















# **FOOD** LIST

Effective October 1, 2020













## **WIC Participant Responsibilities**

#### Before you shop:

- 1. Check your benefit balance and the date your benefits expire before you shop.
- 2. Shop only at WIC-approved stores.
- Your WIC office will let you know the locations where you can use your benefits. Look for the "We Accept eWIC" decal at the grocery store.
- 4. Tell the clinic staff if you would like someone else to be able to pick up or use your WIC benefits.

To check your family balance, the Food List and more, download the EzWIC app (Arizona WIC Program and Navajo Nation WIC) or WIC Shopper app (ITCA WIC).



#### While you shop:

- 1. Read your benefits carefully to know which foods you can get. You can check your WIC balance at the store by swiping your card at the checkout stand and entering your PIN, calling the customer service number on your card, or using your WIC program's shopping app.
- 2. You may buy only foods and quantities listed on the balance section of the eWIC receipt. You do not have to buy all your foods at one time.

#### At the checkout stand:

- 1. Tell the cashier right away that you are using an eWIC card.
- 2. Ask the cashier if you need to separate WIC foods from other foods you're buying. Each store is different and may have a different process.
- 3. Wait for the cashier to ask you to swipe your eWIC card and enter your PIN.
- After foods are rung up, review the transaction before approving. After approving, the WIC food items purchased will be deducted from your account.
- 5. You will be given a new receipt with the remaining benefit balance and the date your benefits expire. Keep your receipt so you know the remaining balance and expiration date for your next shopping trip.

**Note:** Self-checkout may be allowed at some WIC approved vendors. Please look for signs near the self-checkout to see if it is approved or ask a store employee.

If you want to know if a certain brand of food is eligible, please contact your WIC office or check the food list database for your WIC program, shown below:



Arizona WIC foods azwic.gov/foods



Arizona WIC QR Code

Inter Tribal Council of Arizona WIC foods itcaonline.com/wic/foods



Navajo Nation WIC foods ndoh.navajo-nsn.gov/

#### If you have problems at the grocery store:

Talk to the store manager if you have a problem at the store. Report the date, time, and names of store staff involved and save your store receipt. Contact your WIC office if you are still not satisfied.

#### Product requests can be sent to the following addresses:

Arizona WIC: wicservicedesk@azdhs.gov

Inter Tribal Council of Arizona, Inc. WIC: wicupc@itcaonline.com

Navajo Nation WIC: ndoh.navajo-nsn.gov/

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# **Infant Cereal and Formula**

## **Infant Cereal**

Any of the following brands and varieties of infant cereal, in the 8 oz. or 16 oz. size (including organic)

## Not Included

- Infant cereal with added fruit, sugar, yogurt, formula, or DHA/ARA
- Jars, cans, or single-serving cups
- High protein



Gerber MultiGrain



Gerber Oatmeal



Gerber Rice



Gerber Whole Wheat



Beech-Nut Multigrain



Earth's Best Multi-Grain



Beech-Nut Oatmeal



Earth's Best Oatmeal



Beech-Nut Rice



Earth's Best Rice

Only the brand, type, and size included on your WIC benefits.

Infant Formula



24-Hour Breastfeeding Hotline 1-800-833-4642 gobreastmilk.org

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## Infant Fruits and Vegetables

Any of the following brands, single or mixed variety (including organic) of 4 oz. Stage 2 infant fruits and vegetables

## Not Included

- Foods with added salt, sugar, or starches
- Desserts, dinners, or food combinations
- Added formula, cereal, or DHA/ARA
- Smoothies
- Pouches



Beech-Nut



Earth's Best



Gerber



Parent's Choice



Tippy Toes



Yummy Naturals

#### You can mix and match up to the amount included in your benefits. 256 oz. = 64 jars or 32 two-packs

128 oz. = 32 jars or 32 two-packs 64 oz. = 16 jars or 8 two-packs

Infants 9 months and older can get cash value benefits towards fresh fruits and vegetables instead of half of their infant fruits and vegetables. Ask your clinic for more information.

## Allowable for fully breastfeeding infants only

Any of the following brands of 2.5 oz. single ingredient infant meats (added broth and gravy allowed, organic allowed) in any stage

## Not Included

- Foods with added salt or sugar
- Dinners or food combinations
- Meat sticks



Beech-Nut



Earth's Best



Gerber



Tippy Toes

You can mix and match meat types up to the amount included in your benefits.

77.5 oz. = 31 jars

## Milk



#### Any brand, refrigerated milk in container sizes as specified on your WIC benefits

- Pasteurized fluid cow's milk
  - Fat-free
  - Low-fat (1%)
  - Reduced-fat (2%)
  - Whole

### **Other Milk Types**

- Evaporated milk (12 oz. can)
- Powdered dry milk (9.6 to 25.6 oz. package)
- UHT/Sterile/ Long shelf-life milk
- Lactose-free cow's milk (1/2 gallon container)
- Navajo Nation WIC only: Lactose-free cow's milk (1/2 gallon and 96 oz. containers)

- Chocolate milk
- Flavored milk
- Buttermilk
- Acidophilus milk
- Half and half
- Raw milk
- Sweetened condensed milk
- Creamers
- Filled milk
- Organic milk
- Nut or grain milk (like almond or rice milk)
- Coconut milk

# **Milk Alternatives**

## Soy Milk

#### Any of the following brands and types in the sizes indicated

## Not Included

- Soy milk with added DHA/ ARA
- Organic or Light
- Silk Soymilk in other flavors



8th Continent, ½ gallon, refrigerated, Original and Vanilla only



Pacific Ultra Soy, 32 oz. shelf stable, Original only



Silk, ½ gallon, refrigerated, Original only

#### Goat Milk = Arizona WIC only

Tofu

Meyenberg, quart, refrigerated

## Not Included

- Evaporated
- Powdered





Whole

Any of the following brands of water-packed, any texture (i.e., soft, medium, firm or extra firm) calcium-set tofu in a 16 oz. size only

## Not Included

Tofu with added fats, sugars, oils, or sodium



Azumaya



House Foods





O Organics

Sunrise



## Nonfat and Low-fat Yogurt\*

Any of the following brands of nonfat and low-fat regular and Greek yogurt in any flavor

#### Not Included

- Yogurt with mix-ins such as granola, candy pieces, honey, nuts and similar ingredients
- Yogurts that are drinkable
- Organic yogurt
- Gogurt Slushies
- Non-dairy yogurt

## 32 oz. quart-sized (any flavor)



\*Fat content is specified on your WIC benefits.

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16-packs

8-packs

and Light)

## Whole Milk Yogurt\*

Any of the following brands of whole milk regular and Greek yogurt in any flavor

#### Not Included

- Yogurt with mix-ins such as granola, candy pieces, honey, nuts and similar ingredients
- Yogurts that are drinkable
- Organic yogurt
- Non-dairy yogurt

## 32 oz. quart-sized (any flavor)

**The following store brands:** Food Club, Lucerne, Simply Balanced, and WinCo











Brown Cow Cream Top

Chobani

Dannon

Dannon Oikos



Greek Gods





Mountain High Original

Zoi

## Packs (any flavor)



Noosa 4 oz. 4-packs (including blended and fruit on the bottom)

\*Fat content is specified on your WIC benefits.

## Cheese





#### Any brand of pasteurized, pre-packaged, block and shredded cheese, 1 lb. (16 oz.), regular, reduced fat, and low sodium

- Cheddar (mild, medium, sharp, extra sharp, longhorn, and white)
- Colby
- Monterey Jack
- Mozzarella (includes string cheese)
- Muenster
- Provolone
- Swiss
- Blended cheese (blend of any types listed above)

- Diced or sliced
- · Cheese from the deli counter
- · Random weight cheese
- Cheese with added peppers or other ingredients
- Imported cheese
- Processed American cheese, processed cheese food, cheese product
- Cheese spread
- Cream cheese
- Cheese sticks (except mozzarella string cheese)
- Packages less than 16 oz.
- Organic cheese

# Juice (page 1 of 3)

## — 11.5 to 12 oz. Frozen Concentrate = and 64 oz. Shelf Stable

Any of the following brands of 100% juice; no added sugar or sweetener

Allowable containers include plastic bottles, cartons, and cans only

#### Not Included

- Organic juice
- Juice cocktail
- Tree Top 3 Apple Blend
- Odwalla or Naked brands of refrigerated orange iuice
- V8 Splash

