

Diet Prescription for Meals at School

This file is to be maintained for use within the school cafeteria.

Student's Name: _____
Name of School: _____

To be completed by a Licensed Physician, Licensed Physician's Assistant, or Nurse Practitioner

Student's Diagnosis(optional): _____
Major life activity affected by the disability: _____

Diet Prescription- **please attach additional instructions if necessary.** Be specific with instructions.
This form is used to provide guidance for cafeteria staff.

Foods to Omit (Due to Allergy or Sensitivity):

Food to Omit	Recommended Food(s) to Substitute

****If foods are listed to be omitted from the diet, specifics on foods to substitute **MUST** be provided.**

Other Diet Modifications (Check All that Apply):

Special Diet		Information Requested
☐ Modified Carbohydrate		Grams per meal (range)
☐ Increased Calorie		Calories per meal (range)
☐ Decreased Calorie		Calories per meal (range)
☐ Modified Texture		Textures Allowed (i.e. ground, pureed)
☐ Other (Please specify):	Instructions:	
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I certify that the above-named student needs special school meals prepared or served as described above because of the student's disability or chronic medical condition.

State Licensed Healthcare Professional Signature

Date

***It is recommended that the diet prescription be renewed annually.**

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To file a program discrimination complaint, a complainant should:

complete a Form AD-3027, USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form which can be obtained online at: <https://www.usda.gov/sites/default/files/documents/USDA-OASCR%20P-Complaint-Form-0508-0002-508-11-28-17Fax2Mail.pdf>, from any USDA office, by calling (866) 632-9992, or by writing a letter addressed to USDA. The letter must contain the complainant's name, address, telephone number, and a written description of the alleged discriminatory action in sufficient detail to inform the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights (ASCR) about the nature and date of an alleged civil rights violation. The completed AD-3027 form or letter must be submitted to USDA by:

1. **mail:**
U.S. Department of Agriculture
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights
1400 Independence Avenue, SW
Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; or
2. **fax:**
(833) 256-1665 or (202) 690-7442; or
3. **email:**
program.intake@usda.gov

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