



resident. Most of the factors contributing to the score are automatically calculated by the program.

- Dining Table
- Diet
- Texture

### Tube Feeding Calculator

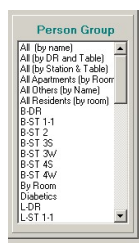
A new addition in the nutritional care functionality is the inclusion of a tube feeding calculator. You can select a formula to use (all its nutrient data comes with the program) and specify the rate and duration of the feeding. The critical nutrients thus supplied are shown along with the fluid in the formula and the needed flushes.

### Generic Tray Cards

Most everyone has used at one time or another the little, 3x5 plastic cards that show the resident name, room, diets, dislikes and dislikes on them. Most everyone has also had to collect, clean, resort and update them, too.

Here's a better, paper alternative.

- Print a paper tray card with the resident's
  - Name
  - Diet (up to 5 per person)
  - Room
  - Solid Texture
  - Liquid Texture
  - Dining Room
  - Dining Table
  - Allergies
  - Preferences
  - Dislikes
  - Adaptive Devices
  - Eating Notes.
- Meal preferences can be identified as substitutions or as additions to the regular meal items.
- Meal preferences can be varied by day of the week so that variety can be introduced.
- Tray cards can be printed in any of 4 different sizes and several formats
- Tray Cards can be printed with data for only one meal or for all three meals on the card.
- If you wish, you can enclose the Tray Card in a plastic sleeve for repeated use.
- If you use a color printer, you can have a color "blob" printed on the tray card to quickly identify the diet.
- Tray Cards can be printed for any selected set of residents selected and sorted on
  - Name
  - Room Numbers
  - Station
  - Dining Time
  - Dining Room



### Recipes

While complete recipes are not included in this program, you are given a large list of recipe names that can be used as supplements or meal preferences. Currently there are over 3100 such recipes. In the full, DietMaster 2000 program, these same recipe names exist except there the recipes are complete with ingredients, nutrients, diet extensions, etc.

If a recipe name you wish to use is not already part of the provided database, you can add your own recipe names for use on the tray cards.

### Weight Tracking

Dietary personnel know the many hours they have to spend in collecting and recording weights and in the calculation of weight exceptions, BMI and Ideal Weights. Monthly and weekly weights and exceptions need to be reviewed for care plan actions and for review by visiting surveyors.

But, DietMaster can make that task simple:

- Monthly weights for the past 12 months are tracked.
- Weekly weights for the past 3 months are tracked.
- Weight exceptions for the past 1,3 and 6 months are automatically calculated.
- Weight exceptions for the past week are calculated.
- BMI and Ideal Weights are automatically calculated with a user choice of standard formulae.
- Weights are graphed on the Nutritional Assessment.
- Height (needed for several calculations) can be entered or automatically estimated using standard techniques.
- Weight entry for a group of residents is simplified so that only the numeric keypad is needed for entry.
- A PDA can be used for the recording of weights and quick transfer to the program eliminating the keying-in of weights.
- Weight reports of several different, useful formats are quickly generated.

### Supplement Labels

Snack and supplement labels are often handled by dietary using a word processor or spreadsheet program to print the labels on label stock paper. Of course, if anything changes, the word processor or spreadsheet program must be started and the data updated. And, the numerous lists kept on the dietary office wall, bulletin board, notebook, serving area and who knows where else also have to be updated by hand, by Wite Out®, white tape, stickers or something else.

Here's a better, computerized way.

- Print the labels based on the information kept in one place for each resident.
- Print the labels for any day or any meal or snack time.