

Do you have a new foster child and no formula? Here are some options.

Your foster child has their own eWIC account and their own eWIC card. Their account stayed with them when they moved to you, but you have a new card to access the account.

You may not have enough formula to last until the next benefit period begins, if the previous foster family:

1. Did not send any formula with the child, or
2. Used most or all the benefits in the account.



What can WIC do?

WIC is unable to replace any benefits that have been used. New benefits will be available with the next benefit period.



What can you do?

- Call your foster care worker and ask them if they can:
 - Call the previous foster home if they have formula for the child.
 - Have access to formula through their agency.
 - Give you a list of food banks or churches that may have formula donations.
- Call your case team to see if they have money in their budget to buy formula.
- Do you need a special formula? You or your foster care worker can try to see if you can get sample cans from the Doctor's office or formula company.



Remember

This is only for a little while. **You will have access to full benefits starting the next benefit period.** Please ask your WIC clinic for the exact date.