

NUMBERED MEMORANDUM 19-007

TO: Program Coordinators, Program/Site Nutritionists, and Nutrition Staff

FROM: Marjorie Chambers
State WIC Director

DATE: January 10, 2019

SUBJECT: Infant Formula Updates

Based on communication sent from Mead Johnson Nutrition on October 12, 2018, it was announced that Nutramigen 8 fl. oz/6 pack Ready-to-Use will be discontinued effective February 1, 2019. The reason for this action is due to a limited customer demand and retail distribution. This product will be available at the retailer's stores until supplies last.



DISCONTINUED – Nutramigen 8 fl. oz/6 pack Ready-to-Use

An alternative for this product, Nutramigen 32 oz Ready-to-Use, already exists in the CT-WIC Approved Product Listing (APL). Since this product belongs to the same subcategory in the CT-WIC Nutrition module, WIC benefit issuance and redemption will not be affected.



AVAILABLE – Nutramigen 32 oz Ready-To-Use

It is recommended that the Program Nutritionist generate the CT-WIC Formula Usage Report by searching October, November and December 2018 as the issue months and year and selecting “Nutramigen RTU Quart” from the Class II & III Formula dropdown. It is expected that there are less than 5 participants in the state who have been issued this formula. Once a list of participants is determined, the WIC Nutritionist must have a conversation with the Authorized Person to determine which product has been purchased in the past and to discuss the alternative product that will be available.

Also, Mead Johnson Nutrition announced label updates for the Nutramigen products, for which the approximate first ship date will be by March 1, 2019. The label updates do not impact the name, list number, UPC, can/bottle sizes, price or reconstituted fluid ounces. At this time, the company did not provide images of the label updates.

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