

Effective October 1, 2018, these minimum stock levels are required of all authorized and applicant grocery vendors. An inability to obtain or continue to stock these minimum amounts and minimum varieties in any category at the store site may result in application denial, or in the case of authorized grocery vendors, sanctions point assessments or denial of reauthorization application. Refer to the West Virginia WIC Approved Shopping Guide for approved foods and approved packaging sizes. During the on-site inspection performed as part of the application or reauthorization process, or during routine monitoring, a State WIC representative will check your stock levels to ensure these minimum levels are present on the date of review. Per West Virginia WIC Policy & Procedure 8.11, Vendors may request exemptions from minimum stock requirements for individual food categories or to a lower peer group minimum stock requirement based on the last 12 months of store redemptions.

Food Item	Minimum Stock Required
 Contract Infant Formula:* Similac Advance OptiGRO Similac Sensitive for Fussiness and Gas Similac for Spit Up Similac Total Comfort Similac Soy Isomil 	 108 Containers* * Vendor must have one (1) representative container of each brand in either concentrate, Ready-to-Feed (RTF), or powder to meet the requirement. * Only contract formula is counted toward minimum stocking requirements
Infant Cereal: Three (3) varieties (flavors) of WV WIC Approved Infant Cereal	Fifteen (15) - 8 ounce Boxes or Plastic Containers
Infant Fruits: Four (4) varieties (flavors) of WV WIC Approved single ingredient or combinations of single ingredient (ex. applebanana) fruit without added sugars, starches, or salt (sodium)	Any combination of 64 single or Thirty- two (32) 2-pack - 4 ounce Jars or Plastic Containers
Infant Vegetables : Four (4) varieties (flavors) of WV WIC Approved single ingredient or combinations of single ingredient (ex. peas-carrots) vegetables without added sugars, starches, or salt (sodium)	Any combination of 64 single or Thirty- two (32) 2-pack - 4 ounce Jars or Plastic Containers

Peer Group 1 (Superstores 19+ Registers) Minimum Stock Requirements



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Infant Meats: Two (2) varieties (flavors) of WV WIC Approved infant food meat or poultry, with added broth or gravy, without added sugars or salt	Twenty (20) – 2.5 ounce Jars or Plastic Containers
Milk: Five (5) types – Whole, Low-fat (1%), Fat Free (Skim), Lactose Free, and Soy milk - in White or Chocolate variety of WV WIC Approved Milk	Sixteen (16) gallons total, any combination of gallons and/or half gallons. Must stock at least two different sizes
Yogurt: Two (2) varieties (flavors) of WV WIC Approved Yogurt	Four (4) Whole Fat 32 ounce containers <u>AND</u> Twelve (12) Low-Fat Containers (any combination of sizes)
Cheese: Three (3) varieties (flavors) in sliced, shredded, or block form of WV WIC Approved Cheese	Any combination of: Ten (10) 8 ounce packages <u>OR</u> Five (5) 16 ounce packages
Eggs : Any grade of any size WV WIC Approved white chicken eggs	Ten (10) Dozen
Breakfast Cereal : Four (4) varieties of WV WIC Approved Cereal	 Twenty-four (24) Boxes or Bags* Cold: 12 to 36 ounces Hot: 11 to 36 ounces *Two (2) varieties must be whole grain
100% Shelf-Stable/Refrigerated Juice : Two (2) varieties (flavors) of WV WIC Approved Juice	Twelve (12) – 64 ounce Cans, Plastic Containers, or Cartons
100% Frozen or Shelf-Stable Concentrate Juice: Two (2) varieties (flavors) of WV WIC Approved Juice	Twelve (12) – 12 ounce frozen or 11.5 ounce shelf-stable concentrate cans, plastic containers or cartons
Dried Beans : Four (4) varieties of WV WIC Approved dried beans, peas, or lentils	 Any combination of: Eight (8) – 16 ounces Packages of dried beans
OR Canned Beans: Four (4) varieties of WV WIC Approved canned beans	OR • Thirty-two (32) – 15 to 16 ounce cans



Peanut Butter:	
Two (2) varieties (e.g. creamy, crunchy, chunky) of WV WIC	Ten (10) – 16 to 18 ounce Containers
Approved Peanut Butter	Ten (10) 10 to 10 ounce containers
Whole Grains:	
Four (4) varieties of WV WIC Approved Whole Grains	Sixteen (16) – Packages* of WIC
(including: Bread, Buns, Tortillas, Pasta and Brown Rice)	Approved Whole Grains
	*Two varieties must be bread
Fruits:	• 30 Pounds of Fresh and 480
Eight (8) varieties for three (3) different subcategories (canned,	ounces of any combination
fresh and frozen) of fruit, without added sugars or ingredients	Canned or Frozen
	OR
*Four (4) varieties must be fresh	• \$30 Retail Value
Vegetables:	• 30 Pounds of Fresh and 480
Eight (8) varieties for three (3) different subcategories (canned,	ounces of any combination
fresh and frozen) of vegetables without added sugars, fats or oils	Canned or Frozen
	OR
*Four (4) varieties must be fresh	• \$30 Retail Value

Vendors are strongly encouraged to stock as many varieties of WIC approved foods as possible.