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Vendor News Flash

Temporary Alternative Brand Formula Flexibilities Ending November 1

We continue to monitor availability of certain infant formulas that were impacted by tornado damage to the Mead Johnson distribution center in Indiana. On September 13, Mead Johnson notified Texas WIC that they expect no further supply disruption to Enfamil Gentlease after mid-October. Current formula flexibilities offered by Texas WIC will remain in place through October 31.

Starting **November 1**, Texas WIC will no longer provide alternative brand options or large can sizes of Enfamil Gentlease. Texas WIC will continue to offer Enfamil AR and Enfamil Reguline in the 19.5 oz can size through November 30.

If your orders for standard contract formula from Mead Johnson are allocated or canceled for shipments after October 16, 2024, please notify the Vendor Management Unit.

Should you have any questions regarding this Vendor News Flash or any challenges purchasing formula, please contact the Vendor Management Unit's Vendor Outreach Branch at WICVendorRelations@hhs.texas.gov or 1-800-252-9629.

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