

MINIMUM REQUIRED STOCK



FOR STORES WITH FOUR OR MORE CASH REGISTERS

The minimum required stock is the specific types, sizes and amounts of WIC authorized foods that must be in a vendor's store during business hours. The stock must be in either the store or the store's stockroom. Expired foods do not count toward the minimum required stock.

See current Authorized Foods List at mdwic.org for allowed brands, varieties, and other food specifications.

ITEM	BRAND OR TYPE	SIZE	VARIETIES	QUANTITY
Milk	Whole	gallons	--	4
	1% or Fat Free	gallons	--	6
Cheese	Domestic, block, sliced, shredded, stick, string, cubed or cracker size slices	8 oz. or 16 oz.	4 varieties	6 pounds
Eggs	White or brown, medium, or large, cage free is okay	dozen	--	6
Beans	Dry, bags	16 or 32 oz.	2 varieties	3
	Canned, packed in water	15 - 16 oz.	3 varieties	12
Peanut Butter	Plain, smooth, creamy, crunchy, or extra crunchy	16 - 18 oz.	1 variety	6
Canned Fish (cans only)	Chunk Light Tuna, in water or oil (with added spices, sauces, and flavorings such as tomato, mustard, herb, or lemon - ok)	5-6 oz. or 12 oz. 4pks of 5 oz. - ok	2 varieties	30 oz.
	Pink Salmon, in water or oil	5-7.5 or 14.75 oz. 4pks of 5 oz. - ok		
	Sardines, packed in water or oil (with added spices, sauces, and flavorings such as tomato, mustard, herb, or lemon - ok)	3.75-5.5 or 15 oz.		
Cereal	Corn, Wheat, Oats, or Rice	12 oz. or larger	2 varieties	6
	Whole Grain Wheat or Oats	12 oz. or larger	2 varieties	6
	Hot Cereal	9.5 oz. or larger	1 variety	1

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ITEM	BRAND OR TYPE	SIZE	VARIETIES	QUANTITY
Fruits, Vegetables, & Fresh Herbs	Fresh, whole, cut, loose or pre-packaged (*herbs – fresh only) frozen, canned or dried (organics allowed)	--	2 varieties of fruits and 3 varieties of vegetables	\$32 total value
Juice	100% Unsweetened Fruit Juice	64 oz.	2 varieties	6
Bread, Rolls, Pasta, Tortillas, Oats, Brown Rice, White Quinoa, Bulgur, Buckwheat, or Cornmeal	100% Whole Wheat Bread	12-24 oz.	At least 2 varieties of either Bread, Rolls, Pasta, Tortillas, Oats, Brown Rice, White Quinoa, Bulgur, Buckwheat, or Cornmeal	4 pounds
	100% Whole Wheat Buns/Rolls	12-16 oz.		
	100% Whole Wheat Pasta	16 oz.		
	100% Soft Corn or Whole Wheat Tortillas	16 oz.		
	100% Oats	16-32 oz.		
	Brown Rice, White Quinoa, Bulgur, Buckwheat, or Cornmeal, plain, dry	12-32 oz.		
	100% Whole Wheat Pita	12-18 oz.		
Infant Formula	Similac Advance (milk-based) as specified by the WIC infant formula rebate contract	12.4 oz.	Powdered	15
	Similac Isomil (soy based) as specified by the WIC infant formularebate contract	12.4 oz.	Powdered	4
Infant Cereal	Dry (organics allowed)	8 or 16 oz.	2 varieties 1 must be rice	6
Infant Fruits	Plain or Combination of Fruits (organics allowed)	4 oz. container or 2-pack of 2 oz. or 2-pack of 4 oz. containers	2 varieties	16
Infant Vegetables	Plain or Combination of Vegetables (organics allowed)	4 oz. container or 2-pack of 2 oz. or 2-pack of 4 oz. containers	2 varieties	16
Infant Meat	Plain (organics allowed)	2.5 oz.	1 variety	6