



Memorandum

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TO: WIC Regional Directors
WIC Local Agency Directors

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SUBJECT: Formula Training Resources Available

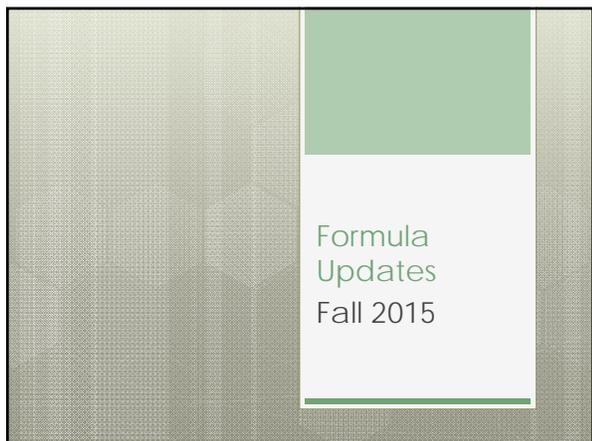
Training Resources

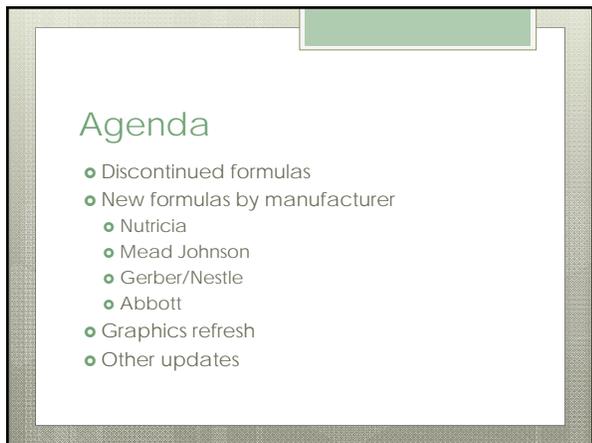
Attached are two documents that were shared during recent live Adobe Connect trainings on the clinic formula table changes:

- Formula Updates – Fall 2015 power-point slides
- Handout – Mead Johnson Ready-to-Use Formula Options

This training has been recorded and will be posted soon in the Texas WIC Training Catalog found at: <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/wichd/tng/texaswictrainingstaff.aspx>

If you have any questions, please contact Sandra Brown, Food/Formula Specialist, Nutrition Education/Clinic Services Unit, at 512-341-4576, or Sandra.brown@dshs.state.tx.us, or Pat Koym, Clinical Nutrition Specialist, Nutrition Education/Clinic Services Unit, at 512-341-4578 or Patricia.koym@dshs.state.tx.us

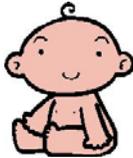






New formulas

- Nutricia
 - Anamix Early Years
 - Periflex Early Years
 - Anamix Next



Anamix Early Years 1 of 2

- MSUD (575)
- HCU (576)
- IVA (577)



Anamix Early Years 2 of 2

- SOD (578)
- MMA-PA (579)
- GA 1 (580)
- TYR (582)



Periflex Early Years

- PKU (581)



Anamix Next

- HCU (583)
- IVA (584)
- MMA-PA (585)



Mead Johnson RTU – 32oz Bottle

- Enfamil Infant (487)
- Gentlease (500)
- Nutramigen (024)



Mead Johnson 8oz-6 pack RTU

- New 8oz-6packs
 - Prosobee (586)
 - Enfamil AR (587)
 - Enfamil Infant (588)
 - Gentlease (589)
 - Nutramigen (590)
 - Enfacare (591)



Enfacare reformulation

- Whey/casein ratio has changed
- Vitamin D has increased
- New formulation only available in some forms/sizes



Prosobee RTU

- Do not issue code 375
- 32oz can not available in TX
- Issue 8oz-6pk only (586)
- Use handout



RTU reminder

- Standard formulas – RTU only if:
 - Unable to mix correctly
 - Unsafe or unsanitary water supply
- Therapeutic (exempt) formula – RTU ok if:
 - Better accommodates medical condition
 - Improves compliance of prescribed formula

Portagen powder

- New can size
- Change in reconstituted ounces
- Change in maximum formula quantities



Gerber/Nestle

- Extensive HA (592)
- Alfamino Infant (593)
- Alfamino Junior (594)



Extensive HA powder

- Formula code 592
- For cow's milk allergy
- 100% extensively hydrolyzed whey
- Contains probiotic Bifidobacterium lactis

