



Allergy-Friendly Meals Policy

At Revolution Foods, we prioritize the safety and well-being of our customers and partners. We understand the importance of accommodating individuals with food allergies, and we are pleased to share our Allergy-Friendly Meal program.

The Allergy-Friendly Meal program offers limited variations of meals that are free of the top nine allergens as defined by the Food Allergen Labeling and Consumer Protection Act of 2004 (FALCPA) and the Food Allergy Safety, Treatment, Education, and Research Act (FASTER Act) of 2021. These allergens include milk, eggs, fish, crustacean shellfish, tree nuts, peanuts, wheat, soybeans, and sesame. In addition, our Allergy-Friendly Meals are gluten-free as defined by the FDA ([Federal Register :: Food Labeling; Gluten-Free Labeling of Foods](#)). Revolution Foods is not a certified gluten-free facility.

All AFM meals include the grain, meat/meat alternative, and vegetable portioning. However, the milk and fruit options are to be provided separately by the school partner through our ordering process. Allergy-Friendly Meals are sent cold and must be heated per instructions. It is essential for the school to follow the heating instructions provided to ensure the meals are served at the appropriate temperature. Proper heating procedures help maintain the safety, quality, and taste of the meals, ensuring an optimal dining experience for the students. While Revolution Foods has carefully designed its Allergy-Friendly Meals to address common food allergen needs, individual dietary requirements may vary. Food allergies and disability-related dietary needs may include foods or ingredients beyond those addressed by the Allergy-Friendly Meal Program. For the dietary requirements of students with allergies, it is ultimately the responsibility of the school to determine if the Allergy-Friendly Meal is appropriate for an individual's specific needs. The school should consider the individual's allergies, sensitivities, and dietary requirements before providing the meal, in accordance with the requirements set forth by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). These meals are not reimbursable without a medical note. (<https://www.fns.usda.gov/cn/accommodating-disabilities-school-meal-programs-guidance-qas>)

The School Food Authority (SFA) retains responsibility for managing and documenting individual meal accommodations in accordance with applicable U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Food and Nutrition Service requirements, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), and applicable state requirements. Revolution Foods works collaboratively with school partners by providing available ingredient, allergen, nutrition, and menu information to support the accommodation process and evaluation of whether an available Revolution Foods meal option aligns with the dietary restrictions communicated by the SFA.

If there are questions regarding whether an Allergy-Friendly Meal meets a student's identified dietary restrictions, school partners should contact the Revolution Foods Menu and Nutrition Team for additional information and support before serving the meal.

Revolution Foods maintains an allergen management program designed to minimize the risk of allergen cross-contact during production of Allergy-Friendly Meals. Allergy-Friendly Meals are produced according to established ingredient-control, production, sanitation, and verification procedures. School partners should maintain appropriate allergen-control practices during storage, heating, handling, and service after meals are received.

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If you have questions or concerns about the ingredients or allergen content of our meals, feel free to contact our team at menuandnutritionteam@revolutionfoods.com. We are here to provide information and support to ensure the safety and well-being of all individuals with food allergies.

Thank you for your cooperation and support in creating a safe and inclusive feeding opportunity for all.

Sincerely,

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Menu & Nutrition, Revolution Foods



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Standard Operating Procedure for Customers and Policy Acknowledgement

While Revolution Foods has carefully designed its Allergy-Friendly Meals to address common food allergen needs, individual dietary requirements may vary. School Food Authorities (SFAs) retain responsibility for managing individual meal accommodations in accordance with applicable federal and state requirements. Revolution Foods' Registered Dietitians and Nutrition Team work collaboratively with school partners to evaluate whether available Revolution Foods meal options align with the dietary restrictions communicated by the SFA and to provide relevant ingredient, allergen, nutrition, and menu information to support the accommodation process.

Revolution Foods' Allergy-Friendly Meal program offers a limited variety of meals that are free of the top nine allergens as defined by the Food Allergen Labeling and Consumer Protection Act of 2004 (FALCPA) and the Food Allergy Safety, Treatment, Education, and Research Act (FASTER Act) of 2021. These allergens include milk, eggs, fish, crustacean shellfish, tree nuts, peanuts, wheat, soybeans, sesame. In addition, our Allergy-Friendly Meals are gluten-free as defined by the FDA. Revolution Foods is not a certified gluten-free facility.

