

Loss of Appetite with Cancer Treatment

Loss of appetite is one of the most common problems with cancer treatment. Eating healthy meals and drinking liquids will help you feel better during treatment.

Follow these tips to improve your appetite:

- Eat small meals more often during the day.
- Drink liquids if you do not feel like eating solid food. Try juice, soup, milkshakes, and liquid or powdered meal supplements such as Carnation Breakfast Essentials, Boost or Ensure.
- Keep snacks with you and eat whenever you feel like it.
- Drink liquids between meals so that you are not too full to eat at mealtime.

Talk to your doctor, nurse or dietitian about dealing with any eating problems you may have.