

## I. Standard Cow's Milk-Based, Soy-Based, and Added Rice Starch Formulas (Contract Brand Only)

Contract formulas include standard cow's milk and soy-based formulas and formula with added rice starch produced by the manufacturer which holds the current Maine CDC WIC Nutrition Program formula contract. Currently, Abbott Nutrition provides the contract formula for the Maine CDC WIC Nutrition Program.

**The Maine CDC WIC Nutrition Program does not provide any non-contract standard cow's milk or soy based infant formulas.**

Health care provider prescription requests are not needed for issuance of standard contract formulas that mix to 20kcal/oz at standard dilution for infants 0-12 months of age. Per WIC federal regulations, written health care provider authorization is needed for issuance of standard formulas that mix to 19kcal/oz at standard dilution for infants 0-12 months. Health care providers may use the **Maine WIC Nutrition Program Standing Orders form** to obtain approval for issuance of 19 kcal/oz formulas for infants 0-12 months. **These formulas are Similac Sensitive, Similac Total Comfort and Similac for Spit-Up.**

According to WIC federal regulations (7 CFR, Part 246), monthly formula issuance amounts are based on infant age, feeding choice (partially breastfed or fully formula fed) and form of formula (powder, concentrate, ready to feed). Partially breastfed infants needing supplemental formula may receive a maximum of one can of powdered formula in the first 30 days of life, and will have monthly issuance tailored according to individual need throughout the rest of the first year. WIC maximum formula issuance amounts for all infant age groups, feeding choices and forms of formula are included for each item listed.

A prescription is needed for issuance of any formula to children older than 12 months of age. Health care providers may use the **Maine CDC WIC Nutrition Program/MaineCare Request/Prior Authorization for Medical Formula/WIC-Eligible Nutritionals form** to obtain approval for issuance of standard cow's milk or soy formulas for children >12 months.

Prescriptions must include:

- **specific formula name**
- **diagnosis**
- **length of time the product is needed**
- **amount of formula prescribed per day**

