

Innovation at the Core of Good Nutrition

Abbott is a leader. We provide good nutrition for infants and adults through innovative products that you know and trust. Innovation is more than a simple claim – it is our heritage, at the center of what we do.

- *Breakthrough Medical Nutritional Products*
- *A Foundation of Scientific Leadership*
- *Worldwide Availability to Support Patient Compliance*
- *Commitment to Quality Rooted in a Pharmaceutical Heritage*
- *Supporting Professional Organizations – Advancing Nutrition Professionals*



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Product Innovation

As a long-respected pharmaceutical company, Abbott extends its scientific heritage to the development of medical nutritional products. Today, we are the global leader with an unmatched record of international product launches. Health care professionals around the world have come to associate our name with good nutrition.

The difference is simple. With Abbott Nutritional products, extensive clinical testing supports sound, evidence-based performance claims.

- Ensure Powder With FOS and Jevity FOS... helps maintain digestive tract health
- Glucerna SR ... patented blend of slowly digested carbohydrates helps manage blood glucose levels
- Oxepa ... improves oxygenation, decreases ventilator and ICU days, and reduces development of new organ failure in patients with acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS)
- ProSure ... promotes weight gain, builds lean body mass and improves quality of life for weight losing patients with cancer

Scientific Leadership

At Abbott, science is fundamental. Sound research drives product development and continuously improves the efficacy and safety of existing medical nutritionals. Abbott invests billion of dollars in research and development. We employ over 7,000 dedicated scientists¹ (1,000 scientists devoted to nutrition advancement) and have developed more than 80 proprietary nutritional innovations resulting in over 500 granted patents worldwide since 1995.

Abbott is committed to the development of products for diagnosis and treatment for people with diabetes and cancer. We will continue to conduct leading-edge research to determine how condition-specific medical nutritionals can improve outcomes in immune system support, asthma, cardiovascular disease and gastrointestinal disease.



¹ www.abbott.com

Product Availability

Abbott has been there and will continue to be there. We are a multi-billion dollar company with over 30 years of experience in delivering innovative medical nutritional products to support patient care.

- 135 development and manufacturing facilities in over 60 countries
- Distribution facilities around the world assures Abbott product availability in over 130 countries
- Products are available in a wide range of outlets from food stores and pharmacies to mass merchandisers and even through direct to consumer channels.

Abbott will continue to extend products to people around the world by investing in the future -- global production, distribution, and third party manufacturing partnerships that expand availability.



A Legacy of Excellence

Innovation is the first word in all aspects of Abbott business – from manufacturing to flavor technology and quality assurance. Abbott holds itself to the highest standards for performance, quality and integrity – grounded in our pharmaceutical heritage.

- Quality assurance program meets standard practices including FSMP² guidelines set forth by the EU, non-GMO³ and compliance standards that meet or exceed local health regulations.
- Research to substantiate evidence-based claims conducted according to strict guidelines that comply with ICH Harmonised Tripartite Guideline for Good Clinical Practice, an international standard
- Manufacturing procedures meet Good Manufacturing Practice (GMP) standards and supply essential products throughout the world

² Foods Specific for Medical Purposes

³ Non-Genetically Modified Organisms

⁴ American Society for Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition

⁵ European Society for Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition

⁶ Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition Society of Asia

⁷ Federação Latino-Americana de Nutrição Parenteral e Enteral – (trans.) Latin American Federation of Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition

⁸ European Association for the Study of Diabetes

⁹ European Dietetic Society

Supporting Professional Partnerships

Abbott is a leading advocate for nutrition education, screening and intervention. It's good for you, your patients and your practice.

We support health care professionals and organizations that serve patients -- including ASPEN⁴, ESPEN⁵, PENSA⁶, FELANPE⁷, the American Diabetic Association (ADA), American Dietetic Association (ADA), EASD⁸, and EDS⁹. We promote good nutrition and advances in nutrition practices through our support of pioneering programs like the Nutrition Screening Initiative (NSI) and Total Nutrition Therapy (TNT). TNT, a program designed by physicians and endorsed by many professional societies and government ministries (Ministry of Health, Ministry of Education), helps other physicians understand how to use nutrition in their clinical practice. To date, TNT has educated over 10,000 physicians in more than 30 countries.

Abbott products are the worldwide standard for need-based medical nutrition.

Ensure

- Complete, balanced nutrition
- Benefits people on modified diets, at nutrition risk, experiencing involuntary weight loss, or recovering from illness or surgery.



