

FARRELL* VALVE CLOSED ENTERAL
DECOMPRESSION SYSTEM

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GASTRO-OESOPHAGEAL REFLUX

Gastro-oesophageal reflux is a **frequent occurrence with enteral nutrition**¹



Gastro-oesophageal reflux arises from a combination of gravitational backflow and impairment of gastro-oesophageal sphincter function¹



It is the **most common cause** of upper gastrointestinal bleeding in the ICU²



Aspiration may occur with no obvious vomiting or coughing, potentially leading to silent **development of pneumonia**¹



Early and efficient feeding is important for critically ill patients³

Failure to meet target calorific intake is associated with **high mortality rates** in critically ill patients^{4,5}



FARRELL* VALVE SYSTEM

The FARRELL* Valve system offers the benefits of **continuous gastric pressure** relief in a **closed system**



In a study in an adult patient with MND, the FARRELL* valve system:⁶



Reduced symptoms of bloating, flatulence and diarrhoea



Improved appetite

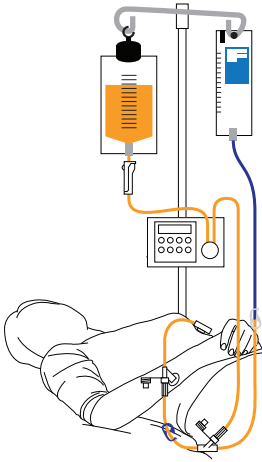


Was associated with **weight gain**

KEY FEATURES

- Provides a channel to constantly decompress the stomach, allowing the stomach to fill at its own pace
- Allows evacuation of excess gas (gastric distension/bloating)
- The closed system contains and retains excess medication and enteral fluid (calories, electrolytes)
- Prevents caregiver exposure to gastric contents

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The FARRELL* bag and FARRELL* tubing is connected to the feeding tube via the FARRELL* Y port which is kept at, or below, the patient's stomach

For complete instructions on use, see the **FARRELL* VALVE CLOSED ENTERAL DECOMPRESSION SYSTEM** instructions for use manual

ADULT PORTFOLIO

Enteral Accessories

44-4100

FARRELL* Valve System with ENFit® connectors

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