Ohio WIC Prescribed Formula and Food Request Form

All requests are subject to WIC approval and provision based on program policy and procedure. Medical documentation is <u>federally</u> required to issue special formulas. Please complete sections A-D of this form in full.

A. Required Patient Information	
Patient's Name: Date of Birth:	
Parent/Caregiver's Name: Weeks Born	n Early (<i>if applicable</i>):
Medical Diagnosis/Condition :	
(Medical diagnosis must be specific and correlate to the requested formula.)	
B. Required Special Formula Information	
Amount of formula to be provided per DAY (must be measurable):	
Special Instructions/Comments:	
Intended length of use: \Box 1 month \Box 2 months \Box 3 months \Box 4 months	\Box 5 months \Box 6 months (maximum)
Has a trial with Gerber Good Start Gentle, Gerber Good Start Soy, or Gerber Good Start Soothe been completed?: 🛛 Yes 🖓 No	
If "No," please indicate why:	
Infants	
□ Alfamino Infant □ Enfamil Human Milk Fortifier □ Neocate Infant w. □ EleCare for Infants □ Enfamil Nutramigen □ Neocate Nutra (≥ □ Enfamil AR □ Enfamil Nutramigen w/ Enflora LGG □ Neocate Syneo In □ Enfamil NeuroPro EnfaCare □ pregestimil □ Pregestimil □ Enfamil NeuroPro Gentlease □ Enfamil Premature 24 Calorie □ PurAmino DHA/. □ (RTF only) □ Gerber Extensive HA □ PurAmino DHA/.	a 6 mo. age) □ Similac Human Milk Fortifier afant □ Similac NeoSure □ Similac PM 60/40
Children	
□ Boost Breeze□ Compleat Pediatric Reduced Calorie□ PediaSure□ Boost Kid Essentials 1.0 Cal (retail)□ Elecare Junior□ PediaSure□ Boost Kid Essentials 1.5 Cal□ Neocate Junior□ PediaSure□ Boost Kid Essentials with Fiber 1.5 Cal□ Neocate Jr. w/ Prebiotics□ PediaSure□ Bright Beginnings Soy Pediatric Drink□ Neocate Splash□ PediaSure	Enteral□ Peptamen Juniorwith Fiber□ Peptamen Junior with Fiberwith Fiber Enteral□ Peptamen Junior with Prebio1
Women	
Boost Boost Breeze Carnation Breakfast Essentials	Ensure Super Soluble Duocal
For PKU and Metabolic Needs: WIC collaborates with the Ohio Metabolic Formula Program which supplies certain metabolic formulas prescribed by an Ohio Department of Health (ODH) approved metabolic service provider. A separate form must be completed. Please contact your WIC office for more information.	
C. Required Supplemental Food Information	
<i>WIC Health Professional will issue age appropriate supplemental food unless indicated below.</i> No WIC supplemental foods: provide formula only.	
□ Issue a modified food package OMITTING the supplemental foods checked below:	
Infants (6-11 months):	
Children and Women: I Milk I Juice Breakfast cereal Whole grains Fruits and vegetables	
\Box Beans \Box Peanut butter \Box Eggs \Box Cheese \Box Fish (fully breastfeeding women only)	
□ It is medically warranted for this patient to receive the following foods in addition to special formula: □ Whole milk □ Whole low lactose/lactose free milk □ Cheese	
D. Descriped Health Cons Dravidan Information	
D. Required Health Care Provider Information Health Care Provider's Name (please print):	Phone:
Health Care Provider's Signature:	Date:
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Instructions for use of this form:

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Section A

Section A must be completed in full for all patients. Medical diagnoses or conditions must be specific, and correlate with the indications for use of the requested formula. Special formulas cannot be provided by WIC solely for the purpose of enhancing nutrient intake or managing body weight. Pediatric beverages cannot be issued solely for the following: a child refuses to take a multivitamin; a child is a picky eater; a child is underweight, but is not diagnosed as having failure to thrive, and the diet can be managed using regular foods; a child is assessed to be at risk for or is overweight; or, a child is assessed to be at an average Body Mass Index.

Section B

Section B must be completed for all patients.

- The amount of formula provided per day must be measurable. Quantities such as "maximum," "prn," or "as needed" will not be accepted.
- The space for special instructions or comments can be used as needed. An open line of communication to the local WIC office is encouraged by including more information in this area, which may lead to more timely approval of the special formula requested. Please note that if RTF is requested, this form of formula will require additional justification and will need to meet WIC standards.
- An intended length of use must be indicated. Six (6) months is the maximum length of time WIC can provide a special formula without a new Ohio WIC Prescribed Formula and Food Request Form.
- Only one formula can be selected on this form. WIC cannot provide more than one formula in a month.

Section C

If Section C is not completed, the WIC Health Professional will issue a food package as appropriate based on objective interview and patient preference. However, if whole milk, whole low lactose/lactose free milk, or cheese are to be provided, the health care provider must indicate that in the bottom part of Section C.

Section D

Section D must be completed in full for all patients. Only a physician, nurse practitioner, or physician's assistant may sign off on this form. No other health care providers are authorized to sign. Health care providers must clearly print their name *in addition to* their signature or stamp. The date the form was signed must be provided.