

MBPH ALLIED HEALTH OUTPATIENT SERVICES

Dietetics



What is Dietetics?

At MBPH, our Dietitians provide evidence-based nutrition support to inpatients with a wide range of acute medical concerns. Dietitians are skilled to conduct nutrition assessments, develop patient centred nutrition interventions and to provide personalised nutrition education.

Our Clinical Dietitians provide nutrition support to all departments, including the intensive care, emergency, medical, surgical, rehabilitation, paediatric, mental health and midwifery wards, as well as to the dialysis and chemotherapy day units.

Common nutrition interventions include the prescription of disease-related therapeutic diets, commencement of oral nutrition supplements and provision of artificial nutrition support during a patient's hospital stay.

MBPH Dietitians also provide acute outpatient services for patients who require artificial feeding post discharge from hospital, via our Home Enteral Nutrition (HEN) program, as well as nutrition support for paediatric patients who have been diagnosed with Type 1 Diabetes.

Referrals:

- ✓ MBPH inpatients
- ✓ Any Medical Professional may refer for acute based outpatient services that meet the above criteria

COMMUNITY SERVICES

(03) 5022 3250

8am - 4.30pm