

Thank you for
joining,
we will start shortly

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- Please remember to keep your phone, computer on mute unless you are speaking
- As you are able, please type in your name and the names of any others attending with you today

May 6, 2022


Local Agency WIC Nutritionists (LAWN) meeting



Local Agency Updates



Thank you,
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County WIC

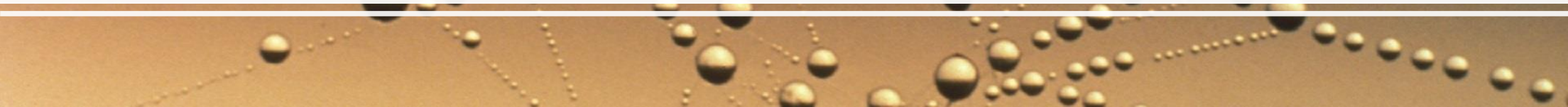


New adventures
for Meghan
Robinson,
Jackson County
WIC





Conferences, Trainings and Networking



University of Minnesota Maternal, Infant and Child Nutrition Course

9 hours of CEU

Sept-Dec 2022

- Human-Centered Design for Public Health Professions
- An Investigation of Human Milk and the Impact of Maternal Factors Within the Mom-Milk-Baby Triad
- Feeding Issues in Young Children
- The Use of Pasteurized Donor Human Milk in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit
- The Reality of Diabetes Care in Pregnancy: Nutrition and Non-Nutritional Issues that Affect Outcomes
- Creating WIC Counseling Messages for Child Obesity Prevention: A Positive Deviance Approach
- More information to come, including registration information



How many WIC dietitians are attending the GOLD Lactation Online Conference?

The image shows the homepage of the GOLD Lactation Online Conference website. At the top left is the logo for GOLD Lactation Online Conference, featuring a stylized starburst icon. To the right of the logo is a navigation menu with links for Home, Lactation Conference, News & Promotion, About Us, and Support. Below the navigation menu, there is a banner area with the text "Join us April 4 - June 30, 2022!" and a purple button that says "Delegates, Click Here to Login". To the right of this button is a search bar and social media icons for Facebook, Twitter, and YouTube. The main content area features a large image of a laptop displaying a grid of many small portraits of people, representing the speakers and attendees. To the left of the laptop, there is text that reads "An Exciting 2022 Program! Access the Latest Research & Clinical Skills View Speakers & Topics April 4 - June 30, 2022". To the right of the laptop, there are statistics: "29.5 Hours of Education by 28 Expert Speakers plus 22 Hours of Add-ons". At the bottom of the page, there is a white box with the text "Feeding on Experience... Nurturing Knowledge".

GOLD Lactation Online Conference

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Free WIC CE Webinar:

Mastering Mealtime: Identifying and Addressing Pediatric Feeding Challenges for 0-3 Year Olds (1 CPEU/CEU)

Led by the Authors of *Beyond A Bite Professional Edition!*

**Mastering Mealtime:
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**A webinar with
Yaffi Lvova, RDN &
Hana Eichele, MOT, OTR/L,
authors of
*Beyond a Bite Professional Edition:
Practical Approaches to Sensory
and Feeding Challenges with Autism
Spectrum Disorder and
Neurodivergent Clients***



FREE Live CE Webinar: [Mastering Mealtime: Identifying and Addressing Pediatric Feeding Challenges for 0-3 YO's](#)

Skelly Skills free WIC Webinar May 11th

- All attendees will receive a free *Creating a Mealtime Routine* handout! 1 CPEU. Premieres Live May 11, from 10-11 am PT
- https://www.skellyskills.com/product/mastering-mealtime-identifying-and-addressing-pediatric-feeding-challenges-for-0-3-year-olds-1-cpeu-ceu/?mc_cid=107a2c56e6&mc_eid=8a9855ed3e



SAVE THE DATES!

