

Minimum Requirements for Supplemental Foods

Categories	Foods	Minimum Requirements
Infant formulas	Infant formula	 Meets FDA definition for infant formula For oral or tube feeding At least 10 mg iron/liter at standard dilution
	Exempt infant formula	Meets FDA definition for exempt infant formulaFor oral or tube feeding
	WIC-eligible medical foods	 For oral or tube feeding Formulated to provide nutritional support for individuals with qualifying conditions Serves the purpose of a food, meal or diet
Milk and Milk alternatives	Cow's milk	Meets standard of identityPasteurizedMeets requirements for vitamin D and vitamin A
	Goat milk	Meets standard of identityPasteurizedMeets requirements for vitamin D and vitamin A
	Cheese	Meets standard of identityDomesticMade with pasteurized milk
	Tofu	Calcium-setNo added fats, sugars, oils or sodium
	Soy-based beverage	 Meets requirements for calcium, protein, vitamin A, vitamin D, magnesium, phosphorus, potassium, riboflavin, and vitamin B12
Juice	Fruit and vegetable juice	 100% juice Pasteurized Unsweetened Meets standard of identity At least 30 mg Vitamin C/100 ml
Eggs	Eggs	 Fresh shell domestic hens' eggs
Breakfast Cereal	Breakfast cereal	 Ready-to-eat or instant- and regular-cooking hot cereals At least 28 mg iron/100 g dry cereal ≤ 6 g sugar per dry oz At least half of the cereals are whole grain with moderate fat content

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Fruits and Vegetables	Fruits and vegetables	 Any fresh fruit without added sugar Any fresh vegetable, except white potatoes, without added sugars, fats or oils Any canned fruit without added sugars, fats, oils or salt Any frozen fruit without added sugars Any canned or frozen vegetable, except white potatoes, without added sugars, fats or oils
Whole Grains	Whole grain bread and tortillas	 Whole wheat – meets standard of identity and primary ingredient by weight Whole grain – meets labeling requirements for "whole grain food with moderate fat content"
	Oatmeal	No added sugars, fats, oils or saltInstant-, quick- or regular- cooking
	Brown rice	No added sugars, fats, oils or saltInstant-, quick- or regular-cooking
Canned Fish	Light tuna	Canned onlyMeets standard of identity
	Pink salmon	Canned onlyMeets standard of identity
Beans	Dry and canned beans	Any mature beans, peas or lentilsNo added fats, oils or meat
Peanut butter	Peanut butter	Meets standard of identityCreamy or chunky
Infant foods	Infant cereal	45 mg of iron/100 g of dry cerealNo added fruit, formula or other additives
	Infant fruits	Single ingredient commercial infant food fruitNo added sugars, starches or salt
	Infant vegetables	Single ingredient commercial infant food vegetablesNo added sugars, starches or salt
	Infant meats	 Any commercial infant food meat or poultry, as a single major ingredient No dinners or infant food combinations (e.g. meat and vegetables) Added broth or gravy is okay No added sugars or salt

This table is specific to Minnesota WIC-allowed foods

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EXHIBIT 7A: MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR SUPPLEMENTAL FOODS

For additional information, see federal regulations for the WIC Program 7 CFR 246.10.

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