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Vendor News Flash

WIC Increases Not-to-Exceed (NTE) Prices

Due to the rapid increase in food prices, Texas WIC is increasing the “not-to-exceed” (NTE) price on many food subcategories effective **December 1, 2022**. The new NTE prices are listed below.

Summary of Changes:

Cat-Subcat	Description	Current NTE	New NTE
01-003	BUTTERMILK LOWFAT	\$8.00	\$8.32
03-001	EGGS SM/MED/LG	\$4.16	\$4.33
03-003	EGGS XLG/JUMBO	\$4.33	\$4.50
03-008	BROWN EGGS SM/MED/LG	\$4.33	\$5.00
03-010	BROWN EGGS CAGE FREE SM/MED/LG	\$5.50	\$5.72
03-014	ORGANIC EGGS SM/MED/LG	\$6.00	\$6.24
04-004	JUICE 64 OZ &/OR 16 OZ FRZ	\$3.75	\$3.90
06-002	PEANUT BUTTER 16 OZ TO 18 OZ	\$3.71	\$3.86
06-004	ORGANIC PEANUT BUTTER 16 OZ TO 18 OZ	\$5.50	\$5.72
08-003	SALMON IN WTR/OIL 5-15 OZ CANS	\$0.52	\$0.54
08-004	TUNA POUCHES & 3 OZ CANS	\$0.62	\$0.64
08-008	SARDINES & MACKEREL 3.8-6.9 OZ	\$0.80	\$0.83
08-009	BRISLING SARDINES 3-15 OZ	\$0.80	\$1.00
09-001	INFANT CEREAL W/O FRUIT	\$0.40	\$0.42
09-002	ORGANIC INFANT CEREAL NO FRUIT	\$0.54	\$0.56
12-001	JUICE 5.5 OR 6 OZ CANS	\$4.42	\$4.60
12-002	JUICE 6.75 OZ BOX	\$2.85	\$3.75
15-007	EVAP MILK LOWFAT/FATFREE 12 OZ	\$2.00	\$2.20
15-008	NONFAT DRY MILK	\$0.39	\$0.41
15-015	EVAP WHOLE MILK 12 OZ	\$2.00	\$2.20
16-001	WHOLE WHEAT BREAD	\$3.50	\$3.64
16-006	OATMEAL	\$2.00	\$2.08

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Cat-Subcat	Description	Current NTE	New NTE
17-001	GERBER BABY FRUIT 4 OZ	\$1.26	\$1.31
17-002	GERBER BABY VEGETABLES 4 OZ	\$1.26	\$1.31
17-004	BEECH NUT BABY FRUIT 4 OZ	\$1.08	\$1.21
17-005	BEECH NUT BABY VEGETABLES 4 OZ	\$1.08	\$1.21
17-016	BEECHNUT NATURL BABY FRUIT 4OZ	\$1.52	\$1.58
17-017	BEECHNUT NATURL BABY VEG 4OZ	\$1.52	\$1.58
17-018	PRIV LBL 2PK BABY FRT 4 OZ	\$0.85	\$0.88
17-019	PRIV LBL 2PK BABY VEG 4 OZ	\$0.85	\$0.88
17-020	NAT BRND 2PK BABY FRT 4 OZ	\$1.04	\$1.08
17-021	NAT BRND 2PK BABY VEG 4 OZ	\$1.04	\$1.08
50-001	WHOLE MILK QT	\$2.53	\$2.63
50-002	WHOLE FAT YOGURT QT	\$4.78	\$4.97
51-002	WHOLE MILK ONLY 1/2 GAL	\$6.28	\$6.54
52-001	SKIM 1% & 1/2% MILK QT	\$2.53	\$2.63

Current NTE amounts are listed on a vendor’s downloaded Authorized Product List (APL). Vendors may also view NTE prices on our website at [WIC Vendor Management & Operations Unit | Texas Health and Human Services](#) (scroll down to the “Cost Containment for EBT” section). Infant formula NTEs may be viewed at either the NTE website above or the website providing the temporary alternative formulas, [Special WIC Food Updates | Texas WIC](#).

Texas WIC understands that prices are increasing at a fast pace and we are adjusting NTE prices to account for these fluctuations. Vendors should consistently review their APL for the most recent updates.

Vendor Management & Operations (VMO) is ready to assist our vendor partners. Should you have any questions regarding this Vendor News Flash, please contact the Vendor Management Unit’s Compliance Oversight Branch at WICCostContainment@hhs.texas.gov or 1-800-252-9629.