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Reply to: **All Local Agencies Memorandum No-06-07**

Date: January 20, 2006
TO: X-LA WIC Coordinators
X-Satellites
FROM: Kathleen Wayne
State WIC Director
SUBJECT: Gentlese Lipil Powder Food Packages Added

Information- X
Policy-
Action-
Routine (hard copy only) - X
Urgent (fax and hard copy)-

Due to the increasing number of Health Care Provider's Enteral Nutrition Prescription Requests (ENPRs) for Gentlese Lipil powder infant formula, food packages have been added so local agencies will not have to issue as a wild card package. This is a WIC-approved formula and this change will also enable the State to receive rebates from the present contract formula manufacturer, Mead Johnson.

On-site FIs:

- 8190 GENTLEASE LIPIL – 10 – 12oz OR 5 – 24oz powd
FIs: (1) 0316 with 4 cans, (1) 0317 with 6 cans
- 8191 GENTLEASE LIPIL – 10 – 12oz OR 5 – 24oz powd/C
FIs: (1) 0316 with 4 cans, (1) 0317 with 6 cans, 8010 with infant cereal
- 8192 GENTLEASE LIPIL – 10 – 12oz OR 5 – 24oz powd/C/J
FIs: (1) 0316 with 4 cans, (1) 0317 with 6 cans, 8210 with infant cereal and juice

MOV packages:

- 9053 GENTLEASE LIPIL – 10 – 12oz OR 5 – 24oz powd
- 9054 GENTLEASE LIPIL – 10 – 12oz OR 5 – 24oz powd/C
- 9055 GENTLEASE LIPIL – 10 – 12oz OR 5 – 24oz powd/C/J

IT staff will be doing updates to the Food Package tables. If you do not see the revised packages available on your server by February 1, 2006, please advise Chris Kelly or Bart Goode. If you are using a laptop computer to run the WIC System on the road, you will need to perform the Sync Data process after the table updates are complete and prior to checking out any clinics. Please contact Customer Services for help, if needed. If you have questions about the food package changes, please contact Chris Kelly at 465-8630.