

CACFP Parent/Guardian Request for Fluid Milk Substitution

Parents or guardians may now request in writing non-dairy milk substitutions for their children with special dietary needs without providing a medical statement. The non-dairy beverage offered must be nutritionally equivalent to milk and meet the nutritional standards set by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA). At this time, two products available in Washington meet the USDA regulations, 8th Continent Soymilk (Original or Vanilla) and Pacific Ultra Soy (Plain or Vanilla). No other non-dairy beverages are acceptable at this time unless specified by a recognized medical authority.

Institution/Site Information

Name of child care provider/center: The Evergreen State College Campus Children's Center

This child care provider/center provides one of the approved non-dairy beverages, 8th Continent Soymilk (Original or Vanilla) or Pacific Ultra Soy (Plain or Vanilla), as a milk substitute.

This child care provider/center has chosen not to provide non-dairy milk substitutes.

Parent/Guardian Information

Name of participating child: _____ Date of birth: _____

Identify why your child requires a non-dairy milk substitute _____

I request that my child is served the center provided approved non-dairy milk substitute described above at meals that require milk.

I am aware that the center is not providing non-dairy milk substitutes. I will provide one of the approved non-dairy beverages for my child.

I am providing an unapproved non-dairy milk substitute for my child. I understand that the center cannot claim meals that require milk unless I get a written statement from a recognized medical authority.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____