



Transition Guide

Kate Farms Formulas

	KATE FARMS Pediatric Standard 1.2	KATE FARMS Pediatric Peptide 1.0	KATE FARMS Pediatric Peptide 1.5	KATE FARMS Standard 1.0	KATE FARMS Standard 1.4	KATE FARMS Peptide 1.5
Fiber / Carton (g)	3	2	3	5	3	3
Fiber / Liter (g)	12	8	12	15.4	9.2	9.2
Protein / Carton (g)	12	9	13	16	20	24
Protein / Liter (g)	48	36	52	49.2	61.5	73.8
Free Water (%)	73	80	70	76	72	70

If this is your patient's first enteral feed:

The Journal of Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition recommends the following initiation and advancement schedule for pump-assisted feedings: ¹

Adults: Initiate at 10-40 mL per hour and advance to goal rate by 10-20 mL per hour every 8-12 hours or as tolerated by the patient.

Pediatrics: Initiate at 1-2 mL per kg of weight per hour and advance by 0.5-1.0 mL per kg per hour every 6-24 hours or as tolerated until goal rate is reached.

If you are transitioning your patient from another formula to Kate Farms:

You can slowly incorporate Kate Farms with the patient's current formula. The following table is meant to act as a guide to clinical practice.

Day	% Kate Farms
1	5-15%
2	15-30%
3	30-45%
4	45-60%
5	60-75%
6	75-85%
7	85-100%

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