

MICHIGAN WIC PROGRAM

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WIC VENDOR MINIMUM STOCK REQUIREMENTS

EFFECTIVE 5-1-15

See the Michigan WIC Food Guide to determine the specific WIC authorized brands, types and sizes.

Only those items listed on the most recent Michigan WIC Food Guide will be counted toward the mandatory minimum stock requirements listed below.

A WIC VENDOR MUST HAVE, AT A MINIMUM, THE FOLLOWING FOOD ITEMS IN STOCK AT ALL TIMES:

CATEGORY	TYPE OR BRAND	QUANTITY
INFANT FORMULA	12.5 oz. can powder Enfamil Premium Infant AND/OR 12.4 oz. can powder Enfamil Gentlease. 13 oz. concentrate Enfamil Premium Infant must be made available upon request.	12 Cans Total of Powder
INFANT FRUIT AND INFANT VEGETABLES	4.0 oz. glass jar only – Brand must be Beechnut, Gerber, or Meijer Naturals. Any variety single fruit or vegetable (ex. apple sauce, sweet peas); Any variety mixed fruits and/or vegetables (ex. apples & bananas, mixed vegetables). - Fruit and vegetables mixed in the same jar do not count toward the minimum stock requirements. Not Authorized - No Organic, no additives or DHA. See WIC Food Guide for more information.	72 Jars Total At least one variety of single or mixed fruit AND one variety of single or mixed vegetable
INFANT CEREAL	Any brand 8 oz. box/container, dry infant cereal without fruit.	6 Boxes/Containers
FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES	Any combination of fresh fruits and vegetables except those listed in the WIC Food Guide as not authorized. Must carry at least 2 varieties of fruits and 2 varieties of vegetables. - Minimum stock requirements are measured as the total amount of all fresh fruits and vegetables on hand. - Varieties of fruit within the same family count as one variety. For example: white and red grapes count only grapes. - For minimum stock purposes, white potatoes DO NOT count towards the minimum stock requirements. Yams and sweet potatoes DO count towards the minimum stock requirements. Lemons and limes count as one variety. Not authorized: No fruit baskets, party trays or vegetable trays. No herbs or spices.	\$25 Retail Value OR 10 Pounds Vendors that prefer to only meet the 10 pound requirement must make equipment available to weigh fruits and vegetables.
MILK	Any brand of Whole, Low Fat (1%, ½%) or Fat Free (skim). Not Allowed: No flavored milk, glass bottles, organic milk, Vitamite, Guernsey, or value added milk.	4 Gallons Whole Milk AND 8 Gallons Low Fat or Fat Free Milk
CHEESE	Any brand U.S. made real cheese in the types listed in the WIC Food Guide. Must be pre-packaged in 16 oz. size only. No other sizes allowed. Must be labeled with type of cheese, weight and price. Not authorized: No sliced cheese except American and no individually wrapped American slices. See WIC Food Guide for other types of cheese that are not WIC approved.	5 Pounds
EGGS	Any brand medium or large <u>white eggs only</u>. Grade A or AA	5 Dozen
CEREAL	At least 6 brands in approved sizes <u>only</u>. At least 3 of the 6 brands must be whole grain. See WIC Food Guide for approved brands and sizes of cereal, including those that are whole grain.	12 Boxes
BREAD	Any combination of 16 oz. loaves of whole grain bread and/or 16 oz. packages of tortillas. See WIC Food Guide for approved brands of bread and tortillas.	6 Loaves and/or Packages
JUICE	At least 2 flavors in 64 oz. bottles AND 2 flavors in 48 oz. bottles or 11.5 – 12 oz. concentrate. See WIC Food Guide for approved brands, flavors and sizes.	10 Bottles 64 oz AND 5 Bottles of 48 oz or 11.5-12oz conc.
PEANUT BUTTER	Any Store brand (smooth, crunchy, extra crunchy) 16-18 oz. jar only. No national brands or specialty brands. *See WIC website for more information www.michigan.gov/wic (see vendor link)	4 Jars

Vendors are strongly encouraged to stock as many varieties of WIC approved foods as possible. The following items must be made available upon request:

Infant meat, tuna, pink salmon, brown rice, 15-16 oz canned beans, dry beans, lentils, or peas, soy beverage, lactose free milk, evaporated milk, non-fat dry milk, 2% reduced fat milk.