**NCP Terminology Submission Form**

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Submission Type

New Term

Modified Term

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Nutrition Care Process Terminology

Nutrition Assessment/Monitoring and Evaluation

Nutrition Diagnosis

Nutrition Intervention

**NCP Nutrition Diagnosis Term (ND) Submission Form**

Diagnostic Concept

*Is there a similar ND term(s)?*

Yes,

No

If applicable, please provide information how the similar term (or terms) does not adequately meet the need.

Label

*Provide a name for the nutrition diagnosis that reflects, at a minimum, the diagnostic focus and the RDN judgment. It is a concise term or phrase that represents a pattern of related cues. It may include modifiers. A literature review is required to demonstrate the existence of a substantive body of knowledge underlying the diagnosis. The structure is simple, clear and adequately described from the beginning (fundamental level).*

New Term       Revised Term       Term Number

Supporting References



Definition

*Provide a clear, precise description to delineate the term’s meaning and differentiate it from other similar nutrition diagnoses. The definition is consistent with the label, without using the language of the label. The label and definition are distinct from other eNCPT diagnoses and definitions. The definition differs from the defining characteristics and label, and these components are not included in the definition. The label and definition are supported by literature references, and these are identified.*

Supporting References



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Defining Characteristics or Indicators (signs and symptoms)

*List observable cues/inferences that cluster as manifestations of a problem-focused diagnosis. This does not only imply those things that the RDN can see, but things that are seen, heard (e.g., the patient/family tells us), touched, or smelled. Each sign/symptom should contain a single concept focused on the patient/client, family, and/ or population. The characteristic should not coincide or overlap with other indicators. The term addresses the patient/ population need within the RDN scope of practice.*

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| Defining Characteristic or Indicator (sign/symptom) | Supporting Reference or Evidence Analysis Library Recommendation |
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Related Factors or Etiology

*Factors that appear to show some type of patterned relationship with the nutrition diagnosis. Such factors may be described as antecedent to, associated with, related to, or contributing to the nutrition diagnosis.*



Nutrition Intervention

*Provide a minimum of one (1) and up to three (3) case studies using relevant nutrition interventions to resolve the proposed ND term.)*



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Nutrition Monitoring and Evaluation

*Provide a minimum of one (1) and up to three (3) case studies using relevant nutrition assessment and monitoring and evaluation terms from eNCPT for this ND.)*



ND Concept

*Please provide a narrative review of relevant literature that culminates in a written concept analysis demonstrating the existence of a substantive body of knowledge underlying the ND concept. The literature review/concept analysis supports the label and definition, and includes discussion and support of the defining characteristics and related factors (for problem-focused diagnoses).*

Comments

*Please provide any additional details that will help our Committee review your submission.*

***Please submit your completed NCP Terminology Submission Form to*** [***ncp@eatright.org***](mailto:ncp@eatright.org)***.***