**PPNO Query Summary – Enfit and tube placement**

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Wondering if anyone can share their policy on enteral feeding? We are transitioning to Enfit and wondering what other organizations are using as best practice for tube placement verification (other than xray on insertion).

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| susan bow <susan.bow@pemreghos.org> | Our current policy is cxr after placement of tube, and q shift ph testing of aspirate and measurement checks |  |
| Mike Wilson  Technical Specialist Interventional  Markham-Stouffville Hospital | Hi there.  There is no specific policy regarding confirmation of placement as it is part of the procedure (insertion or exchange).  The interventionist confirms placement with a contrast injection under fluoro.    If there is a pt presenting to the ER or there is a pt in the ICU who they are questioning whether an existing G-tube is in position the ordering doctor can inject 60cc of Gastrograffin followed by a KUB.    We are in the process of transitioning to Enfit as well.  Could you tell me what you will be using for initial G-tube insertions?  What will you use for G-J tubes? |  |
| Melissa Pelletier, RN, BScN, CNeph(C)  Clinical Educator  Renal Program  Professional Practice  Royal Victoria Regional Health Centre  201 Georgian Drive  Barrie, Ontario  L4M 6M2  [pelletierm@rvh.on.ca](mailto:pelletierm@rvh.on.ca)  Tel:  705-728-9090 ext 47712  Cell: 705-229-9846  [www.rvh.on.ca](http://www.rvh.on.ca/) | Please find attached a copy of our policy and procedure. |  |
| **Tasha Vandervliet, RN, BScN**  Nurse Educator  Huron Perth Healthcare Alliance  46 General Hospital Drive  Stratford, Ontario  N5A 2Y6 | We’re transitioning to ENFit as well in a few weeks’ time.  A draft copy of our updated policy is attached. Procedure item #17 speaks to tube confirmation. |  |
| Corinne Savignac, R.N., BScN,  Nurse Clinician General Internal Medicine  705-523-7100  Extension 3315  **Health Sciences North | Horizon Santé-Nord**  41 Ramsey Lake Road  Sudbury, Ontario P3E 5J1   E-mail: [csavignac@hsnsudbury.ca](mailto:csavignac@hsnsudbury.ca)  http://intranet/portal/Portals/35/HSN_logo.jpg | Here you go. Have a great day. |  |
| **Claire Latto-Hall, RN, BScN, CDE, MPH**  Corporate Professional Practice Clinician  Halton Healthcare  3001 Hospital Gate, Oakville, ON  L6M 0L8  [clattohall@haltonhealthcare.on.ca](mailto:clattohall@haltonhealthcare.on.ca)  Tel.: 905-845-2571   ext. 3837 | Halton Healthcare is also exploring the use of ENFit and identifying when we are going to transition. With this, our current policy is under review, so this PPNO is quite timely! I’m looking forward to a summary. |  |
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