

WEISMAN CHILDREN'S REHABILITATION HOSPITAL (WCRH)
INFECTION CONTROL MANUAL

SUBJECT: Guidelines for Cleaning Feeding Equipment No: 308

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PROCEDURE:

1. Any patient receiving dysphagia services with feeding equipment will have a labeled basket with patient initials and room number located on the Clean Shelf in the pantry.
2. Following use, all dysphagia feeding equipment shall be scraped and rinsed to remove food particles before placing in patient's respective dishwasher basket located in the pantry on the Clean Shelf.
3. The dishwasher basket will go directly into the sanitizer and sanitized per sanitizer use guidelines.
4. After sanitizing, all items will be left to air dry.
5. Once air dried, place dried dishwasher basket(s) on clean shelf in pantry and place any dysphagia equipment in patient's respective basin on the patient shelf in the pantry.
6. Only reusable equipment shall be cleaned in the manner described above. All disposable / single use equipment shall be discarded after use.