

Traveling with an Enteral Feeding Pump

Planning & Packing Recommendations

For people with an enteral feeding pump, travel can often cause extra stress. But with a little preparation, traveling with a pump can be a safe and manageable experience. To help patients with easing their travel worries, here are a few things we suggest you prepare before traveling.

Before booking travel (or at least 72 hours in advance):

- Confirm with your or your child's care team if travel is safe.
- Discuss with your care team any activities you plan to participate in to confirm they are safe.
- Locate a hospital or care provider at your destination. It may be helpful to ask your care team if they have recommendations.
- Discuss with your care team what supplies they recommend you bring and the quantity of each supply. We have included space below to take any needed notes.
- Determine if you will be carrying all of your nutrition supplies with you or if they should be shipped directly to your destination.
- If bringing your enteral formula with you, determine if you can place it in checked baggage or if you need to carry it on board. Be sure to check with your formula manufacturer for instructions on handling.
- Contact TSA through the TSA Cares program to make arrangements and ask any questions that you may have. Be sure to do this at least 72 hours before your travel. Contact TSA through the TSA Cares program to make arrangements and ask any questions that you may have. Be sure to do this at least 72 hours before your travel. Call (855) 787-2227 or visit <https://www.tsa.gov/contact-center/form/cares>
- Contact your airline to notify them that you will be carrying medically necessary supplies on-board.
- Contact your hotel or vacation rental to see if shipping supplies to your destination is possible and to ensure a refrigerator is available at your destination.
- Download the Infinity Travel Letter from Moog's website: <https://www.moogmedical.com/traveling-with-an-enteral-feeding-pump/>

The day prior to travel:

- Pack your formula by following the appropriate manufacturer guidelines.
- Pack any emergency supplies recommended by your care team.

Infinity pump accessories to bring:

If you are traveling with an Infinity Enteral Feeding Pump, we recommend bringing the following accessories with you in your carry-on bag or suitcase:

- Feeding pump(s)
- AC adapter for feeding pump
- IV pole clamp and IV pole (or an IV pole alternative, such as FreeArm®) or a pump carry pack
- Feeding delivery sets

Notes: