



Formulary Guide for Healthcare Providers



Formulas Available Through WIC

PA WIC currently holds a contract with Abbott Nutrition for standard Similac infant formulas. Various brands of specialized formulas are also available through WIC to address medical needs of women, infants, and children. Formulas provided by WIC are for oral or tube feeding as applicable.



Formula Authorization Forms

Medical documentation is required by the Code of Federal Regulations for all specialized formulas and nutrition supplements. This form can be found at <https://www.pawic.com/> in the Health Care Providers tab. It is important to complete all fields so that WIC can provide specialized formula to your patients as quickly as possible.



Ready to Feed Formulas

The Code of Federal Regulations requires specific criteria for ready to feed formula to be issued. Therefore, WIC is not able to provide ready to feed formula to healthy, full-term infants unless the formula needed is only available in ready to feed form. Otherwise, ready to feed formula may be provided to infants with certain medical needs or environmental risks.



PA WIC proudly promotes and supports breastfeeding as the optimal infant nutrition source. Formulas are available for those who cannot or choose not to breastfeed.

Authorized Products

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<p>Standard Infant Formulas - Contract with Abbott Nutrition</p>	
<p>Standard Infant Formulas - Non-Contract Brands</p>	<p>Any standard infant formula that is not listed in our contract must be approved by WIC on a case-by-case basis. If approved, a completed formula authorization form (FAF) will be required. Enfamil AR requires a completed FAF but is not subject to case-by-case WIC approval.</p>
<p>Standard Infant Formulas That Are <u>Not</u> Authorized</p>	<p>Examples include, but are not limited to: Similac 360 Total Care products, Similac Pro formulas, Gerber Pro formulas, Enfamil NeuroPro formulas.</p>
<p>Specialized Infant Formulas</p>	<p>Extensively Hydrolyzed and Amino Acid Based formulas, Pre- and Post-Discharge formulas, Renal formulas, Metabolic formulas except for PKU.</p>
<p>Specialized Formulas for Women and Children</p>	<p>Transitional formulas, Complete Balanced Nutritional Supplements for children and adults, Extensively Hydrolyzed and Amino Acid-Based formulas, Peptide-Based supplements, Modular formulas, Diabetic and Renal formulas, Ketogenic formulas, Metabolic formulas</p>

If the product you are prescribing is not currently available through PA WIC, it may be added once the patient's completed formula authorization form is provided to WIC.

Questions?
Contact 717-783-1289 and ask to speak with a Nutrition Consultant.

