107. DIETARY SERVICE.

07. Food Preparation and Service

...e. Individual patient/resident trays shall be identified with name, diet order, and room number. (1-1-88)

f. Trays provided bedfast patients/residents shall rest on firm supports, such as over-bed tables. Sturdy tray stands of proper height shall be provided patients/residents able to be out of bed. (1-1-88)

g. Tray service shall be attractive and provisions made to serve hot foods hot and cold foods cold. (1-1-88)

h. Trays for patients/residents who need to be fed shall be set up only as there is someone available to do the feeding. (1-1-88)

i. Facilities shall provide one (1) or more attractively furnished multipurpose areas of adequate size for patients'/residents' dining, diversional, and social activities. (1-1-88)

   i. It is recommended that a separate dining room area be provided when possible. (1-1-88)

   ii. Dining room areas shall be well lighted, ventilated, and equipped with tables with hard surfaces, and comfortable chairs. The floors in the dining rooms shall be of easily cleanable construction. (1-1-88)