## Apple



# Juice (page 2 of 3)

## 11.5 to 12 oz. Frozen Concentrate and 64 oz. Shelf Stable

Any of the following brands of 100% juice; no added sugar or sweetener

#### **Tomato**



Campbell's

## Orange\*/Grapefruit\*





Grapefruit Any Brand

Any Brand

Shelf Stable or Refrigerated \*Calcium fortified allowed Any Brand Orange





**Mixed Flavors** 







Old Orchard



V8 (Original, Low Sodium, and Spicy Hot flavors)\*\*



Dole



Old Orchard

\*\*No V8 Splash

# Juice (page 3 of 3)

## 6-Packs of 5.5 to 6 oz. Containers

## Only when specified on your WIC benefits Only these brands of 100% juice,

no added sugar or sweetener



Dole Pineapple



Donald Duck Orange



V8 (Original, Low Sodium, and Spicy Hot flavors)

## Navajo Nation and ITCA WIC Only

#### 8-packs 4.23 oz. containers



Juicy Juice (any flavor)

WIC recommends limiting juice to 4 ounces daily for toddlers 1 to 3 years old, and 4 to 6 ounces daily for children 4 to 6 years old.

# Fruits (page 1 of 2)

## Fresh Fruits



#### Any variety of fresh fruit

- Whole
- Cut-up
- Single pieces
- Bagged and pre-packaged
- Organic

- Dried fruit
- Fruit-nut mixtures
- Fruit with dipping sauce
- Fruit for purchase on salad bars
- Ornamental fruits
- Fruit baskets
- Party trays
- Items such as blueberry
  muffins
- Fruit with added sugar, fat, oil, or salt

# Fruits (page 2 of 2)

## **Frozen Fruits**



#### Any brand

- Any size and type of container
- Any single or mixed variety
- Organic

### Not Included

- Fruit with:
  - added sugar, fat, oil, or salt
  - artificial sweeteners such as NutraSweet, Splenda, or Stevia
  - any other added foods
- Smoothies

## Canned Fruits\*

#### Arizona and Navajo Nation WIC only



#### Any brand

- Any size and type of container (shelf stable and refrigerated)
- Any single or mixed variety packaged in juice or water
- Natural and unsweetened applesauce
- Organic

## Not Included

- Fruit:
  - packed in syrup such as heavy, light, or extra light
  - with added sugar, fat, oil, or salt
  - packed in sweetened fruit juice or nectar
  - artificial sweeteners such as NutraSweet, Splenda, or Stevia
- Cranberry sauce or pie filling

\*Allowable containers include cans, cups, jars, and pouches.

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# Vegetables (page 1 of 2)

## Fresh Vegetables



#### Any variety of fresh vegetables

- Whole
- Cut-up
- Single pieces
- Bagged and pre-packaged, including lettuce
- Organic

- Kits with dressings or dipping sauces
- Herbs or spices
- Edible blossoms such as squash blossoms (broccoli, cauliflower, and artichokes are allowed)
- Creamed or sauced vegetables
- Vegetable-grain mixtures
- Breaded vegetables
- Vegetables for purchase on salad bars
- Salad kits
- Ornamental vegetables, such as chilies on a string
- · Painted pumpkins
- Party trays
- Vegetables with added sugar, fat, oil, or salt

# Vegetables (page 2 of 2)

## **Frozen Vegetables**



#### Any brand

- Any size and type of container
- Any single or mixed variety
- Steamer bags
- Organic

## Not Included

- Breaded or seasoned vegetables
- French fries, tater tots, or hash browns
- Vegetables with:
  - sauce such as cheese, butter, or teriyaki sauce
  - added sugar, syrup, oil, fat, pasta, or rice

## **Canned Vegetables\***

## Arizona and Navajo Nation WIC only



#### Any brand

- Any size and type of container
- Regular and low sodium
- Any single or mixed variety
- Tomato sauce, paste, puree, whole, crushed, and diced tomatoes
- Organic

## Not Included

- Vegetables with added fat, sugar\*\*, or oil
- Added pasta or rice
- Pickled or creamed vegetables
- Vegetables in sauce
- Pizza sauce, soups, ketchup, relish, or olives

\*Allowable containers include cans, cups, jars, and pouches.

