# **Evergreen Child Care Food Program**

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#### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

11/03/2017 – September 2017 Reimbursement Disbursement.
11/23 & 24/2017 – ECCI office will be closed in observance of Thanksgiving Day (Meals for Friday, November 24 are eligible for reimbursement).

#### **REIMBURSEMENT REMINDER**

The September 2017 Federal reimbursement was disbursed if your claim was submitted on time.

**Manual Claiming Providers:** All November claim forms must be submitted by no later than December 5, 2017. If documents are submitted anytime later, meal claims will be considered a late (adjustment) claim.



# Whole Grain-Rich Approved Cereals These Also Meet the Sugar Limit Requirements.





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#### **Choose Breakfast Cereals That Are Lower in Added Sugars**

As of October 1, 2017, breakfast cereal served in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) must contain no more than 6 grams of sugar per dry ounce.

There are many types of cereal that meet this requirement. You can use any cereal that is listed on any State agency's Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)-approved cereal list, found as part of the State's approved food lists at: https://www.fns.usda.gov/wic/links-state-agency-wic-approved-food-lists. You can also find cereals that meet the requirement using the Nutrition Facts label and by following the steps below:

Use the Nutrition Facts label to find the Serving Size, in grams (g), of the cereal.

#### Yummy Brand Cereal

	Nutrition Fa	cts
	Serving Size % cup (30g) Servings Per Container about 15	
	Amount Per Serving	Cereal
	Calories 100	100
	Calories from Fat 5	5
	% 0	ally Value*
	Total Fat 0.5g	1%
	Saturated Fat 0g	0%
	Trans Fat 0g	
	Polyunsaturated Fat 0g	
	Monounsaturated Fat 0g	
	Cholesterol 0mg	0%
	Sodium 140mg	6%
	Potassium 90mg	3%
V	Total Carbohydrate 22g	7%
1	Dietary Fiber 3g	11%
	Sugars 5g	
	Other Carbohydrate 14g	
	Protein 140mg	

## Find the Sugars line. Look at the number of grams (g) next to Sugars.

Use the serving size identified in Step 1 to find the serving size of your cereal in the table below.

Serving Size*	Sugars
If the serving size is:	Sugars cannot be more than:
12-16 grams	3 grams
26-30 grams	6 grams
31-35 grams	7 grams
45-49 grams	10 grams
55-58 grams	12 grams
59-63 grams	13 grams
74-77 grams	16 grams

In the table, look at the number to the right of the serving size amount, under the "Sugars" column.

If your cereal has that amount of sugar, or less, your cereal meets the sugar requirement.

\*Serving sizes here refer to those commonly found for breakfast cereals. For serving size requirements in the CACFP, please visit https://www.fns.usda.gov/cacfp/meals-and-snacks.

#### Test Yourself:

Does the cereal above meet the sugar requirement? (Check your answer on the next page)

Serving Size:

Sugars:

🗌 Yes 🗌 No

More training, menu planning, and nutrition education materials for the CACFP can be found at https://teamnutrition.usda.gov.



# **Try It Out!**

Use the "Sugar Limits in Cereal" table below to help find cereals you can serve at your site. Write down your favorite brands and other information in the "Cereals To Serve in the CACFP" list. You can use this as a shopping list when buying cereals to serve in your program.



# **Sugar Limits in Cereal**

Serving Size	Sugars	Serving Size	Sugars
If the serving size is:	Sugars cannot be more than:	If the serving size is:	Sugars cannot be more than:
0-2 grams	0 grams	50-54 grams	11 grams
3-7 grams	l gram	55-58 grams	12 grams
8-11 grams	2 grams	59-63 grams	13 grams
12-16 grams	3 grams	64-68 grams	14 grams
17-21 grams	4 grams	69-73 grams	15 grams
22-25 grams	5 grams	74-77 grams	16 grams
26-30 grams	6 grams	78-82 grams	17 grams
31-35 grams	7 grams	83-87 grams	18 grams
36-40 grams	8 grams	88-91 grams	19 grams
41-44 grams	9 grams	92-96 grams	20 grams
45-49 grams	10 grams	97-100 grams	21 grams

## Cereals To Serve in the CACFP\*

Cereal Brand	Cereal Name	Serving Size	Sugars (g)
Healthy Food Company	Nitty Oats	28 grans	5 grans

"The amount of sugar in a cereal might change. Even if you always buy the same brands and types of cereal, be sure to check the serving size and amount of sugars on the Nutrition Facts label to make sure they match what you have written in the list above. All cereals served must be whole grain-rich, enriched or fortified.

