

## Appendix III: VT WIC Minimum Inventory Standard for Chains, Large Grocers and Coops

Use this checklist to determine if your store meets Vermont WIC's required Minimum Inventory, and to periodically check/monitor your stores compliance with the standards.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Store \_\_\_\_\_ Reviewer \_\_\_\_\_

Category	Subcategory	Quantity Required on Shelf	Size/Container	Type	Total This Category	Quantity Req Met? Y/N	Variety Requirement Met? Y/N	If marginal, what is delivery frequency?	Meets MI Standard? Y/N
<b>Fruits and Vegetables</b>									
	<b>Fruits</b>				<b>Any quantity of 16 varieties</b>				
	Fresh	8 varieties	fresh	Any WIC approved fresh fruits	<b>Any quantity of 8 varieties</b>				
	Canned or frozen	8 varieties	canned or frozen	Any WIC approved canned or frozen fruits	<b>Any quantity of 8 varieties</b>				
	<b>Vegetables</b>				<b>Any quantity of 16 varieties</b>				
	Fresh	8 varieties	fresh	Any WIC approved fresh vegetables	<b>Any quantity of 8 varieties</b>				
	Canned or frozen	8 varieties	canned or frozen	Any WIC approved canned/frozen vegetables	<b>Any quantity of 8 varieties</b>				

Note: Fresh produce with PLU's are in our APL. Fresh produce with UPCs need to be mapped to 4469. It is important to update your store's POS in conjunction with produce deliveries to be sure all fresh produce items eligible for WIC are mapped correctly.

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<b>Whole Grains</b>	<b>Must carry these 4 of 5 whole grain subcategory options.</b>				<b>Total 36 whole grain items</b>				
	Bread	18 X 3 varieties	16 oz loaves	Any WIC approved bread					
	Brown Rice	6	1 lb box/bag	Any WIC approved brown rice					
	Tortillas	6	16 oz package	Any WIC approved tortillas					
	Pasta	6	1 lb box/bag	Any WIC approved pasta					
	Oatmeal	6	16 oz package	Any WIC approved oatmeal					
<b>Dairy (Eggs, Milk, Cheese, Yogurt, Soy Beverage and Tofu)</b>									
<b>Eggs</b>					<b>Total 8 dozen eggs</b>				
	Medium, Large, Extra Large, Jumbo, Brown or White	8	Whole Dozen	Any WIC approved eggs					
<b>Milk</b>					<b>Total 38 milk (16 gallons, 8 half gallons and 6 quarts)</b>				
	Low-fat Milk	10	Gallons	Any WIC approved 1%, or skim (fat free) fluid milk					
		8	Half Gallons						
		4	Quarts						

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	Whole Milk	6	Gallons	Any WIC approved <b>Whole</b> fluid milk					
		<u>and</u> 2	Quarts						
	Lactose Free	4	Half Gallons	WIC-approved Lactose Free 1% or skim (fat free) fluid milk					
		4	Half Gallons	WIC-approved Lactose Free <b>Whole</b> fluid milk					
	<b>Cheese</b>				<b>Total 8 pounds cheese, 2 varieties</b>				
	Block, Shredded or Sliced American	8 lbs, minimum 2 varieties	8 oz and/or 16 oz blocks/bricks	Any WIC approved cheese					
	<b>Yogurt</b>				<b>Total 16 yogurt</b>				
	Low-fat Yogurt	10	32 oz tubs	Any WIC approved 1%, or skim (fat free) yogurt					
	Whole Milk Yogurt	<u>and</u> 6	32 oz tubs	Any WIC approved <b>Whole</b> milk yogurt					

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	<b>Soymilk Beverage</b>				<b>Total 12 soy beverage</b>				
		6	64 oz Refrigerated	Any WIC approved <b>fortified</b> Soymilk Beverage					
		Upon Request	32 oz Shelf-stable	Any WIC approved <b>fortified</b> Soymilk Beverage					
	<b>Tofu</b>				<b>Total 8 packages tofu</b>				
		8	8, 14, and 16 oz packages	Any WIC approved tofu					
<b>Peanut Butter / Beans, Peas, Lentils</b>					<b>38 Total Units</b>				
	<b>Peanut Butter</b>	18	16-18 ounce jars	Any WIC approved peanut butter	<b>Total 18 Jars</b>				
	<b>Canned Beans</b>	8 X 2 varieties	15-16 oz cans	Any WIC approved canned legumes	<b>Total 16 Cans or</b>				
	<b>Dried Beans, Lentils, Peas</b>	OR 2 X 2 varieties	1 pound bags	Any WIC approved dried legumes	<b>4 Bags Legumes</b>				

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<b>Cereal</b>					<b>Total 18 whole grain and 12 other boxes</b>				
	Whole Grain WIC Cereals	9 X 3 varieties whole grain	8.9 oz boxes, min weight	Any WIC approved <u>whole grain</u> cereal					
	Other (non-whole grain, hot or cold)	6 X 2 varieties non-whole grain	8.9 oz boxes, min weight	Any WIC approved cereal					
<b>Juice</b>					<b>Total 38 juice</b>				
	Children	12, min 2 varieties	64 oz fluid	Any WIC approved, shelf stable or refrigerated					
		6, min 1 variety	16 oz frozen OJ OR 64 oz fluid refrigerated OJ	Any WIC approved frozen OR refrigerated OJ					
	Women	12, min 2 varieties	48 oz fluid	Any WIC approved shelf stable					
		AND 8, min 2 varieties	11.5/12 oz frozen	Any WIC approved frozen juice					

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<b>Canned Fish</b>					<b>Total 12 cans fish</b>				
	<b>Tuna, Salmon or Sardines</b>	12	5 oz cans	Any WIC approved canned fish					
<b>Infant Formula and Foods</b>									
	<b>Infant Formula</b>				<b>Total 36 cans formula</b>				
	<b>Contract Brand</b>	36	cans	Abbott Similac Advance Powder 12.4 oz <b>UPC# 070074559582</b>					
	<b>Infant Foods</b>				<b>Total 72 jars (36 fruits and 36 vegetables)</b>				
	<b>Infant Fruits</b>	36, min 3 varieties	4 oz jars	3 varieties WIC approved infant **fruits	<b>Total 36 jars fruits</b>				
	<b>Infant Vegetables</b>	36, min 3 varieties	4 oz jars	3 varieties WIC approved infant **vegetables	<b>Total 36 jars vegetables</b>				
	** Many Infant Fruit and Vegetable combinations are WIC Approved – Refer to the APL and UPC Database for all WIC allowed products.								
	<b>Infant Meats</b>	24	2.5 oz jars	2 varieties WIC approved infant meats	<b>Total 24 jars meats</b>				
	<b>Infant Cereal</b>	8	8 oz boxes	Any WIC Approved infant cereal	<b>Total 8 boxes infant cereal</b>				