



**Training & Assessment
in Healthcare Ltd**

Training and Professional Development

Enteral Feeding Tubes, Care of the Stoma Site, Dysphagia and Safe Administration of Medication via this route

This half day course is designed to teach the learner the correct, safe way to manage enteral feeding tubes, stoma care and medicines administration and equip them with the basic knowledge and confidence to be able to use this skill within the workplace.

Course Objectives _____

- To learn the basic anatomy and physiology of the digestive system
- To discuss enteral feeding and why gastrostomies are sometimes required
- Identification of the range of enteral feeding tubes and accessories and the effective use of that equipment
- Basic management of the enteral feeding tube and care of the stoma site
- To identify how to deal with problems in relation to enteral feeding and gastrostomy care
- To gain awareness of safe administration of medicines via the enteral feeding tube (if applicable)
- Awareness of organisational policy and procedure in relation to enteral feeding and gastrostomy care
- Identification of when medical referral is required
- To be aware of the appropriate documentation required

Course Notes _____

- This underpinning knowledge must be consolidated within the workplace by a competent assessor/supervisor
- A learning and assessment of competency document template is available/can be provided by TIHC on request

COURSE INFORMATION	
Duration:	Half day
Certification:	Certificate of Attendance
Travel Charge:	Dependent on Location

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