

Enteral nutrition paediatric: continuous feeds

Quick reference guide

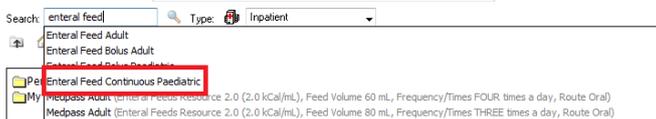
There are two different Enteral feeds:

1. Continuous
2. Bolus

This quick reference guide will make reference to the **Continuous order**. A continuous feed refers to a feed that is running 24/24 only.

Order a Continuous Enteral Feed: Paediatric

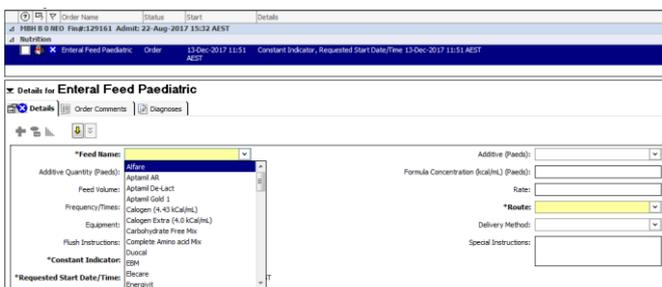
1. Navigate to **Orders** in the **Menu**
The **Orders** window will now open
2. Click **Add+** in the top left corner of the window
The **Orders** search page will now open
3. Type the words **Enteral** in the search field and a drop down menu will appear with matching options
4. Select **Enteral Feed Continuous Paediatric**



Search: enteral feed Type: Inpatient

- Enteral Feed Adult
- Enteral Feed Bolus Adult
- Enteral Feed Bolus Paediatric
- Enteral Feed Continuous Paediatric**
- Medpass Adult (Enteral Feeds Resource 2.0 (2.0 kCal/mL), Feed Volume 60 mL, Frequency/Times FOUR times a day, Route Oral)
- Medpass Adult (Enteral Feeds Resource 2.0 (2.0 kCal/mL), Feed Volume 80 mL, Frequency/Times THREE times a day, Route Oral)

5. Click **Done** to continue with the order details
6. The order will have a blue circle with a white cross indicating compulsory fields required which are filled in yellow



Order Name: Enteral Feed Paediatric Status: Order Start: 13-Dec-2017 11:51 Details

Details for **Enteral Feed Paediatric**

*Feed Name: Alfare
 Additive Quantity (Paeds): Aptant Aft
 Feed Volume: Aptant Dec Lact
 Frequency/Times: Aptant Gold 1
 Equipment: Calogen Extra (4.43 kCal/mL)
 Flush Instructions: Calogen Extra Free Mix
 *Constant Indicator: Complete Amino acid Mix
 *Requested Start Date/Time: Duocal
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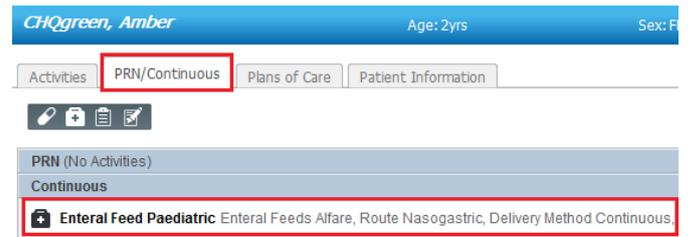
Additive (Paeds):
 Formula Concentration (cal/mL) (Paeds):
 Rate:
 *Route:
 Delivery Method:
 Special Instructions:

Note: The more information that is filled in, the easier it will be for the clinician administering the feed to do so correctly.

Special instructions will populate a visible field for nurses to see in Care Compass.

7. Complete all the other relevant fields that are required for order details. Note that **Feed Name** and **Route** are mandatory fields – you cannot sign off the order without completing these
8. Select **Continuous** from the **Delivery Method** drop down list
9. Leave **Constant Indicator**
***Constant Indicator:** Yes No switched to **Yes** as this shows a reminder in **Care Compass, Continuous** tab
10. Once the information has been completed, click **Sign**
11. A signature window will appear. Enter your password and **Refresh**

The order is now complete and status now ordered. This will appear in **Care Compass, PRN/Continuous** tab for nurses to view and take action



CHQgreen, Amber Age: 2yrs Sex: F

Activities **PRN/Continuous** Plans of Care Patient Information

PRN (No Activities)

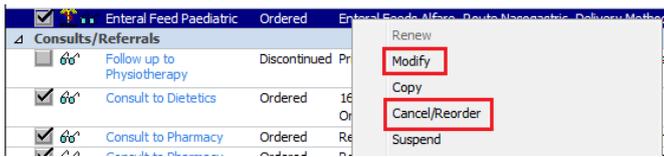
Continuous

Enteral Feed Paediatric Enteral Feeds Alfare, Route Nasogastric, Delivery Method Continuous.

Cancel/Reorder or Modify Enteral Feeds

1. If the Enteral Feed order needs to be changed there are two options;
 - a. Right click the order and select **Cancel/Reorder** and then order a new feed following the previous steps
 - b. Right click the order and select **Modify**





The screenshot shows a software interface with a table of orders and a context menu. The table has columns for 'Enteral Feed Paediatric', 'Ordered', 'Enteral Feeds', 'Alfere', 'Route', 'Neonatal', and 'Delivery Method'. The context menu is open over the 'Consult to Dietetics' row, showing options: 'Renew', 'Modify', 'Copy', 'Cancel/Reorder', and 'Suspend'. The 'Modify' and 'Cancel/Reorder' options are highlighted with red boxes.

Enteral Feed Paediatric	Ordered	Enteral Feeds	Alfere	Route	Neonatal	Delivery Method
4	Consults/Referrals					
66	Follow up to Physiotherapy	Discontinued	Pr			
66	Consult to Dietetics	Ordered	16	Or		
66	Consult to Pharmacy	Ordered	Re			
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The Order details will now display below and the order can be changed. This will be useful for changing the rate, feed type or to change the frequency of the dose.

2. Mark any Allied Health relevant orders (e.g. consults, follow-ups, patient care orders) complete or discontinued.

