

# Safe Enteral Feeding Management in NDIS Individual Support

Welcome to the Safe Enteral Feeding Management in NDIS Individual Support course. As a disability support worker, providing safe, respectful, and person-centered care is at the heart of what you do. For participants who require enteral feeding, specialized knowledge and strict adherence to care plans are essential to ensure their health, safety, and dignity.

This comprehensive course is designed specifically for NDIS individual support workers, equipping you with the foundational knowledge and practical skills required to assist with enteral feeding safely. Throughout this course, you will explore the different types of enteral feeding tubes, equipment, and delivery methods, including syringe bolus, gravity drip, and pump-assisted feeding. You will learn how to interpret individualised care plans, maintain strict hygiene and infection control, and prepare a safe, private environment for feeding routines.

We place a strong emphasis on person-centered support, ensuring you understand how to communicate effectively, obtain informed consent, and position participants for maximum comfort and safety.

Furthermore, this training covers critical aspects of risk management, including troubleshooting pump alarms, recognising feeding complications, and responding to emergencies such as tube dislodgement or respiratory distress. By the end of this course, you will have the confidence to administer enteral feeds and water flushes accurately, document your actions thoroughly, and work seamlessly within a participant's broader care team. Elevate your standard of care and ensure compliance with NDIS safety frameworks by mastering safe enteral feeding management today.

| **Type:** | **Duration:** | **Delivery:** | **Cost:** |
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| Non-Accredited Course | 1 Hour | Self-Directed Online | $65.00 |

## What You Will Learn

**By completing this course, you will be able to:**

- Understand the principles of enteral feeding and its role in a participant's individualised health care plan.
- Identify and operate common enteral feeding tubes, equipment, and delivery methods (syringe, gravity, and pump).
- Interpret and strictly adhere to enteral feeding care plans, ensuring correct formula, volume, rate, and water flushes.
- Apply rigorous hygiene, infection prevention, and safe food handling practices during feeding routines.
- Provide person-centered care by ensuring proper communication, informed consent, privacy, and safe positioning.
- Recognise and troubleshoot common pump alarms and equipment issues within your scope of practice.
- Identify and respond to feeding complications, health changes, and emergencies like tube dislodgement or aspiration.
- Maintain accurate, objective documentation and effectively communicate with the broader care team.

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