\*\* Sugar allowed for sweet peas and corn only.

## Beans

## Dry Beans, Peas, Lentils –



Any brand, any variety

(including organic), in a 16 oz.

package size

## Not Included

- Green, yellow, or wax beans
- Fresh or frozen beans
- Refried beans
- Bean soup mixes with flavoring packets/spices
- Bulk

## Canned Beans



Any brand, any variety (including organic), plain, or low sodium in up to 16 oz. size

Varieties such as:

- Black
- Black-eyed peas
- Cannellini
- Garbanzo (Chickpeas)
- Great Northern
- Kidney (red and white)
- Lima
- Navy
- Pink
- Pinto
- Red

## Not Included

- Refried beans
- Peas or lentils
- Green peas, green beans, or wax beans
- Baked, Cajun, barbeque, or ranch style
- Beans with added fat, oils, meat, fruits, or vegetables
- Pork and beans
- Chili beans
- For each container of dry beans/peas/lentils on your eWIC card, you can buy either a 16 oz. container of dry beans/peas/lentils or 4 cans (up to a 16 oz. size each).

Each can of beans counts as 0.25 of a container.

2.00 containers = 8 cans	1.00 container = 4 cans
1.75 containers = 7 cans	0.75 container = 3 cans
1.50 containers = 6 cans	0.50 container = 2 cans
1.25 containers = 5 cans	0.25 container = 1 can

## **Peanut Butter and Eggs**

## Peanut Butter =



#### Any brand, 16 to 18 oz.

- Plain, creamy, crunchy, chunky, and super chunky
- Low sodium
- Low sugar
- Natural

## Not Included

- Peanut butter spread
- Peanut butter with added jams, jellies, chocolate, marshmallows, DHA, omega-3 or honey
- Peanut butter in tubes
- Organic peanut butter

## Eggs •



#### Any brand, dozen-size carton

- Fresh, raw, white chicken eggs
- Fresh, raw, brown chicken eggs
- Medium, large, extra large, or jumbo

- Specialty eggs (low cholesterol, DHA, organic, free range, cage free, nest, or fertile)
- Eggs in six-pack cartons
- Egg substitutes

# **Canned Fish**

#### Tuna



#### Any brand, any size, up to the amount listed on your WIC benefits

- Chunk light only
- Plain, water packed
- Regular and low sodium

## Not Included

- Solid white or Albacore tuna
- Tuna with soy protein added
- Oil-packed tuna
- Prime fillet
- Lunch kit tuna mix
- Tuna packed in pouches
- Tuna with added ingredients
- Flavored or seasoned tuna

## **Pink Salmon**



#### Any brand, any size, up to the amount listed on your WIC benefits

- Pink salmon only
- Plain, water packed
- Regular and low sodium

## Not Included

- Salmon with added ingredients
- Red salmon
- Salmon in pouches
- Flavored or seasoned salmon
- Atlantic salmon
- Fillets

#### Sardines -



#### Any brand

 3.75 oz. cans, flavored, seasoned, and plain

- Brisling
- Norwegian
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## Hot Cereal

11.8 to 36 oz. boxes

Any of the following brands of hot cereal. You may combine several sizes of containers to equal up to 36 oz.

### Not Included

- Hot cereals less than 11.8 oz.
- Added raisins, fruit, or nuts
- Variety packs •
- Organic cereals



Cream of Rice



Cream of Wheat Cream of Wheat Original 1 Minute



Original 2.5 minute



Cream of Wheat Original Instant Individual Packets



Malt O Meal Original



Quaker Instant Grits Original



Quaker Instant Oatmeal Original

= Gluten free.

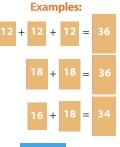
= Whole grain cereal. Whole grains are higher in fiber and nutrients that are important for heart and digestive health.

