

nutritionDay Newsletter

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Save the date - nutritionDay 2015:

November 19th 2015

NutritionDay 2015

On **November 19th 2015** nutritionDay is taking place worldwide! Be part of it and support us in improving the nutritional status in hospitals and nursing homes.

Ethics committee: Extension of the vote's validity for nutritionDay 2015

The **vote's validity** for **nutritionDay 2015** has been **approved** by the ethics committee. You now can download the document for <u>Hospitals, ICU</u> and <u>Nursing Homes</u>. Please contact the ethics committee in your country if this document is not sufficient for you.

A short reminder: Please enter the outcome data

In order to **evaluate the outcome data** (30/60/180 days after nutritionDay) please **complete the patient list** for <u>ND/ICU/NH</u>. The required data are available in medical reports or in the patient management system. **The patients should not be contacted!**

After having evaluated the data, you can enter it on our homepage <u>www.nutritionday.org</u> at *"my nutritionDay* | *login*" \rightarrow "*data entry* | *upload*".

Please use this step by step guidance (page 6-8) for further assistance:

Complete the outcome data on sheet 2 (*Sheet 2 & outcome*). The symbol becomes green if the outcome data is successfully saved

List of participating centers – update for 2014

The list of centers participating in nutritionDay in Hospitals/ICU/nursing homes will be updated for 2014. If you do not wish your center to be listed please inform us until **01.04.2015** via email!

Downloading the unit report

We want to point out that some units did not download their report. This report is very helpful to receive information about the nutritional status in your unit. We therefore recommend downloading it.

For downloading the unit report go to "my nDay | login" \rightarrow "reports | download", choose report 2014 for your category (ND/ICU/NH). Log in by using your data entry code and unit code. Choose the tab "**REPORT**" and follow the instruction "step by step guidance for data entry and report download".

Limits for reports

nutritionDay in hospitals: If the data of 8 or more patients have been collected, the unit report is immediately available after entering the data at "my nDay | login" \rightarrow "data entry | upload". Please type in your data entry code and unit code.

In order to receive a separate **oncology unit report**, the entry of the data of one cancer patient is sufficient.

ICU: For the receipt of the ICU unit report a minimum of 8 patients have to be entered into our database. The unit report for ICU will be available soon . You will be informed via our newsletter.

Nursing homes: You can find the report immediately after entering the data of at least 8 residents at "my nDay | login" \rightarrow "data entry | upload". Please type in your data entry code and unit code.

Download and limits of certificates

Every hospital unit and nursing home (not including ICU) receives a certificate after having participated successfully in nutritionDay. Please pay attention at the following limits:

- 1. At least 8 patients/residents per unit must take part in nutritionDay.
- 2. At least 60% of all patients/residents present at the unit have to participate in nutritionDay.
- 3. At least 80% of the patients/residents, who were included in nutritionDay, have to participate in the outcome evaluation 30/180 days after nutritionDay.

In order to give feedback to nutritionDay a short questionnaire have to be filled in.

Updating the report after having changed the data

Due to numerous queries concerning the change of data, we want to point out the following: If your report is not updated automatically after having updated data, please click **"F5"** in the newly generated unit report. Please contact us at <u>office@nutritionday.org</u> in case of continuing difficulties.

Emirates Critical Care Conference 2015



We would like to announce the **11th Emirates Critical Care Conference** from **April 9th to 11th** in **Dubai, UAE**. Through informative thematic lectures, Pro-Con debates, workshops, poster presentations, an interactive exhibition and a meeting with experts, patient safety and evidence based

science will be discussed. Moreover an exhibition will inform about acute medicine including Emergency and disaster management .

For further information please visit <u>http://www.eics.ae</u> or <u>www.eccc-dubai.com</u>.

Thank you for your support!

With your help we were able to carry together the names of many ethics commissions. The list will be published on our homepage.



Find us on:

We want to thank you for your excellent cooperation!

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