New Hampshire WIC Policy & Procedure Manual

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Proration

Purpose To align first use dates in a family when a new family member is added

or transferred from another household.

Policy Benefits are prorated based on the number of days left in the benefit

cycle for the household.

Authority NH State Plan

Procedure Proration will occur when a new participant is added to a household.

Proration is broken down into number of days remaining in the household benefit. A percentage of the benefits will be issued to the

household based on the number of days.

Number of Days Remaining	Percent of Benefits Issued
0-5 days	25%
6-17 days	50%
18-23 days	75%
24-31 days	100% (full package provided)

For 30 Day Temp Participants	
Number of Days Remaining	Percent of Benefits Issued
0-15 days	50%
16-31 days	100%

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Foods included in proration:

- Milk
- Cereal
- Infant formula
- Infant cereal
- Infant jarred fruits, vegetable and meats
- Juice
- Peanut Butter—w/ PG/MBF/FBF food package if issued 2 jars Peanut Butter it will prorate to 1 jar

Foods excluded from proration:

- Fruits and Vegetables
- Eggs
- Yogurt
- Whole Grains
- Cheese
- Tuna & Salmon
- Dry/canned beans
- Peanut Butter

Exceptions There are no exceptions to this policy.

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