Answer to "Test Yourself" activity on page 1: The cereal has 5 grams of sugar per 30 grams. The maximum amount of sugar allowed for 30 grams of cereal is 6 grams. 5 is less than 6, so this cereal meets the sugar requirement.

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### **Choose Yogurts That Are Lower in Added Sugars**

As of October 1, 2017, yogurt served in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) must not have more than 23 grams of sugar per 6 ounces.

There are many types of yogurt that meet this requirement. It is easy to find them by using the Nutrition Facts label and following the steps below.



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Use the Nutrition Facts Label to find the Serving Size, in ounces (oz) or grams (g), of the yogurt.

Find the Sugars line. Look at the number of grams (g) next to Sugars.

Use the serving size identified in Step 1 to find the serving size of your yogurt in the table below.

Serving Size* Ounces (oz)	Serving Size Grams (g) (Use when the serving size is not listed in ounces)	Sugars Grams (g)
If th	Sugars must not be more than:	
2.25 oz	64 g	9 g
3.5 oz	99 g	13 g
4 oz	113 g	15 g
5.3 oz	150 g	20 g
6 oz	170 g	23 g
8 oz	227 g	31 g

In the table, look at the number to the right of the serving size amount, under the "Sugars" column.

If your yogurt has that amount of sugar, or less, the yogurt meets the sugar requirement.

Serving Size 8 oz (227g) Servings about 4	
Amount Per Serving	
Calorise 130	Calories from Fat 20
	% Daily Value*
Total Fat 2g	3%
Saturated Fat 1.5g	8%
Trans Fat 0g	
Choisetero 10mg	3%
Potassium 400mg	1%
Sodium 160mg	7%
Total Carbohydrate 21g	7%
Dietary Fiber 4g	17%
Sugars 9g	
Protein 10g	
Vitamin A 6%	Vitamin C 4%
Calcium 35%	Iron 0%
Vitamin D 6%	

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#### Test Yourself:

Does the yogurt above meet the sugar requirement? (Check your answer on the next page) Serving Size:

□ Yes □ No

Sugars :

\*Serving sizes here refer to those commonly found for store-bought yogurts. Homemade yogurt is not creditable in the CACFP. For serving size requirements of yogurt in the CACFP, please visit https://www.fns.usda.gov/cacfp/meals-and-snacks.

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TIP: If the serving size says "one container," check the front of the package to see how many ounces or grams are

in the container.

# **Try It Out!**

Use the "Sugar Limits in Yogurt" table below to help find yogurts you can serve at your site. Write down your favorite brands and other information in the "Yogurts To Serve in the CACFP" list. You can use this as a shopping list when buying yogurts to serve in your program.

# **Sugar Limits in Yogurt**

Serving Size Ounces (oz)	Serving Size Grams (g) (Use when the serving size is not listed in ounces)	Sugars	Serving Size Ounces (oz)	Serving Size Grams (g) (Use when the serving size is not listed in ounces)	Sugars
If the ser	If the serving size is:		If the serving size is:		Sugars must not be more than:
1 oz	28 g	4 g	4.75 oz	135 g	18 g
1.25 oz	35 g	5 g	5 oz	142 g	19 g
1.5 oz	43 g	6 g	5.25 oz	149 g	20 g
1.75 oz	50 g	7 g	5.3 oz	150 g	20 g
2 oz	57 g	8 g	5.5 oz	156 g	21 g
2.25 oz	64 g	9 g	5.75 oz	163 g	22 g
2.5 oz	71 g	10 g	6 oz	170 g	23 g
2.75 oz	78 g	11 g	6.25 oz	177 g	24 g
3 oz	85 g	11 g	6.5 oz	184 g	25 g
3.25 oz	92 g	12 g	6.75 oz	191 g	26 g
3.5 oz	99 g	13 g	7 oz	198 g	27 g
3.75 oz	106 g	14 g	7.25 oz	206 g	28 g
4 oz	113 g	15 g	7.5 oz	213 g	29 g
4.25 oz	120 g	16 g	7.75 oz	220 g	30 g
4.5 oz	128 g	17 g	8 oz	227 g	31 g

### Yogurts To Serve in the CACFP\*

Yogurt Brand	Flavor	Serving Size (oz or g)	Sugars (g):
Yummy Yogurt	Varilla	6 oz	13

\*The amount of sugar in a yogurt might change. Even if you always buy the same brands and flavors of yogurt, be sure to check the serving size and amount of sugars on the Nutrition Facts label to make sure they match what you have written in the list above.

Answer to "Test Yourself" activity on page 1: This yogurt has 9 grams of sugar per 8 ounces (227 grams). The maximum amount of sugar allowed in 8 ounces of yogurt is 31 grams. 9 is less than 31, so this yogurt is creditable.

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