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FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM ON INDIAN RESERVATIONS
MONTHLY DISTRIBUTION GUIDE RATES BY HOUSEHOLD SIZE
Effective: May 1, 2012

NOTE: The availability of individual products is subject to market conditions

<i>Household Size</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>8</i>	
USDA Food	Number of Items Per Month								Options
GRAINS, CEREAL, RICE and PASTA									
Cereal, Dry (all sizes)	1 unit per person								Corn, Oat, Rice, Bran
Quick Oats (42 oz. package) or Farina (14 oz. package)	1 unit per person								
Macaroni & Cheese (7.25 oz.) Macaroni (1 lb.) Whole Grain Rotini (1 lb.) Spaghetti (2 lb.) Egg Noodles (1 lb. package) Rice (2 lb.)	Any combination of options cannot exceed 5 lbs. per person; limit of 1 lb. of Macaroni & Cheese per person <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Three 7.25 oz. boxes of Macaroni & Cheese are treated as 1 lb. 								
Cornmeal /Flour (5 lb. bag)	Up to 2 units per person								Cornmeal, All Purpose Flour, Whole Wheat Flour
Bakery Mix (5 lb. bag)	1 per 4 mos.	1 per 2 mos.	1	1	2	2	2	2	
Saltine Crackers (1 lb. box)	1 unit per person 1 – 16 oz. package counts as 1 unit								

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USDA Food	Number of Items Per Month								Options
VEGETABLES and SOUP									
Canned Vegetables (15.5 oz. can) Fresh Vegetables (see attached list)	Up to 11 units per person								Carrots, Corn Kernel, Corn Cream, Hominy, Green Beans, Peas, Potatoes, Spinach, Mixed Vegetables, Diced Tomatoes, Dehydrated Potatoes (1 lb. package), Spaghetti Sauce, and Tomato Sauce. Seasonal (October-December): Sweet Potatoes and Pumpkin
Soups	Up to 3 units per person								Chunky Beef Stew (24 oz), Tomato and Vegetarian Vegetable (10.5 oz), Cream of Mushroom, Cream of Chicken (22 oz RTE)
FRUIT and JUICE									
Canned Fruit (15.5 oz. can) Fresh Fruit (see attached list) Dried Fruit (15-16 oz)	Up to 10 units per person								Applesauce, Apricots, Peaches, Pears, Mixed Fruit, Dried Plums, Raisins
Juices (64 oz bottles)	Up to 2 units per person (64 oz)								Apple, Grape, Orange, Grapefruit, Tomato, Cranberry-based
MEAT, POULTRY, FISH, BEANS, EGGS, AND NUTS									
Canned Meat/Poultry/Fish (12-24 oz. can) Frozen Ground Beef (1 lb. package) Frozen Ground Bison (1 lb. package) Frozen Chicken (3 -5 lbs.) Frozen Beef Roast (2 lb.) Frozen Cooked Turkey Roast (3.25 lbs. average)	Any combination of units cannot exceed 3 units per person: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 canned products 15.5 oz or smaller are treated as 1 unit • 2 ground beef chubs are treated as 1 unit • Ground bison limit - 1 lb. per person. Another protein item can be combined with ground bison, so that 1 lb. of bison and 1 lb. of ground beef or 1 lb. bison and 1 canned product 15.5 oz or smaller equals 1 unit. • Individual frozen chicken packs, beef and turkey roasts, and cans larger than 15.5 oz. are treated as 1 unit each. 								Canned Beef, Canned Chicken, Canned Salmon (NOTE: Frozen Pork Ham (water added; 3 lb.) available November and December (one per person per month; no substitution with other meat products)

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USDA Food	Number of Items Per Month								Options
Canned Beans (15.5 oz. can)	Up to 4 units per person								Vegetarian, Kidney, Refried (no fat added), Black, Pinto, Great Northern
Dry Beans (2 lb. bag)	(A 2 lb. bag of dry beans counts as 2 units)								
All Purpose Egg Mix (6 oz. package)	Up to 2 units per person								
Smooth Peanut Butter (18 oz.) or Roasted Peanuts (12 or 16 oz.) or Fruit & Nut Mix (1 lb.)	1 unit per person								
MILK and CHEESE									
Block Process American Cheese <u>or</u> Sliced Reduced-fat Cheese Blend (5 lb. loaf)	1 per 2 mos.	1	2	2	3	3	4	4	
Skim evaporated milk (12 oz. can)	Up to 4 units per person								
Instant Nonfat Dry Milk (25.6 oz. box) <u>or</u> 1% Ultra High Temperature (UHT) Milk (32 fl. oz. carton)	1 per 2 mos.	1	2	2	3	3	4	4	1 unit of Instant Nonfat Dry Milk may be exchanged for 8 units of UHT milk
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OIL									
Vegetable Oil (48 fl. oz.) <u>or</u> Light Buttery Spread (15 oz.)	1	1	2	2	3	3	4	4	45 ounces of light buttery spread may be exchanged for 1 unit of vegetable oil
	2	3	6	6	9	9	12	12	

**Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations
Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Guide Rates**

Guide Rates:

FDPIR households may substitute 1 pound of fresh produce for 1 canned item, up to a total of 10 cans of fruit and 11 cans of vegetables per person. Some produce items are not pre-bagged, but are offered in bulk. The number of loose items equal to 1 can is listed below.

Substitution Rate:

FDPIR households may substitute 1 pound of vegetables for 1 pound of fruit up to 5 pounds of fruit per person.

<u>Vegetables</u>	<u>Equal to 1 can</u>	<u>Fruits</u>	<u>Equal to 1 can</u>
Carrots	8 medium	Apples	3 medium
Baby Carrots	1 lb.	Avocado	2 medium
Broccoli	1 lb.	Grapefruit	2 medium
Yellow Onions	4 medium	Oranges	3 medium
Red Onions	4 medium	Pears	3 medium
Russet Potatoes	2 medium	Mixed Fruit	1 lb. bag
Red Potatoes	3 medium		
Winter Squash	1 medium	<u>Seasonal:</u>	
Summer Squash	2 medium	Peaches	3 medium
Sweet Potatoes	2 medium	Cherries	1 lb.
Turnips	3 medium	Seedless Grapes	1 lb.
Cabbage	1 medium	Honey Dew Melon	½ medium
Celery	1 medium bunch	Kiwi	6 medium
Mixed Vegetables	1 lb.	Nectarines	3 medium
Brussel Sprouts	1 lb.	Plums	6 medium
Cauliflower	1 medium (2 small)		
Romaine Lettuce	1 bunch		
Radishes	1 lb.		
<u>Seasonal:</u>			
Corn	3 large ears (5 medium)		
Asparagus	1 medium bunch		
Tomatoes	3 medium		
Cucumbers	2 medium		
Green Pepper	3 medium		