



**DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
52D FIGHTER WING (USAFE)**

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MEMORANDUM FOR CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER PATRONS

FROM: 52 FSS/FSF

SUBJECT: Infant Formula

Child Development Center patrons have the option of selecting one of our provided formulas or providing their own formula or breast milk. The Spangdahlem Child Development Center provides Gerber Good Start instant formula as the basic formula offered to infants. The soy formula that we offer is Similac Soy (Isomil) instant formula. Parents have the option to bring in empty bottles that we will fill up with our formula, once the parent has chosen this option. If a parent chooses to provide their own iron fortified instant formula, instead of using one provided by the CDC, they may bring in pre-filled bottles or they may provide the infant formula in a factory sealed container for the CDC to mix and fill the patron's provided bottles with (AFI34-144, 7.11.1.). Please keep in mind bottles are not provided by the CDC. Parents will be required to provide a minimum of 6 bottles daily. Infants must be provided enough bottles to be offered one every 2 hours while in child care. Bottles must be brought in cleaned and ready to be filled if using the CDC provided formula option or if the parents have brought in their own formula for the CDC to mix. If a parent elects to bring in their own pre-filled bottles, only formula may be placed in the bottles. Infants will not be served bottles that appear to have cereal or other items mixed in with the formula. All bottles must be properly labeled with the child's name, classroom, date and time it was prepared or expressed.

Please indicate your selection of baby formula below.

I select Gerber Good Start baby formula to be provided by the CDC

I select Similac Soy (Isomil) formula to be provided by the CDC

I select Breast Milk to be brought in properly labeled as human milk

I select to bring in bottles prefilled with my formula (formula only) of choice

I select to bring in my own iron fortified instant formula of choice in a factory sealed container for the CDC to prepare and fill my own provided bottles with

PRINTED NAME

DATE

SIGNATURE