



INFANT FEEDING STATEMENT

CENTER NAME: _____

INFANT'S NAME: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____

Our center is currently participating in the *Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP)* and receives USDA reimbursement for serving nutritious meals to infants according to program requirements.

- We are required to provide meals to all children in attendance. Our center will be providing all infant meal components which include formula for our infants.
- Our facility has chosen _____ brand formula.
- You have the option to accept or decline the formula supplied by our center.
- Please mark your selection below.

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 breast milk 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 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.