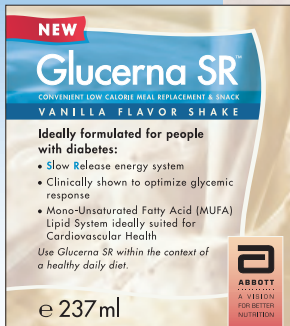
Jevity

- First fiber-supplemented, isotonic medical nutritional for general tube-feeding
- Supplemented with conditionally essential nutrients, carnitine and taurine and ultra-trace minerals, molybdenum, chromium, and selenium¹⁰



Glucerna SR

- Complete balanced medical nutritional product ideally formulated for people with diabetes
- Clinically shown to help manage blood sugar levels



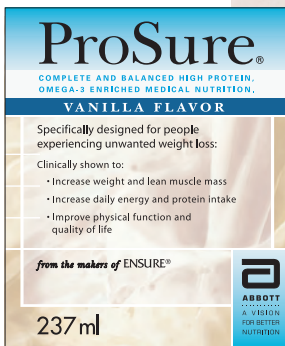
Oxepa

- Specialized nutrition for critically ill patients on mechanical ventilation



ProSure

- Therapeutic nutrition specifically designed for people with cancer-induced weight loss
- Promotes weight gain, builds muscle, increases strength, increases physical activity and quality of life



Ready-To-Hang® Containers

- Cleanliness – closed feeding system, reduces handling and potential for touch-contamination
- Compliance – pre-filled to help ensure patients get the full prescribed dose of enteral nutrition
- Convenience – Less waste, less time, less guesswork



¹⁰ Jevity micro nutrient statement may vary in some countries.

Abbott Nutrition International – Medical Nutrition Anthology

Innovators help shape practice. Abbott Nutrition International leads by producing unique products that serve specific patient populations. These pioneering products make it possible for people with special needs to receive nutrition that helps them live life to its fullest.

From a strong foundation, we will continue to branch out to support underserved patient populations.

	Abbott Nutrition International (ANI)	Milestone
1973	Abbott introduces Ensure	■ FIRST medical nutritional product in the United States
1985	ANI enters the international nutrition market with Ensure Liquid Ensure Plus Ensure Plus With Fiber	■ FIRST fiber enriched medical nutritional formula
	Osmolite Pulmocare*	■ FIRST disease specific nutritional product
1986	Ensure Powder	
1987	ProMod Jevity*	
1988	Jevity	■ FIRST isotonic nutritional product with ultra trace minerals and conditionally essential nutrients
1989	Glucerna*	
1990	Ensure Savory Flavors Ensure Yogurt Flavor Glucerna	■ FIRST specialized nutrition with fiber for impaired glucose tolerance
1992	Perative	
1993	Pulmocare	
1995	Ready-To-Hang Containers Enlive Plus	
1997	Jevity FOS	
1998	Oxepa*	■ FIRST specialized and patented medical nutritional product containing an omega-3 fatty acid, eicosapentaenoic acid (EPA), protein, and calories
2000	Jevity Hi-Cal Oxepa	
2001	Glucerna SR ProSure	■ FIRST complete balanced medical nutritional product ideally formulated for people with diabetes ■ FIRST therapeutic nutrition specifically designed for people with cancer-induced weight loss
2002	Nepro ProSure*	
2003	Ensure Powder With FOS Glucerna Select*	

*US release dates only

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The Global Market Leader in Medical Nutrition

- A pioneer in medical nutrition for over 30 years
- Abbott products are the worldwide standard in Medical Nutrition
- Extensive clinical testing supports evidence-based product claims and ensures product efficacy and safety
- Groundbreaking research focuses on need-based medical nutritional development
- Commitment to diabetes and cancer care strengthens current products and drives development of new technology
- Investing in an expansive global distribution network assures worldwide product availability
- Quality assurance backed by our pharmaceutical heritage meets and exceeds standard practices
- Advocating for nutrition education, screening and intervention by supporting health care professionals and organizations



Ensure, Ensure Plus, Ensure Plus with Fiber, Ensure Powder, Ensure Savory Flavors, Ensure Yogurt Flavor, Ensure Powder with FOS, Jevity, Jevity FOS, Jevity Hi-Cal, Glucerna, Glucerna SR, Glucerna Select, ProMod, Polycose, Osmolite, Perative, Oxepa, Pulmocare, ProSure, Enlive Plus, Nepro and Ready-to-Hang Containers are all trademarks of Abbott Laboratories.

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