

Appendix B: 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
Fruits and Vegetables									
	Fruits				Any quantity of 16 varieties				
	Fresh	8 varieties	fresh	Any WIC approved fresh fruits	Any quantity of 8 varieties				
	Canned or frozen	8 varieties	canned or frozen	Any WIC approved canned or frozen fruits	Any quantity of 8 varieties				
	Vegetables				Any quantity of 16 varieties				
	Fresh	8 varieties	fresh	Any WIC approved fresh vegetables	Any quantity of 8 varieties				
	Canned or frozen	8 varieties	canned or frozen	Any WIC approved canned/frozen vegetables	Any quantity of 8 varieties				

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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Whole Grains	Must carry these 4 whole grain subcategory options.				Total 36 whole grain items				
	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 (optional)	0	16 oz package	Any WIC approved oatmeal					
Dairy (Eggs, Milk, Cheese, Yogurt, Soy Beverage and Tofu)									
Eggs					Total 8 dozen eggs				
	Medium, Large, Extra Large, Jumbo, Brown or White	8	Whole Dozen	Any WIC approved eggs					
Milk					Total 38 milk (16 gallons, 8 half gallons and 6 quarts)				
	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 Whole fluid milk					
		and 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 Whole fluid milk					
	Cheese				Total 8 pounds cheese, 2 varieties				
	Block, Shredded or Sliced American	8 lbs, minimum 2 varieties	8 oz and/or 16 oz blocks/bricks	Any WIC approved cheese					
	Yogurt				Total 16 yogurt				
	Low-fat Yogurt	10	32 oz tubs	Any WIC approved 1%, or skim (fat free) yogurt					
	Whole Milk Yogurt	and 6	32 oz tubs	Any WIC approved Whole milk yogurt					

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

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Cereal					Total 18 whole grain and 12 other boxes				
	Whole Grain WIC Cereals	9 X 3 varieties whole grain	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	9 oz boxes, min weight	Any WIC approved cereal					
Juice					Total 38 juice				
	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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Canned Fish					Total 12 cans fish				
	Tuna, Salmon or Sardines	12	5 oz cans	Any WIC approved canned fish					
Infant Formula and Foods									
	Infant Formula				Total 36 cans formula				
	Contract Brand	36	cans	Gerber Good Start Gentle Pro 12.7 oz can UPC 000 5000021667 3					
	Infant Foods				Total 72 jars (36 fruits and 36 vegetables)				
	Infant Fruits	36, min 3 varieties	4 oz jars	3 varieties WIC approved infant **fruits	Total 36 jars fruits				
	Infant Vegetables	36, min 3 varieties	4 oz jars	3 varieties WIC approved infant **vegetables	Total 36 jars vegetables				
	** Many Infant Fruit and Vegetable combinations are WIC Approved – Refer to the APL and UPC Database for all WIC allowed products.								
	Infant Meats	24	2.5 oz jars	2 varieties WIC approved infant meats	Total 24 jars meats				
	Infant Cereal	8	8 oz boxes	Any WIC Approved infant cereal	Total 8 boxes infant cereal				