

Subject	Recommendation
Parenteral nutrition (PN) initiation	• Indication of initiating PN • Baseline laboratory values • Nutritional assessment
Monitoring	• Baseline tests including renal function tests (sodium, potassium, bicarbonate, urea, creatinine, chloride), bone metabolism (calcium, phosphate), liver function tests (alkaline phosphatase, alanine aminotransferase, aspartate aminotransferase, gamma-glutamyl transferase, bilirubin) and lipid profile • Daily biochemical monitoring and adjusted according to the patient's clinical progress, nutritional status and stage of PN therapy • Blood glucose levels every 6 hours for the initial 48 hours of initiating PN therapy • Monitoring of triglyceride levels
Discontinuing	• Achieving 60% of target energy requirement from enteral nutrition and/or oral diet