

Enteral (Tube) Feeding

This course is for Cerebral Palsy Alliance employees

Who is this course for?

This is mandatory training for the Disability Support workforce.

For more detail see your Learning Journey.

If this course is relevant to your role, but not mandatory, please discuss with and get approval from your manager.

What content does the course cover?

In this training session you will learn how to safely assist clients with prescribed nutrition and medications delivered via a gastrostomy and/or jejunostomy.

This includes:

- The basic anatomy and physiology of the digestive system
- Enteral nutrition, its rationale, and goals
- Your role and responsibilities when supporting clients with enteral (tube) nutrition and feeding
- Common feeding tubes and delivery methods
- Solving potential enteral (tube) feeding problems.

Does the course have prerequisites or specific requirements?

The following must be completed before attending:

- Assist with medication - online
- Infection prevention and control - online
- Disability support workshop 1

Read CPA's:

- Medication policy
- Medication practice guide
- Infection prevention and control policy
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- Promoting client health policy
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After completing this course:

- If you are Disability Support Practitioner, complete the Tube Feeding Skill Builder with your manager and then register for the Enteral (tube) Feeding First Practice Assessment with a CPA Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS) via the CPA course registration page.
- If you are a Disability Support Manager, please register to attend the Enteral (Tube) Feeding First Practice Assessment with a CPA Clinical Nurse Specialist (CNS) via the CPA course registration page

What other details do I need to know?

Attendance type: In person (face to face)

Duration: 1 day

Times: Please select a course date below or if there are no dates, please click Enquire

Refreshments: Please bring your own lunch (as required)

If you need to cancel: Cancellation guidelines

Where can I get more information?

Contact: The Training Alliance team
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April 2025

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Tue 29	Enteral (Tube) Feeding	9:30AM	3:30PM	Ryde

May 2025

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Tue 13	Enteral (Tube) Feeding	9:30AM	3:30PM	Allambie
Thu 22	Enteral (Tube) Feeding	9:30AM	3:30PM	Allambie
Fri 23	Enteral (Tube) Feeding	9:30AM	3:30PM	Prairiewood
Tue 27	Enteral (Tube) Feeding	9:30AM	3:30PM	Ryde

June 2025

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Mon 02	Enteral (Tube) Feeding	9:30AM	3:30PM	Sugar Valley Library (Hunter) Cameron Park
Thu 05	Enteral (Tube) Feeding	9:30AM	3:30PM	Sugar Valley Library (Hunter) Cameron Park
Fri 27	Enteral (Tube) Feeding	9:30AM	3:30PM	Ryde

July 2025

Date	Course	Start time	Finish time	Location
Thu 03	Enteral (Tube) Feeding	9:30AM	3:30PM	Sugar Valley Library (Hunter) Cameron Park
Wed 09	Enteral (Tube) Feeding	9:30AM	3:30PM	Allambie