

II. Nutrition

3. Food Package

2.3.120 Food Package: State and LA Responsibility

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POLICY: The state agency (SA) shall determine the foods which are acceptable for use in the Missouri WIC Program in accordance with the federal regulations. The competent professional authority (CPA) shall issue the WIC approved foods in accordance with state policy.

PROCEDURES:

A. The SA:

1. Identifies foods which are acceptable for use in the Missouri WIC Program.
2. Provides a list of acceptable foods and maximum monthly quantities to local agencies, state auditors, and department auditors.
3. Ensures all vendors maintain contractual minimum stock requirements.
4. Monitors the local agency (LA) to assure that they meet their responsibilities for food issuance.

B. The LA:

1. CPAs shall prescribe supplemental foods, formulas and WIC eligible medical nutritionals in quantities necessary to meet the food issuance standards according to state policy.