# Cereal (page 2 of 3)

## Cold Cereal

#### 12 to 36 oz. bags and boxes

Any of the following brands of cold cereal. You may combine several sizes of containers to equal • Cold cereals less than 12 oz. up to 36 oz.



## Not Included

- Variety packs
- Frosted cereals except those listed as allowable
- Organic cereals





Any of the following WinCo



All Bran Complete Wheat Flakes

Any of the following store brands of Crispy Rice: Best Yet, First

Street, Food Club, Great Value, Kroger, Market Pantry, Shurfine, Signature Signature Select, and Select and WinCo

store brands of Toasted Oats: First Street, Food Club, Kroger, Shurfine,



- = 100% folic acid per serving.
- = Gluten free.
- = Whole grain cereal. Whole grains are higher in fiber and nutrients that are important for heart and digestive health.

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# Cereal (page 3 of 3)

## Cold Cereal

#### 12 to 36 oz. bags and boxes



Frosted Mini Spooners



Honey Bunches of Oats Almond



Frosted Mini Wheats Original



Grape Nuts Flakes



Grape Nuts Original



of Oats

Whole Grain

Almond Crunch

OATS Whole Grain Honey Bunches Honey Bunches Honey Bunches

of Oats Whole Grain Honey Crunch



Honey Bunches of Oats Whole Grain Vanilla Bunches



of Oats

Honey Roasted

Kix - Plain



Life Original



Quaker **Oatmeal Squares** Brown Sugar



Quaker **Oatmeal Squares** Cinnamon



**Rice Krispies** 



Special K



= 100% folic acid per serving.

= Whole grain cereal. Whole grains are higher in fiber and nutrients that are important for heart and digestive health.

# Whole Grains (page 1of 4)

## 100% Whole Wheat Bread

#### Any of the following brands 100% whole wheat bread in a 16 oz. loaf

## Not Included

- Gluten free
- Diet, light, or low carb
- Mini loaves
- Pita or flat bread
- English muffins
- Sandwich thins or rounds
- Bagels
- Buns
- Rolls



Ozark Hearth

Sara Lee

Wonder

**Brown Rice** 



Any brand of brown rice (instant, quick, boil-in-bag, or regular cooking), long or short grain, in a 14 to 16 oz. package size



- Seasoned or flavored rice
- White rice
- Basmati or jasmine rice
- Organic rice

# Whole Grains (page 2 of 4)

## **Whole Wheat Pasta**

Any of the following brands of whole wheat pasta (including organic) in a 16 oz. package size

## Not Included

- Pastas that list any other flour besides whole wheat and/or whole durum wheat flour in the ingredients
- Pastas with added sugars, fats, oils, or salt



**Any of the following store brands:** Full Circle, Great Value, Kroger, O Organics, P\$\$t, Shurfine, Signature Select, Simple Truth Organics, Simply Balanced, Sun Harvest, and WinCo



Barilla



Hodgson Mill



Delallo



Ronzoni

# Whole Grains (page 3 of 4)

## **Soft Corn Tortillas**

Any of the following brands of yellow and white soft corn tortillas in a 16 oz. package size

### Not Included

- Tortilla chips
- Tostada or taco shells
- Organic tortillas



Casa Rica



El Super



Don Pancho



Food Club



Dos Ranchitos



Guerrero

Corn Tortilla



IGA



Kroger



La Burrita



Mama Lola's



Santa Fe Tortilla Company

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Mission

# Whole Grains (page 4 of 4)

## Whole Wheat Flour Tortillas

#### Any of the following brands whole wheat flour tortillas in a 16 oz. package size

Whole wheat flour must be the only flour listed in the ingredient list.

## Not Included

- Tortilla chips
- Tostada or taco shells
- White flour tortillas
- Flavored tortillas (such as spinach or tomato)
- Organic tortillas



Don Pancho



Guerrero Tortillas de Harina Integral



La Banderita



Food Club



IGA



Great Value



Kroger



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Sante Fe Tortilla Company



Signature Kitchens

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# WIC promotes breastfeeding as the optimal infant feeding choice.

The WIC Program provides the following. Contact your local clinic to learn more.









Educational Materials



Breast Pumps for Moms



Mothers who are exclusively breastfeeding get the enhanced WIC food package