Protein hydrolysate comparison table

	Gerber Extensive HA	Nutramigen with Enflora LGG	Allimentum
Hydrolyzed protein	100% whey	100% casein	100% casein
Probiotic	B.lactis	Lactobacillus GG (LGG)	None
MCT % of total fat	49%	0%	33%
CHO blend	Maltodextrin potato starch	Corn syrup solids, corn starch	Maltodextrin sucrose

Alfamino Infant powder

- Amino acid based
- Hypoallergenic
- 43% of fat is MCT oil
- Indicated for infants with:
 - Multiple food allergies
 - Malabsorption
 - GI disorders including short bowel syndrome



Alfamino Junior powder

- Amino acid based
- Hypoallergenic
- 65% of fat is MCT oil
- Indicated for children with:
 - Multiple food allergies
 - Malabsorption
 - GI disorders including short bowel syndrome



Abbott

- Ensure High Protein (Therapeutic Nutrition) (574)
- Similac Special Care 20 (596)
- Similac Special Care 24 with High Protein (597)



Ensure High Protein (TN)

- Replaces Ensure High Protein at retail (former code 118)
- New code is 573
- Use in WIC:
 - Medical conditions that increase calorie needs



Similac Special Care 20

- Formula code 595
- Indicated for premature infants needing increased vitamins/minerals and protein but not calories



Similac Special Care 24 with High Protein

- Formula code 596
- Indicated for premature infants needing increased calories, protein, vitamins and minerals



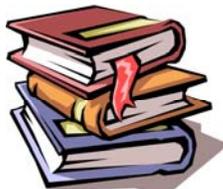
Graphics refresh

- Gerber Good Start line
 - Graphics and staging beginning fall 2015
- Similac line
 - Label refresh beginning Dec. 2015



Other updates

- Formula approval document updates
- Training updates
- Infant formula contract extended



Questions?



Final thoughts

- 25 new formulas have been added
 - Most are for metabolic conditions
- Mead Johnson has changed packaging for several ready-to-use formulas
- Contact SA for assistance with new formulas
- Updated trainings will be available soon.

Mead Johnson Ready-to Use Formula Options (November 2015)

Container Size	Enfamil Infant	Gentlease	Enfamil AR	Prosobee	Nutramigen	Enfacare
32oz can	Y	Y	Y	N (Not in TX)	Y	Y
32oz plastic bottle	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N
8oz-6pk reclosable bottles	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

Mead Johnson Ready-to-Use Formula Codes

Formula Code	Formula Name	New Code Y or N	Comments
442	ENFACARE RTU 32OZ	N	Can only
591	ENFACARE RTU 8OZ-6PK (48OZ)	Y	
401	ENFAMIL AR RTU 32OZ	N	Can only
587	ENFAMIL AR RTU 8OZ-6PK (48OZ)	Y	
487	ENFAMIL INFANT RTU 32OZ	N	Can or bottle
588	ENFAMIL INF RTU 8OZ-6PK (48OZ)	Y	
500	GENTLEASE RTU 32OZ	N	Can or bottle
589	GENTLEASE RTU 8OZ-6PK (48OZ)	Y	
024	NUTRAMIGEN RTU 32OZ	N	Can or bottle
590	NUTRAMIGEN RTU 8OZ-6PK (48OZ)	Y	
375	PROSOBEE RTU 32OZ	N	Do not issue – no longer in TX
586	PROSOBEE RTU 8OZ-6PK (48OZ)	Y	

Mead Johnson Formula Ready-to-Use Facts

- Staff may need to check local availability before issuing a Mead Johnson ready-to-use formula code.
- Please use the tables provided above to assist in making issuance decisions. Either code of the two available for each formula may be used with one exception:
 - **Prosobee RTU 32oz (375) – 32oz can is no longer sold in TX. Do not issue. Use the new code for 8oz-6pk instead (586)**
- When both 32oz bottles and cans are available, clients can purchase either or both when a 32oz code is issued.
- 8oz-6pk codes are issued and purchased by the 6 pack, not by the 8oz container. If the shopping list shows a quantity of 17, that means 17 – 6 packs. (Similar to Enfaport which is issued and purchased by the 6oz – 6 pack).

Other Mead Johnson Formula Information

Enfacare Reformulation

There will be a change in the whey:casein ratio, and increase in vitamin D content

- Reformulation affects the powder, 8oz-6pk, and 2oz (not TX WIC authorized but used in hospital)
- The 32 oz can will **not** contain the reformulated content.

Nutramigen Toddler reformulation

Fructose will be replaced by corn syrup solids and high oleic sunflower oil.

Portagen

- New can size with change in reformulated ounces will begin shipping in November.
- Two codes will coexist (008 or 597). Issue depending on availability at point of purchase (pharmacy, drop ship supplier).