



Nasogastric Tube Feeding in Children

Learning summary	This learning provides an understanding of the underlying knowledge and principles regarding nasogastric tube feeding in children.
Learning aims	The aim of this learning is to develop learner confidence to carry out safe practice of nasogastric tube feeding for a child/young person as detailed in the workbook and competency document.
Learning objectives	Learners will be able to: • Describe the anatomy of the digestive tract • Explain the reasons for nasogastric tube feeding • Identify the risks and potential problems identified with nasogastric tube feeding and to be competent to care for a young person with a nasogastric tube • Explain how to deliver a nasogastric feed as per the child's/young person's care plan



Applicable audiences	This learning is suitable for learners who work in a health, care or school setting and support children who have additional healthcare needs				
Pre-requisites	There are no pre-requisites required for this learning				
Delivery method	This learning is delivered by a virtual classroom. In addition to the virtual classroom session, three hour work place visits to have supervised practice, assessment and competency completion will be required.				
Duration	This learning will take 1 hour 30 minutes to complete and will include a competency document completed in practice				
Materials and resources required	Learners should have access to a computer with an internet connection and Microsoft Teams. A competency document will be provided				
Refresher	This learning should be completed as required				
Minimum learners required	4	Maximum learners required	12	CPD points	N/A