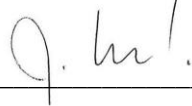


Leamington Mennonite Home

**POLICY AND PROCEDURE**

<b>CATEGORY:</b> Dietary	<b>SUBJECT:</b> Nutritional Quarterly Assessments	<b>SECTION:</b> N
<b>DATE:</b> August 2006	<b>Administrator:</b> 	<b>POLICY:</b> 3
<b>REVISION DATES:</b>	<b>Dietary Director:</b> _____	

**NUTRITIONAL QUARTERLY ASSESSMENTS**

**POLICY:**

Leamington Mennonite Home will provide Quarterly Nutritional Assessments on all residents.

**OBJECTIVE:**

The Assessments will be completed to ensure the Leamington Mennonite Home is providing sound nutritional care for all of our residents.

**PROCEDURE:**

1. Dietitian will review each resident's chart on a quarterly basis. If resident is identified as High Risk they will be seen by the Dietitian on each regularly scheduled visit.
2. Residents will be observed in Dining Room during at least one meal during Dietitian visit. Observation will be charted as needed.
3. Dietitian will discuss with a staff member if a resident intake problem has been observed and/or identified (health care aide, dietary, or activation) or if there is an ongoing health concern affecting intake.
4. Changes to diet will be charted and recorded on Doctor Orders for Doctor Signature.
5. Changes to increase or decrease of calorie needed for a specific resident will be put on weekly Dietitian overview and submitted to FSS.