

Unusual Obstruction of Nasojejunal Feeding Tube

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Despite good practice of caring, blockage of feeding tube is a common problem. We encountered a patient with severe acute pancreatitis in the ICU with a nasojejunal tube for enteral feeding. Later on, due to obstruction in the feeding tube, we took it out and found, unexpectedly, the lumen of the feeding tube occluded by *Ascaris lumbricoides* [Figure 1].^[1,2] Therefore, this occlusion by *A. lumbricoides* could be considered as a cause of feeding tube obstruction, especially in endemic areas where the burden of this disease is huge.^[3]

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Figure 1: Feeding tube occlusion by *Ascaris lumbricoides*