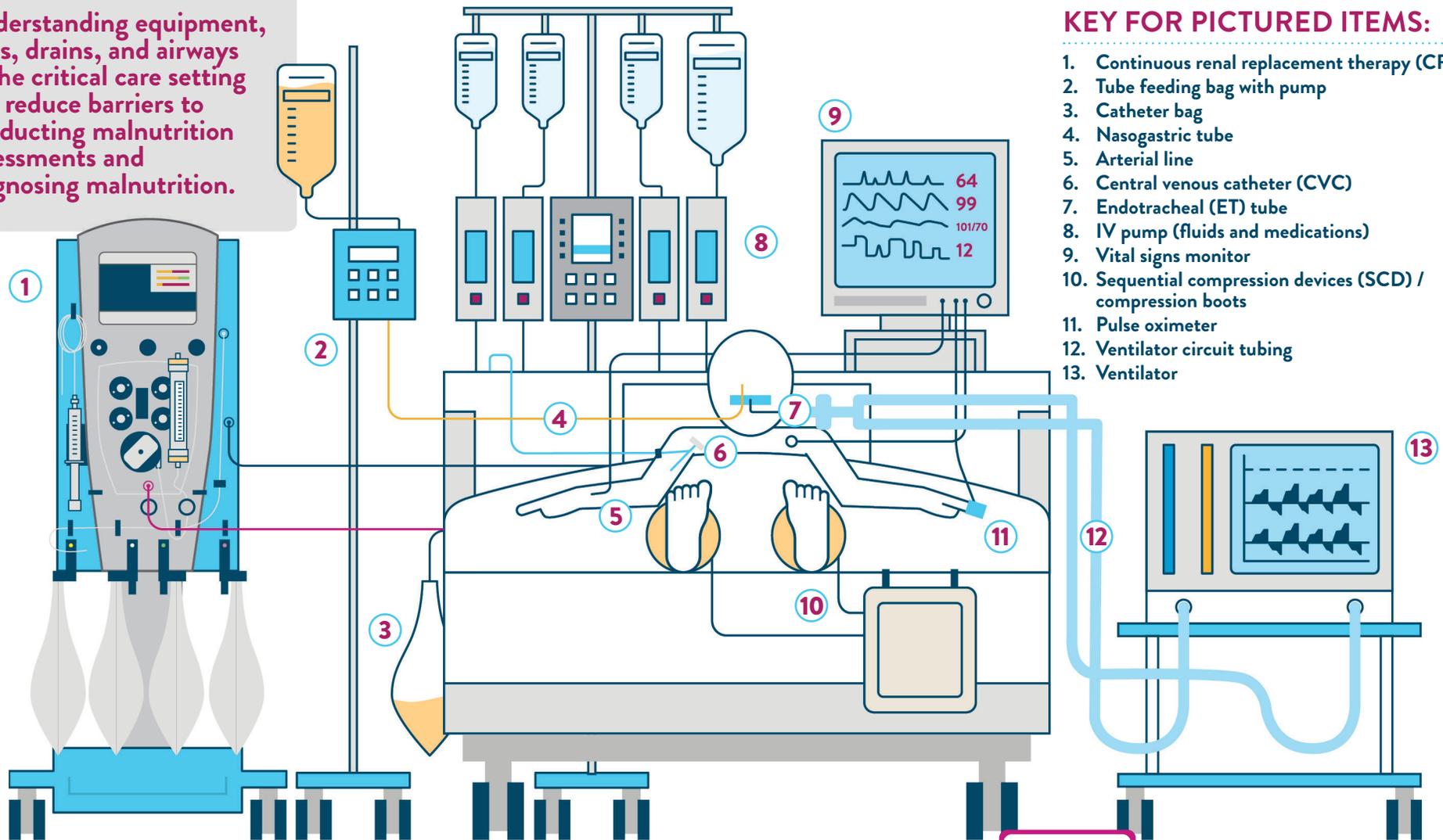


# LINES, DRAINS AND AIRWAYS (LDAs)

## A DIETITIANS GUIDE TO NAVIGATING LDAs IN THE CRITICAL CARE SETTING

Understanding equipment, lines, drains, and airways in the critical care setting can reduce barriers to conducting malnutrition assessments and diagnosing malnutrition.



### KEY FOR PICTURED ITEMS:

1. Continuous renal replacement therapy (CRRT)
2. Tube feeding bag with pump
3. Catheter bag
4. Nasogastric tube
5. Arterial line
6. Central venous catheter (CVC)
7. Endotracheal (ET) tube
8. IV pump (fluids and medications)
9. Vital signs monitor
10. Sequential compression devices (SCD) / compression boots
11. Pulse oximeter
12. Ventilator circuit tubing
13. Ventilator

Some additional items (not pictured here) that may be encountered in the ICU include: Chest tube(s), Peripherally Inserted Central Catheter (PICC), Rectal tube, and Jackson-Pratt (JP) drain(s)

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