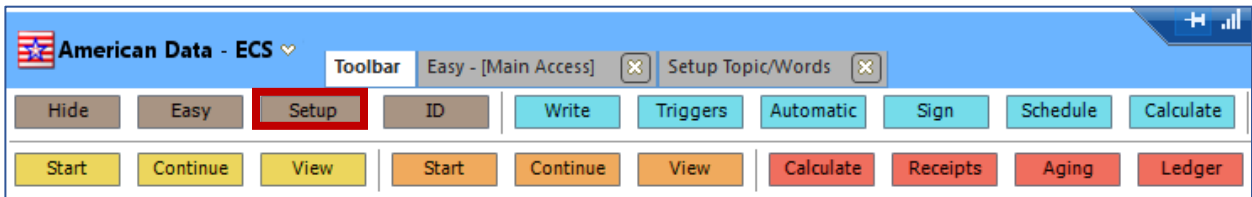


# Implementing IDDSI Terminology










Updating the terms in your Diet/Supplement topic to reflect the latest best practice standards.










## Navigate to your Diet/Supplement Topic

- Log in to ECS and use your Easy Access screens to navigate to “Physician’s Orders,” and then to “Diet/Supplement.”
- OR
- 1. Log in to ECS and use your toolbar to select the “Physician Orders” tab, and then the “Diet/Supplement” folder.
- 2. Go to the toolbar at the top of the screen and choose “setup.”

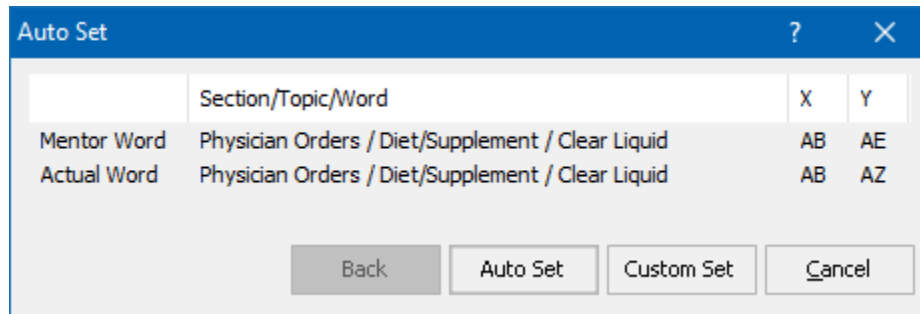


- Select the existing words that you no longer plan to use. You may hold ‘ctrl’ or ‘shift’ on your keyboard to select several at once. Right-click on your selection and choose “Move” from the options that appear.
- Scroll to an open area near the right side or bottom of your screen and click to place the ‘old’ words out of the way (it is important not to delete or overwrite them).
- Choose the existing word with the most similar meaning to the new word that you would like to use, and right click on it. Choose “Copy/Auto-set” from the options that appear. The illustrations below (Created by USTIRG; Last revised July 2021) may be helpful when identifying which words to use.

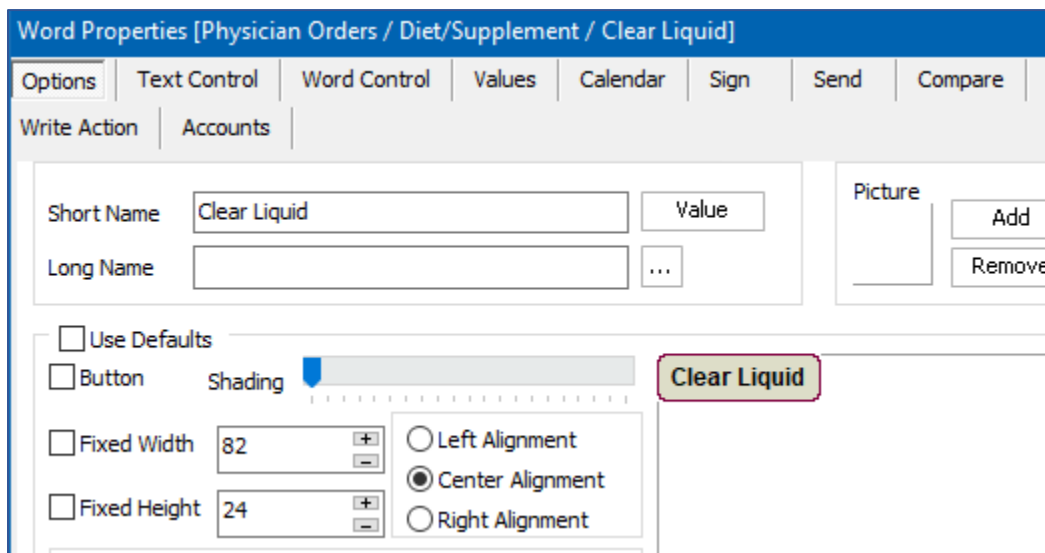
Food Levels from NDD and IDDSI	
NDD	IDDSI Levels
 Regular	 Regular (7)
 Dysphagia Advanced	 Soft and Bite-sized (6)
 Dysphagia Mechanically Altered	 Minced & Moist (5)
 Dysphagia Pureed	 Pureed (4)
	 Liquidised (3)

Drink Levels from NDD and IDDSI	
NDD	IDDSI Levels
 Thin	 Thin (0)
 Nectar-thick 51-350 mPa.s@50/s	 Slightly Thick (1)
 Honey-thick 351-1750 mPa.s@50/s	 Mildly Thick (2)
 Spoon-thick >1750 mPa.s@50/s	 Moderately Thick (3)
	 Extremely Thick (4)

- Right-click in an empty cell where you would like to place your new word and select “Paste” from the options that appear.
- When the *Auto Set* box appears, choose “Auto Set” from the bottom. This will automatically place your new word into the same tasks, reports, and MDS triggers that the original word was in.



- Once your new word has been created, double-click on it. This will open the *Word Properties* screen.



- Remove the old name from the box next to “Short Name” and replace it by typing in the new term.
- Complete the same steps for remaining words.