

Nasal Tube Retaining Device (NTRD) Care Plan

Please ensure NTRD is changed every 30 days

Patient Label

The NTRD and skin at nose should be assessed at least once daily and documented in Care Plan below.

Date Inserted	Inserted By:	Clip attached to tube atcm
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Date	Assessed by: (sign)	Assessment Descriptor (please circle)	Action Required
1		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
2		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
3		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
4		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
5		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
6		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
7		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
8		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
9		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
10		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
11		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
12		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
13		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
14		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
15		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
16		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
17		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	

Assessment Descriptor

(1) Position satisfactory – Yes / No
(3) Skin Intact – Yes / No

(2) Clip secure / undamaged – Yes / No
(4) Umbilical Tapes twisted – Yes / No

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18		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
19		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
20		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
21		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
22		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
23		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
24		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
25		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
26		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
27		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
28		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
29		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	
30		1. Yes / No 2. Yes / No 3. Yes / No 4. Yes / No	

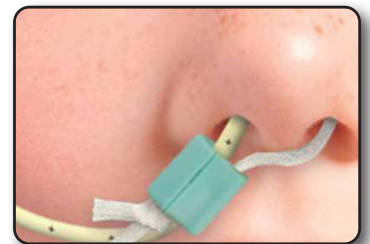
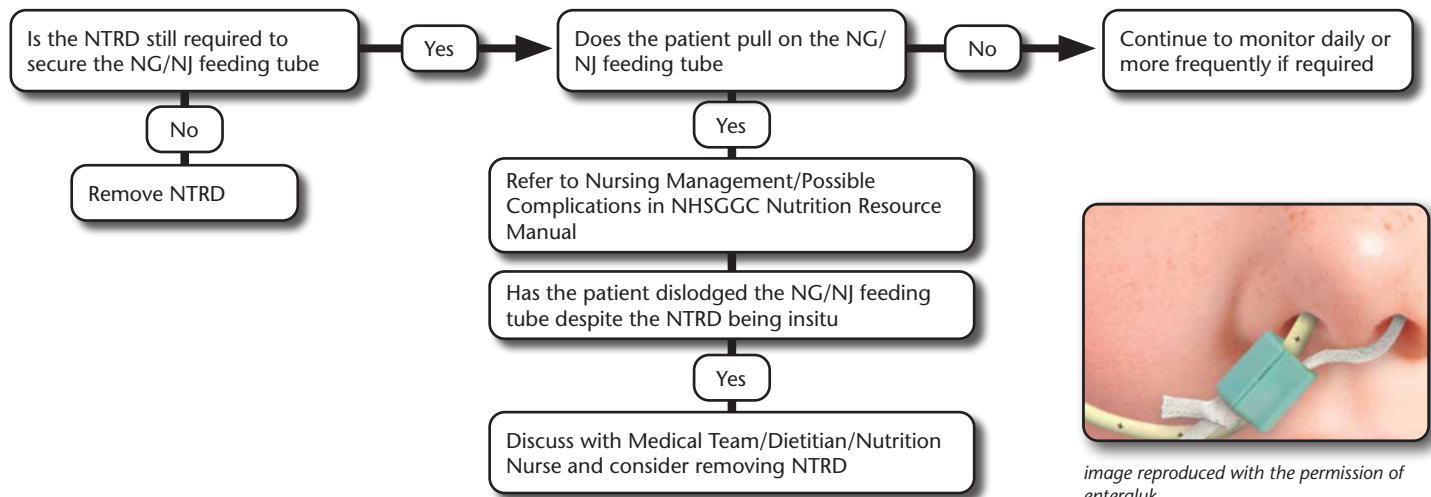


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To retain and reattach NTRD: When NG/NJ feeding tube requires to be renewed/replaced, use plectrum that comes in the replacement pack. Insert this into the clasp of the clip, this allows the clip to open and the tube to be removed – umbilical tape will remain in situ. Once tube is reinserted place tube into groove of clip, insert umbilical tape, close and secure with knotting if required.

To remove only the NTRD: Remove clip by opening as described above. Cut one end of the umbilical tape and remove from nasal passage. Ensure nasal feeding tube taped securely.

To remove NTRD and tube: Cut one side of the umbilical tape (between the nose and clip) and pinching the NG/NJ tube gently pull both the NTRD and the feeding tube out of the nose.

Please contact Nutrition Nurse for support if required.