

Nutritional Management of Children with NEUROLOGICAL IMPAIRMENT

Nutritional status assessment: Clinical history • Physical exam • Anthropometric measurements • Additional tests

Adequate Nutrition

Reassess as needed

Inadequate Nutrition

Children ABOVE 1 year

Swallow without difficulty

Swallow with difficulty

3 years & OLDER

Unable to meet nutritional requirements by mouth

Recommend the following thickeners to modify liquids and/or solids for patients with dysphagia as needed.
Suitable for use with the IDDSI Framework^A



RESOURCE® Thicken UP®
Starch-based

For use in individuals greater than 3 years old.



Thicken UP® Clear
Xanthan gum-based

Unable to meet nutritional requirements by mouth

Oral Supplements

Consider polymeric formula
(Not condition specific)

Consider peptide-based formula
(Condition specific)

Plant-based

With Fiber

Without Fiber



Compleat®
Pediatric
Standard 1.0



Compleat®
Pediatric
Standard 1.4



BOOST®
Kid
Essentials™
1.5 with
Fiber



BOOST®
Kid
Essentials™
1.0



BOOST®
Kid
Essentials™
1.5



Peptamen
Junior®
PHGG



Peptamen
Junior®
with Fiber



Peptamen
Junior®
1.0

Assess
for Tube
Feeding

Consider polymeric formula

Consider real food Ingredients

Consider peptide-based formula (Condition specific)

Consider real food Ingredients

With Fiber

Plant-based

Blenderized Whole Foods

Plant-based
Option

Chicken-Garden
Option

NORMAL
Energy Needs

LOW
Energy Needs

Without Fiber

With Fiber

Calorically
Dense

HIGH
Protein

Calorically
Dense



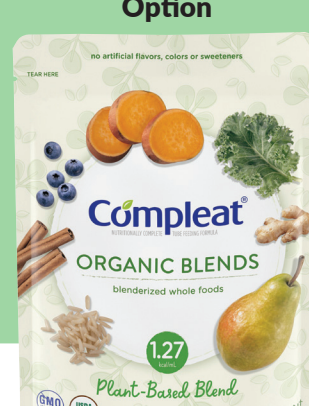
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Pediatric
Standard 1.4



Compleat®
Organic Blends
Plant-based



Compleat®
Organic Blends
Chicken-Garden



Compleat®
Pediatric



Compleat®
Pediatric
Reduced Calorie



Peptamen
Junior®



Peptamen
Junior®
1.5



Peptamen
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