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POLICY ALERT

Date: July 21, 2009

Reference: # CACFP DCH 2009-22

To: Child and Adult Care Food Program-Day Care Homes (CACFP DCH) Sponsors

Subject: Iron Fortified Infant Formulas That Do Not Require a Medical Statement

Effective Date: Immediately

Purpose

REPLACE CACFP DCH Handbook Item 11830, *Iron Fortified Infant Formulas That Do Not Require a Medical Statement*

Implementation

Immediately

Procedure

Replace CACFP DCH Handbook Item 11830 with the following:

Attached is a revised listing of iron-fortified infant formulas that do not require a medical statement. This listing can also be found at the following website:

<http://www.fns.usda.gov/cnd/Care/Regs-policy/infantmeals/FormulaList.htm>.

Although a medical statement is not required for the attached iron-fortified infant formulas, the sponsor/provider should only provide an infant with the formula recommended to the infant's parent/guardian by the infant's health care provider. If you offer a different type of formula, the infant's parent may choose to decline the offered formula and supply another type.

Contact

If you have any questions please contact your Food and Nutrition Field Operations Office.

ATTACHMENT

This Policy Remains in Effect Until Further Notice