

Formulas

(Effective August 1, 2010)

Contract Formulas (no prescription required)



Enfamil PREMIUM Infant
 (powder or concentrate)



Enfamil ProSobee
 (powder or concentrate)



Enfamil Gentlease
 (powder)



Enfamil A.R.
 (powder)

Effective August 1, 2010, WIC no longer provides Enfamil LIPIL with Iron. If you have questions, please refer to the California MD-WIC Network directory for a local WIC dietitian, www.wicworks.ca.gov (go to Professional Resources and click Health Professionals).

What about Therapeutic Formulas

If one of WIC's contract formulas is not appropriate for your patients, there may be a medical condition warranting a therapeutic formula. As part of the patient's treatment plan, **therapeutic formulas should be covered by the health plan when the clinician provides adequate medical justification.** Should your patient be denied coverage by Medi-Cal or other health insurance, WIC may provide the therapeutic formula. WIC will require a letter of denial from the health plan and Medi-Cal.

WIC requires a prescription every three months for most therapeutic formulas. The prescription must include the:

- diagnosis warranting issuance of a therapeutic formula,
- name of the medically necessary formula and amount per day,
- WIC foods NOT appropriate for the diagnosis if ≥ 6 months of age
- length of time the formula and WIC foods are medically required,
- signature and contact information of the health care professional, and
- date prescription was written.

By six months of age, many infants are reassessed by WIC for tolerance and reintroduction of a WIC contract formula.

For more information about WIC formulas or to contact a WIC dietitian (MD-WIC Network), visit the California WIC website at www.wicworks.ca.gov and click Health Professionals.