

**Saskatchewan Association of Naturopathic Practitioners
Policies and Procedures**

Parenteral Therapy -
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For the purpose of this policy, Parenteral Therapy is defined as Total Parenteral Nutrition (TPN). Total Parenteral Nutrition is nutrition injected into the body either by peripheral venous access or central line access in an inpatient setting to provide all of the patient's daily nutrient requirements when no significant nutrition is obtained by other routes.

The practice of Parenteral Therapy by members of the Saskatchewan Association of Naturopathic Practitioners (SANP) is not within the scope of practice of naturopathic doctors in the province of Saskatchewan.

Note: For the policy referring to Intravenous Therapy in Saskatchewan, please refer to the Intravenous Therapy section.