**REMOTE WIC
BREASTFEEDING
TRAINING**

We're launching the new breastfeeding curriculum from Food and Nutrition Services (FNS). This training is being rolled out nationwide.



Please share!

- Post conferences, trainings, resources, etc., to Basecamp
- or forward them to your Assigned Nutrition Consultant to post, share out

Oregon Practice Groups

- [Oregon Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics](#)
- [Oregon Pediatric Nutrition Practice Group](#)
 - LAWN contact: Stephanie Hiromura
- [Portland Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics](#)
 - LAWN contact: Richard Lau
- Others?





Formula Updates

Status Update:
Temporary
options grows to
over 50 formulas

- <https://go.usa.gov/xzCCe>



Temporary Choices for Powder Formula

Due to the Abbott recall, the following formulas can be purchased with WIC benefits until further notice.

If the WIC benefit balance shows:

Similac Advance

12.4 oz powder can

UPC: 070074559582

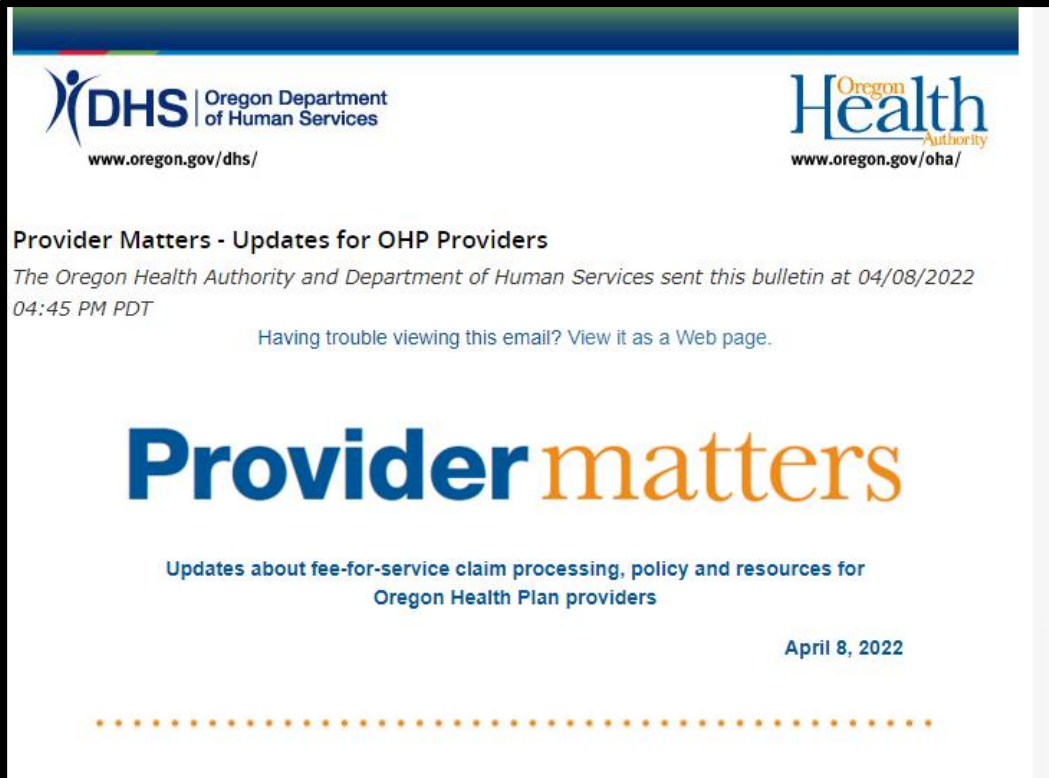


Participant may choose these options instead:

Enfamil Infant			Similac Advance	Comforts Advantage (Fred Meyer/Kroger)
12.5 oz powder can	21.1 oz powder can	29.4 oz powder can	30.8 oz powder can	23.2 oz powder can
				
