

Top Tips for Project Milkshake



1 Involve everyone

Every staff member within your care home should be involved in the set up and ongoing implementation of project milkshake

02. Communication is key

Staff should work together to support each other. This can be done in team meeting and handovers to update on MUST scores, MUST Step 5 progress, who has started and stopped the milkshakes and how much they are consuming

03. Have a launch event

Launching the milkshakes as an event in the home with residents, families and staff ensures everyone is aware of the project



Regularly track milkshake use

Remember that if residents have their MUST step 5 discontinued, they may still require a fortified diet and milkshakes. Monitor your residents weight, as milkshakes may need to be discontinued if they reach their target weight

05 Focus on timings and different recipes

Offer milkshakes after meals or snacks have been offered.

Try different recipes with residents more than once, as preferences can change