**Contract Brand Standard Formulas – 20 kcal/oz – no prescription needed**

| Product Name   | Description   | Packaging  | Composition  | Indications   | Maximum Monthly WIC Issuance Amounts |            |            |             |
|--|---|--|--|---|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|-------------|
|  |   |  |  |   | Non-breastfed infants                | 0-3 months | 4-5 months | 6-11 months |
| <b>Similac Advance</b><br>(Abbot Nutrition)<br><br><b>Kosher Halal</b>     | Nutritionally complete, milk based iron-fortified infant formula<br><br>Soy formulas are not recommended for premature infants with birth weights less than 1800 grams (< 4 pounds) | <u><b>Powder:</b></u><br>12.4 oz can, 6 cans/case<br><u><b>Reconstitution:</b></u> 90 fl. oz. at standard dilution<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0559-58<br><br><u><b>Concentrate liquid:</b></u><br>13 fl. oz. cans, 12 cans/case<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0569-74<br><br><u><b>Ready to Feed:</b></u><br>32 fl. oz. bottles, 6 bottles/case<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0533-64<br>-OR-<br>8 fl. oz. bottles; 24 bottles/case<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0586-14 (individual bottle) | <b>CHO:</b> lactose, galactooligosaccharides<br><b>PRO:</b> nonfat milk, whey protein concentrate<br><b>FAT:</b> high oleic safflower, soy, coconut, <i>M. alpina</i> and <i>C. Cohnii</i> oils<br><br>Contains vitamins and minerals<br><br><b>Standard dilution:</b> 20 cal/fl. oz.<br><br><b>Osmolality:</b> 310 mOsm/kg H <sub>2</sub> O | Full-term infants 0-12 months of age with no dietary problems when mother has chosen not to breastfeed; supplementation of babies who are partially breastfed.  | <b>Non-breastfed infants</b>         |            |            |             |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>Powder:</b> 12.4 oz.              | 9 cans     | 10 cans    | 7 cans      |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>Concentrate:</b> 13 fl. oz.       | 31 cans    | 34 cans    | 24 cans     |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>RTF (32 oz.)</b>                  | 26 cans    | 28 cans    | 20 cans     |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>RTF (8 fl. oz. in 6-packs)</b>    | 17 6-packs | 19 6-packs | 13 6-packs  |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>Partially breastfed infants</b>   |            |            |             |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>Powder:</b> 12.4 oz.              | 4 cans     | 5 cans     | 4 cans      |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>Concentrate:</b> 13 fl. oz.       | 14 cans    | 17 cans    | 12 cans     |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>RTF (32 fl. oz.)</b>              | 12 cans    | 14 cans    | 10 cans     |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>RTF 8 fl. oz. in 6-packs</b>      | 8 6-packs  | 9 6-packs  | 7 6-packs   |
| <b>Similac Soy Isomil</b><br>(Abbott Nutrition)<br><br><b>Kosher Halal</b> | Nutritionally complete, soy-based iron-fortified formula<br><br>Soy formulas are not recommended for premature infants with birth weights less than 1800 grams (< 4 pounds)         | <u><b>Powder:</b></u><br>12.4 oz. cans, 6 cans/case<br><u><b>Reconstitution:</b></u> 90 fl. oz. at standard dilution<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0559-64<br><br><u><b>Concentrated liquid:</b></u><br>13 fl. oz. cans, 12 cans/case<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0569-76<br><br><u><b>Ready to Feed liquid:</b></u><br>32 fl. oz. bottles, 6 cans/case<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0559-68<br>-OR-<br>8 fl. oz. bottles, 24 bottles/case<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0536-77              | <b>CHO:</b> corn syrup, sugar, fructooligosaccharides<br><b>PRO:</b> soy protein isolate, L-methionine<br><b>FAT:</b> high oleic safflower, soy, coconut, <i>M. alpina</i> and <i>C. Cohnii</i> oils<br><br>Contains vitamins and minerals<br><br><b>Standard dilution:</b> 20 cal/fl oz<br><b>Osmolality:</b> 200 mOsm/Kg H <sub>2</sub> O  | Full-term infants 0-12 months with feeding problems such as fussiness and gas; for infants of families choosing a vegetarian or milk-free feeding; supplementation of babies who are partially breastfed.; lactose free feeding for babies with lactase deficiency, lactose intolerance or galactosemia | <b>Non-breastfed infants</b>         |            |            |             |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>Powder:</b> 12.4 oz.              | 9 cans     | 10 cans    | 7 cans      |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>Concentrate:</b> 13 fl. oz        | 31 cans    | 34 cans    | 24 cans     |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>RTF (32 fl. oz.)</b>              | 26 cans    | 28 cans    | 20 cans     |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>RTF 8 fl. oz. in 6-packs</b>      | 17 6-packs | 19 6-packs | 13 6-packs  |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>Partially breastfed infants</b>   |            |            |             |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>Powder:</b> 12.4 oz.              | 4 cans     | 5 cans     | 4 cans      |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>Concentrate:</b> 13 fl. oz        | 14 cans    | 17 cans    | 12 cans     |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>RTF (32 fl. oz.)</b>              | 12 cans    | 14 cans    | 10 cans     |
|  |   |  |  |   | <b>RTF 8 fl. oz. in 6-packs</b>      | 8 6-packs  | 9 6-packs  | 7 6-packs   |

