

Food Transportation Safety Consent

Due to: _____ the dietary restrictions for religious or personal beliefs

_____ Medical reasons documented by my child's physician

I, _____, will provide food for
(Parent/guardian name)

_____. I take full responsibility for the safety of
(Child's name)

the food during preparation, storage and transport to the center and for meeting the nutritional needs of my child.

(Parent/guardian signature)

(Date)

(Physicians signature*)

(Date)

*Required if food is prepared at home, and not in an unopened container

Sec. 82. Special diets

(d) A child requiring a special diet due to **religious** or **personal beliefs** shall have a written statement from the child's parent.

(e) For special diets, the center may request the parent to supplement food served by the center.

(f) If the parent provides the food from home, the center must have the parent sign a **"Safe Transportation of Food Responsibility"** form, available from the division.

(g) All food items must be protected from damage and potential contamination.

(Division of Family and Children; 470 IAC 3-4.7-82)

Sec. 79. General meal guidelines

(l) All food, not prepared at the child care center or provided by an approved vendor, must come in an unopened package from an approved food source.

(o) The center shall not serve food items prepared in a home kitchen at any time, except with a physician's written order for a particular child's special diet.

(p) Packaged, ready-to-eat foods that are served to children must be discarded, if not consumed.

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