UPC: 300871365421	UPC: 300875119761	UPC: 300875121276	UPC: 070074585864	UPC: 041260381171
Counts as 1 can	Counts as 2 cans	Counts as 2 cans	Counts as 3 cans	Counts as 2 cans
Signature Care Premium (Safeway/Albertsons)	Up & Up Advantage (Target)	Up & Up Infant (Target)	Well Beginnings Advantage (Walgreens)	Parent's Choice (Walmart)

Information, tools pertaining to the formula recall, shortages submitted to newsletter for Medicaid providers

- **Oregon WIC update: Tools for requesting medical formulas**
- Formula shortages continue to be a challenge across the state due to the Abbott recall and supply chain shortages. If you work with WIC families, here are tools to assist you and your staff:
- Oregon WIC has temporarily added [alternative formulas to assist families with finding formula to purchase with their WIC benefits](https://go.usa.gov/xzCCe) (short URL: <https://go.usa.gov/xzCCe>).
- Providers are asked to list all medically appropriate alternatives when completing the [Oregon Medical Documentation Form](http://tinyurl.com/WIC-636) (short URL: <http://tinyurl.com/WIC-636>).
- Need information on formula categories and comparable alternatives? [Refer to this tool listing medical formula alternatives and more information on the recall](https://tinyurl.com/ProviderTool) (short URL: <https://tinyurl.com/ProviderTool>).
- [Find more WIC program resources for providers](#)



The image shows the header of an email newsletter. At the top left is the DHS logo (Oregon Department of Human Services) with the website www.oregon.gov/dhs/. At the top right is the Oregon Health Authority logo with the website www.oregon.gov/oha/. Below the logos, the title "Provider Matters - Updates for OHP Providers" is displayed. Underneath the title, it says "The Oregon Health Authority and Department of Human Services sent this bulletin at 04/08/2022 04:45 PM PDT". A link "Having trouble viewing this email? View it as a Web page." is provided. The main title "Provider matters" is in large blue and orange font. Below it, the subtitle "Updates about fee-for-service claim processing, policy and resources for Oregon Health Plan providers" is shown. The date "April 8, 2022" is at the bottom right. A decorative dotted line is at the very bottom.

DHS | Oregon Department of Human Services
www.oregon.gov/dhs/

Oregon Health Authority
www.oregon.gov/oha/

Provider Matters - Updates for OHP Providers
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Provider matters

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April 8, 2022

Providers asked to list all acceptable formulas on Medical Documentation Form

Action requested: Please list all acceptable formulas on the MDF when requesting a medical formula from WIC. This will prevent delays in providing infants and children with the medical formulas they need. Below is a table of the medical formula types and names of alternative products to include on the MDF.

Formula type	List all formula names on the Medical Documentation Form
Premature discharge (infants < 4½ pounds)	EnfaCare or NeoSure
Added rice starch	Similac for Spit Up or Enfamil AR
Extensively hydrolyzed protein-infant	Nutramigen, Alimentum, Pregestimil or Extensive HA
Extensively hydrolyzed protein-children	PediaSure Peptide or Peptamen Jr.
Free amino acid-infant	EleCare Infant, Neocate Infant, PurAmino Infant, Alfamino infant
Free amino acid-children	EleCare Jr., Neocate Jr., Neocate Splash, or Alfamino Jr.



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Starting Friday, April 15th

This is the first of several opportunities for public input on the *Dietary Guidelines for Americans, 2025-2030* development process. A *Federal Register* notice announced the public comment period on proposed scientific questions, which is open for 30 days, from April 15 - May 16, 2022.

Before submitting a comment, please review these two pages:

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Public comment period open until May 16, 2022

Holding the space

Any other state or local updates?





August 23, 2022

Joint meeting of LAWN and
Breastfeeding Coordinators

Topic: Professional Discretion
High Risk (PDHR), a new tool
coming with OTIS

November meeting: canceled
to make space for
breastfeeding training of all
WIC staff