**Contract Brand Standard Formulas – 19 kcal/oz – prescription needed**

| Product Name                                   | Description  | Packaging  | Composition   | Indications   | Maximum Monthly WIC Issuance Amounts               |   |  |   |   |                              |        |         |        |
|--|--|--|---|---|--|---|--|---|---|------------------------------|--------|---------|--------|
| <b>Similac Sensitive</b><br>(Abbott Nutrition) | Nutritionally complete, milk-based iron-fortified formula<br><br><b>Kosher Halal</b> | <b>Powder:</b> 12 oz. cans, 6 cans/case<br><b>Reconstitution:</b> 90 fl. oz. at standard dilution<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0575-41<br><br><b>Ready to Feed liquid:</b> 32 fl.oz. cans, 6 cans/case<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0575-34<br>-OR-<br>8 oz bottles, 6 bottles/pack<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0560-92 | <b>CHO:</b> maltodextrin, sugar, galactooligosaccharides<br><b>PRO:</b> milk protein isolate<br><b>FAT:</b> high oleic safflower, soy, coconut, <i>M. alpina</i> and <i>C. Cohnii</i> oils<br><br>Contains vitamins and minerals<br><br><b>Standard dilution:</b> 19 cal/fl oz<br><br><b>Osmolality:</b> 200 mOsm/Kg H <sub>2</sub> O | Infants 0-12 months of age with fussiness or gas due to lactose sensitivity | <b>Non-breastfed infants</b>                       |   |  |   |   |                              |        |         |        |
|  |  |  |   |   | <b>Powder:</b> 12 oz.                              | 9 cans  | 10 cans  | 7 cans  |   |                              |        |         |        |
|  |  |  |   |   | <b>RTF (32 fl. oz.)</b>                            | 26 cans   | 28 cans  | 20 cans   |   |                              |        |         |        |
|  |  |  |   |   | <b>RTF (8 fl. oz. in 6-packs)</b>                  | 17 6-packs  | 19 6-packs   | 13 6-packs  |   |                              |        |         |        |
|  |  |  |   |   | <b>Partially breastfed infants</b>                 |   |  |   |   |                              |        |         |        |
|  |  |  |   |   | <b>Powder:</b> 12 oz.                              | 4 cans  | 5 cans   | 4 cans  |   |                              |        |         |        |
|  |  |  |   |   | <b>RTF (32 fl. oz.)</b>                            | 12 cans   | 14 cans  | 10 cans   |   |                              |        |         |        |
|  |  |  |   |   | <b>RTF (8 fl. oz. in 6-packs)</b>                  | 8 6-packs   | 9 6-packs  | 7 6-packs   |   |                              |        |         |        |
|  |  |  |   |   | <b>Similac Total Comfort</b><br>(Abbott Nutrition) | Nutritionally complete, partially hydrolyzed protein, iron-fortified formula<br><br><b>Kosher Halal</b> | <b>Powder:</b> 12 oz. cans, 6 cans/case<br><b>Reconstitution:</b> 90 fl. oz. at standard dilution<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0626-00 | <b>CHO:</b> maltodextrin, sugar, galactooligosaccharides<br><b>PRO:</b> whey protein hydrolysate<br><b>FAT:</b> high oleic safflower, soy, coconut, <i>M. alpina</i> and <i>C. Cohnii</i> oils<br><br>Contains vitamins and minerals<br><br><b>Standard dilution:</b> 19 cal/fl oz<br><br><b>Osmolality=</b> 200 mOsm/Kg H <sub>2</sub> O | Infants 0-12 months who may not tolerate intact cow's milk protein formula when mother has chosen not to breastfeed; supplementation of babies who are partially breastfed; for fussiness and gas due to mild lactose sensitivity | <b>Non-breastfed infants</b> |        |         |        |
|  |  |  |   |   |  |   |  |   |   | <b>Powder:</b> 12 oz.        | 9 cans | 10 cans | 7 cans |
| <b>Partially breastfed infants</b>             |  |  |   |   |  |   |  |   |   |                              |        |         |        |
| <b>Powder:</b> 12 oz.                          | 4 cans   | 5 cans   | 4 cans  |   |  |   |  |   |   |                              |        |         |        |

| Contract Brand Standard Formulas with Added Rice Starch – 19 kcal/oz – prescription needed |  |   |   |  |                                      |                   |                    |                    |
|--|--|---|---|--|--------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Product Name   | Description  | Packaging   | Composition   | Indications  | Maximum Monthly WIC Issuance Amounts |                   |                    |                    |
| <b>Similac for Spit-Up</b><br>(Abbott Nutrition)   | Milk-based infant formula thickened with added rice starch.<br><br><b>Kosher Halal</b> | <b>Powder:</b><br>12 oz. cans, 6 cans/case<br><b>Reconstitution:</b> 90 fl. oz. at standard dilution<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0509-60<br><br><b>Ready to Feed Liquid:</b><br>32 oz. bottles, 6 cans/case<br><b>NDC:</b> 70074-0567-31 | <b>CHO:</b> corn syrup, rice starch, sugar, galactooligosaccharides<br><b>PRO:</b> milk protein isolate<br><b>FAT:</b> high oleic safflower, soy, coconut, <i>M. alpina</i> and <i>C. Cohnii</i> oils<br><br>Contains vitamins and minerals<br><br><b>Standard dilution:</b> 19 cal/fl oz<br><br><b>Osmolality =</b> 180 mOsm/kg H <sub>2</sub> O | For infants needing a thickened formula to reduce frequent spit-up; suitable for lactose sensitivity | <b>Non-breastfed infants</b>         |                   |                    |                    |
|  |  |   |   |  | <b>0-3 months</b>                    | <b>4-5 months</b> | <b>6-11 months</b> |                    |
|  |  |   |   |  | <b>Powder:</b> 12 oz.                | 9 cans            | 10 cans            | 7 cans             |
|  |  |   |   |  | <b>RTF (32 fl. oz.)</b>              | 26 cans           | 28 cans            | 20 cans            |
|  |  |   |   |  |                                      |                   |                    |                    |
|  |  |   |   |  | <b>Partially breastfed infants</b>   | <b>1-3 months</b> | <b>4-5 months</b>  | <b>6-11 months</b> |
| <b>Powder:</b> 12 oz.  | 4 cans   | 5 cans  | 4 cans  |  |                                      |                   |                    |                    |
| <b>RTF (32 fl. oz.)</b>  | 12 cans  | 14 cans   | 10 cans   |  |                                      |                   |                    |                    |