



Category: Continuity of Care

Award Reference Number: 1251
Region: Midlands
Disease: Nutrition
Organisation Type: Pharmaceutical/ Care homes
Intervention: Staff education
Key words: Walsall, Nutricia

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Setting: Nutricia Advanced Medical Nutrition are a private enteral feeding company who provide a unique service to children and adults who are enterally fed. Nutricia works closely with the NHS to provide this service for their all their patients.

Introduction: The aim of the initiative was to reduce the prevalence of malnutrition in the Walsall area through partnership working. The initiative started due to the number of inappropriate referrals to dietitians and inappropriate use of oral nutrition supplementation. Pt's had been put on sip feeds by G.P's and then never reviewed, but also there were pt's not screened who were malnourished

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