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**TO:** WIC Regional Directors  
WIC Local Agency Directors

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**DATE:** March 18, 2016

**SUBJECT:** April 2016 Clinic Formula Table Update

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A revised clinic formula table will be downloaded to clinics on 3/31/16.

### Training Available

Live Adobe Connect Training is planned to discuss these changes and more on the following dates:

Thursday, April 14, 2016 from 12:00 noon – 1:00 PM

Monday, May 16, 2016 from 12:00 noon – 1:00 PM

The training will also be recorded and made available after the live presentations.

Included in this table update are the following changes:

### New Formulas:

- 598 ALIMENTUM PWD 12.1OZ (Change in can size. Reasons to issue remain the same as what is currently listed in the formulary dated November 2015.)
- 599 PURAMINO TODDLER PWD 14.1OZ (New product designed for Toddlers one year of age and up. Reasons to issue will be similar to Puramino.)
- 600 RENASTART PWD 14.1OZ (Reformulation and change in product size. Old size discontinued. Reasons to issue remain the same as what is currently listed in the formulary dated November 2015.)

### Discontinued Formulas (To be removed from pick list effective 4/1/16)

- 553 GRADUATES PROTECT PWD 22OZ
- 459 ENFAMIL 24 RTU 2OZ (No longer authorized)
- 472 SIM GO&GROW SOY PWD 1.38LBS.

### Discontinued Formulas – Will be removed from TWIN at a later date

- 554 GRADUATES SOY PWD 24OZ – Manufacturing end date - 4/1/16.  
**Effective immediately, please stop future issuance of formula code 554. GOOD START SOY PWD 12.9OZ is available if soy formula is needed. Previously issued**

product (code 554) can be purchased while available in stores.  
008 PORTAGEN PWD 16OZ – This size is no longer manufactured. The new can size is 14.46 oz. for formula code (597). Check with the supplier about the can size available before issuing.

#### Updated Resources Coming Soon

The Texas WIC Formulary and Medical Reasons for Issuance, Formula Code List and Maximum Quantity Table will be updated to reflect these changes and will be available in April 2016. Go to the DSHS WIC website for updated information dated April 2016 under the Formula Approval Resources section:

<http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/wichd/nut/foods-nut.shtm>

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