(A) Policy Statement

Outdated and recalled food and nutrition products will not be provided to patients.

(B) Purpose of Policy

To develop a mechanism designed to ensure the retrieval and safe disposition of expired and recalled nutrition products to reduce the potential of adverse reactions to inferior products.

(C) Procedure

To ensure outdated or recalled products are not provided to patients, Food and Nutrition associates will:

1. Rotate inventory as directed.
2. Check expiration dates on a daily basis prior to use.
3. Discard outdated or recalled products immediately, or return them to the manufacturer for credit.