

ADMINISTRATIVE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

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Subject: THERAPEUTIC DIETS

POLICY CHANGE NOTICE 21-3

INSTRUCTIONS:

Please change Section VI. (C) (2) to read as follows;

"2. The therapeutic diet shall be implemented as soon as possible after the CR-1798 is submitted to Food Services with service beginning no later than the first meal day following receipt of the CR-1798. The Therapeutic Diet Order, CR-1798, must be electronically scanned to the contract Food Service Director or designee."

Please change Section VI. (C) (4) & (5) to read as follows;

- "4. Diets other than those listed on the Therapeutic Diet Order, CR-1798, may be utilized as needed on a restricted basis by ordering a Non-Standard diet order."
- **"**5. If a provider determines the need for a diet not included on the CR-1798, a consultation with the medical vendor's dietician is required. The provider shall complete the medical vendor's consultation request form outlining the type of Non-Standard diet desired and submit the completed consult request to the medical vendor's dietician for approval. Once the Non-Standard diet is approved;
 - a. the medical vendor's dietitian will communicate the approval to the food service vendor's dietitian.
 - b. the food service vendor's dietician will provide a menu to the contract food service director with detailed instructions on how to prepare and serve the approved Non-Standard diet.
 - c. the provider shall submit the CR-1798 to the food service director at the site to begin the approved Non-Standard diet."

Please strikethrough Section VI. (C) (6).

Please strikethrough the CR-1884 on page 5 of this policy and insert the attached page 8. Renumber policy pages accordingly.

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