

Nutritional and texture-adjusted meals for low- and middle-income elders living alone: A hospital initiative in central Taiwan

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Long Term Care Services 2.0 > meal preparation

Eligibility Criteria

- People with Dementia (aged 50 and over)
- Plain-land indigenous people with functional limitations (aged 55 and over)
- People with disability (aged 49 and under)
- Older people with frailty(aged 65 and over)

Service Items

 Nutrition Meals for the Elderly.(lunch and dinner) Payment

- Low-income households \
 The near-poor household(1.5times) : free
- The near-poor household:
 Copayment



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Meal preparation service

- Food safety and quality policy
- Organization Chart
- Provide different meal texture grading
- Serving portions and photos of meals
- Personnel, factory, material management

① Food safety and quality policy ——

\ Provide comfortable, safe, hygienic and environmentally friendly meals that meet customer

needs /

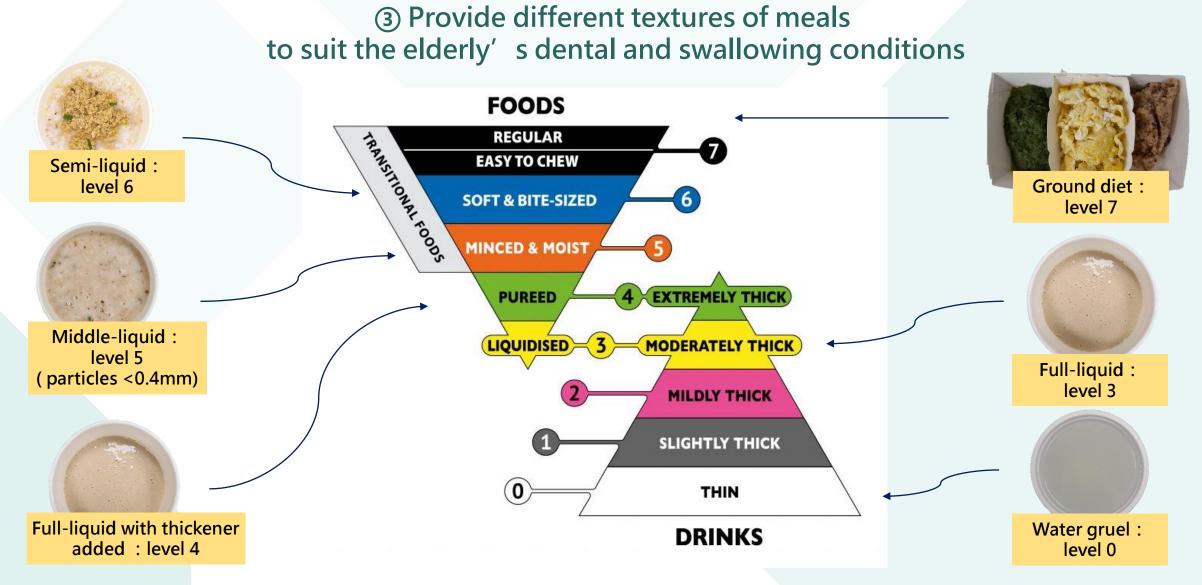


② Organization Chart

- Director
- Vice director

- 6 dietitians
- 1 food hygiene manager
- 16 Nutritional Technicians
- 3 clerks
- 34 kitchen staff (certificate ratio 79.4%)

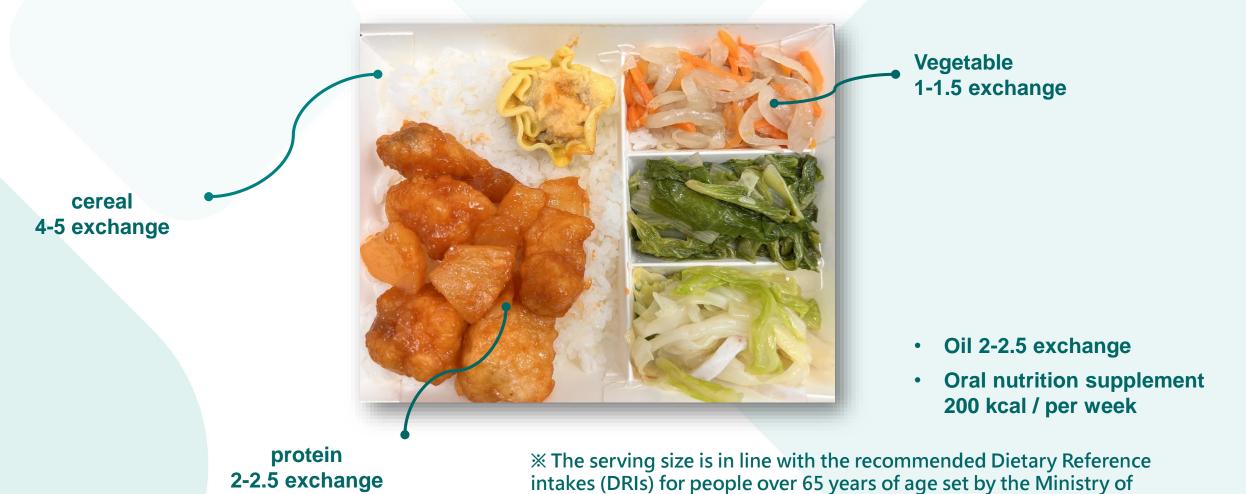
* meets legal specifications 60%



International Dysphagia Diet Standardisation Initiative, IDDSI Establish the definition of food texture and liquid consistency to improve the willingness and quality of eating.

4 Serving portions and photos of meals

◆ The texture is soft and rotten to suit the dental condition of the elderly and increase food intake.



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⑤ Personnel, factory, material management -1



- Monitor body temperature daily.
- Annual physical examination in accordance with the Code of Good Food Hygiene Practices program.
- Check the bacterial count on your hands every month.



- Monthly pesticide residue testing on fruits and vegetables
- Detection of saponin added to soy products every quarter
- Suppliers provide inspection reports every six months
- Annual supplier visits
- Regular outsourcing for inspection

⑤ Personnel, factory, material management -2



- Check the bacteria of equipment count every month.
- Schedule equipment maintenance frequency.
- Clean the exhaust hood regularly.
- Equipped with refrigeration and freezer temperature monitoring system.
- Monitor the temperature and humidity in the food preparation area, pipe irrigation formula preparation area, and warehouse.



- Schedule area cleaning every ten days.
- The factory area is disinfected every month by a disinfection company.
- Floor scrubbing and waxing are performed quarterly by a cleaning company.



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