

CACFP INFANT FEEDING PREFERENCE – CENTERS

Infant's Name _____ Infant's Date of Birth _____

_____ will feed your infant breastmilk provided by you and/or we
(Name of center)
 will provide iron fortified infant formula.

The infant formula provided by this center is: _____

This center participates in the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) and receives USDA reimbursement for serving nutritious meals to infants according to program requirements. Participation in this program requires centers to follow specific meal patterns according to the age of the infant.

Centers participating in the CACFP are required to offer infant formula to infants who are enrolled for child care. Parents (or guardians) may decline the infant formula offered by the provider, and supply the infant's formula.

Parents (or guardians) complete the following table(s) as appropriate:

Please mark your preference (choose all that apply)	Today's Date	Today's Date	Today's Date
	Birth – 3 months	4 – 7 months	8 – 11 months
I will bring expressed breastmilk for my infant.			
I want the center to provide the infant formula for my infant.			
I will bring the infant formula for my infant. Please list the kind of infant formula you will bring:			

According to CACFP requirements, in order to claim meals for reimbursement, the center must provide infant cereal and other foods when your infant is developmentally ready to accept them.

Please mark your preference	Today's Date	Today's Date
	4 – 7 months	8 – 11 months
I want the center to provide the infant cereal and other foods for my infant.		
I will bring the infant cereal and/or other foods for my infant.		

Parent's (or guardian's) Signature _____ Date of Signature _____

1. This form must be kept on file for each infant enrolled for child care.
2. This form must be kept current and accurate for each infant enrolled for child care until the infant reaches one year of age.
3. If the parent (or guardian) declines the formula and the center provides meal and/or snack components, the meal may be claimed for reimbursement.
4. If the parent (or guardian) declines infant meals/snack, meals and snacks may NOT be claimed for reimbursement.