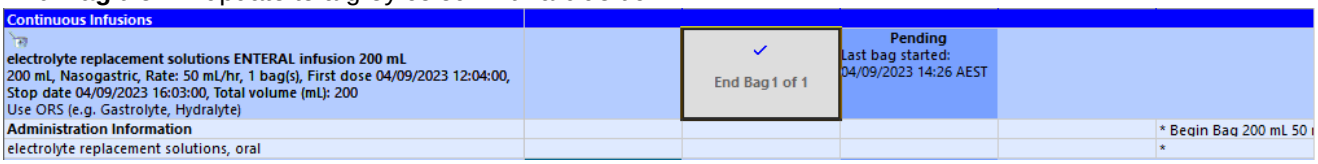
13. To document completion of the infusion order, select the **End Bag** tile

14. Enter in the **Infuse volume (mL)** and select **Apply**

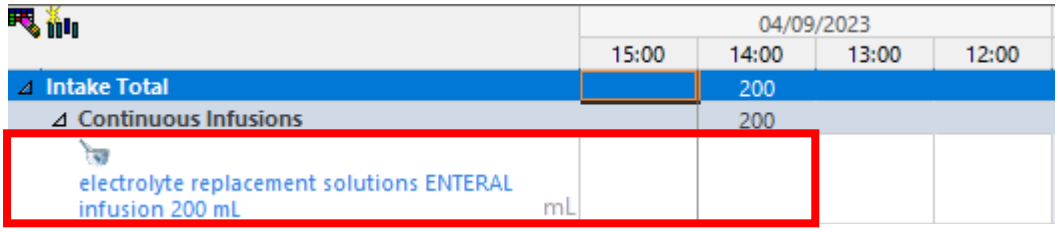


15. Select the **green tick** icon to Sign the order

16. **End Bag** tile will update to a grey colour with a blue tick



17. Navigate to **Interactive View and Fluid Balance** to document the volume administered against the infusion for each hour (or as appropriate) in the **Fluid Balance** band



Important – Fluid balance

- The volume documented in **Continuous Infusions** is included in the patient's total fluid balance
- Do not re-document the volume against the enteral feeding tube or the total fluid balance will be incorrect.