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Dear Valued Business Partner,

GEDSA continues to recommend the transition to ENFit® connectors and the associated phase out of legacy enteral products and adapters by January 1, 2022. GEDSA is a nonprofit trade association with a mission to promote initiatives surrounding safe and optimal delivery of enteral feeding and connectivity.

ENFit was designed to avoid tubing misconnections and to increase patient safety; however, the use of ENFit connectors directly impacts clinical practice in the pharmacy and NICU. For these reasons, Medela continues to see significant and growing demand for our Enteral Feeding products using the unique TwistLok® connector system, which provides the safety of a locking system with the convenience of compatibility with oral syringes for the Pharmacy.

As a member of GEDSA and a committed and early supporter of the ENFit® connector system, Medela, to best support our customers, will continue to provide both TwistLok® and ENFit products. While there is an industry push to convert to ENFit, as of today there is no regulatory mandate or timing to convert to ENFit. Medela remains ready to support hospitals when, and if, this regulatory environment changes. In the interim, Medela will continue to offer our customer-preferred TwistLok enteral feeding products and connector systems. Additionally, Medela will continue to provide our unique [Low Dose Dual Cap solution](#) for customers needing pharmacy options to support their ENFit conversions.

Now is the perfect time to decide which enteral feeding system is best for your NICU. For those interested in converting to a simplified and easier solution for use in the NICU, visit our [website](#) to learn more about TwistLok. Medela is proud to offer two excellent options, TwistLok and ENFit, and can help guide you through the decision of what is best for your NICU.

As always, we will continue to provide best-in-class customer support to any customers who choose to transition to both our TwistLok and ENFit enteral feeding product systems.

Please contact your Medela sales representative if you have any additional questions.

Thank you for your continued business.

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