School partners should maintain the applicable CDE Medical Statement, IEP, 504 Plan, or other required documentation in accordance with CDE and USDA requirements. When additional information is needed to evaluate an appropriate Revolution Foods meal option, the Nutrition Team will work with the SFA to obtain clarification necessary to support the meal accommodation.

The CDE Medical Statement form can be found here: CNP – 925 [Medical Statement Form - Nutrition \(CA Dept of Education\)](#)

Meal design and compliance: Allergy-Friendly meals include grain, meat/meat alternative, and vegetable portioning. Meals will *not* include milk or fruit. Students can be offered fruit from the main menu's fruit rotation, allergies permitting. Non-dairy milk can be purchased separately through the A La Carte menus.

Delivery: Allergy-Friendly Meals will be delivered to your site according to your designated delivery schedule. To protect student privacy, Revolution Foods does not label individual meals with student names or other personally identifiable student information. Meals will be labeled with a green sticker identifying them as allergy-friendly and will include the meal name, ingredients, heating information, and expiration date. School-site staff are responsible for maintaining an appropriate process to identify students requiring dietary accommodations and ensuring that the correct meal is provided to the intended student.

School-site staff should maintain appropriate allergen controls during receipt, storage, preparation, heating, and service to minimize the risk of allergen cross-contact.

Preparation and consumption: Lunch/Supper meals are delivered COLD and must be heated in an oven or microwave to an internal temperature of 165 degrees before consumption. Meals should be consumed on the intended consumption date and dispose of any leftovers. Breakfasts and snacks are typically shelf stable and should be consumed not later than their printed 'best by' dates.

Allergy-Friendly Meal Request Submission Process: Please refer to the **Centro Ordering Guide** for details on how to navigate to the Allergy-Friendly Meal Program request page. Once there, you will be asked to provide:

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1. Student identifier (this can be a generic identifier according to your school policy, e.g. First Grader Ms. Soandso or Student 1)
2. School Main Contact email
3. Allergen(s) the student is allergic to
4. Which meal types you are requesting (Breakfast, Lunch, Supper and/or Snack)
5. Upload the entire Allergy-Friendly Meal Policy with signature page completed. (If you are unable to upload, please email the form to menuandnutritionteam@revolutionfoods.com)
6. Click on the Policy Acknowledgment button

Once completed, select **save**. Your request will be routed to the Menu & Nutrition team for approval. Once approved, you will be able to order meals directly on your menu according to meal type. A new submission must be completed for each student requiring Allergy-Friendly Meals.

Statement of Acknowledgement:

I hereby acknowledge that I understand that it is my responsibility to read the Allergy-Friendly Meals Policy and understand the policies contained therein. I agree to comply with all the policies and procedures. Additionally, I understand that it is my responsibility to review the Medical Statement Form(s) to ensure that students are eligible to receive the meals outlined in this policy.

Print Name

Title

Signature

Date (MM/DD/YYYY)

School Site Name

Please submit this form with your AFM request in Centro.

Sample Menu:

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 August Menu ALLERGEN FRIENDLY 				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
WEEKLY BREAKFAST MENU				
Cinnamon Chex Cereal Strawberry Rockinola Granola	Cheerios Cereal Chocolate Rockinola Granola	Cinnamon Chex Cereal Strawberry Rockinola Granola	Cheerios Cereal Chocolate Rockinola Granola	Corn Chex Cereal Chocolate Rockinola Granola
WEEKLY LUNCH MENU				
Turkey Marinara Bowl w/ Green Peas	Chicken Fajitas Bowl w/ Green Beans	California Turkey & Vegetable Bowl	Beef & Veggie Bowl w/ Zucchini	Turkey & Rice Burrito Bowl w/ Refried Beans & Corn
WEEKLY SNACK MENU				
Rockinola Chocolate Granola, Fruit*	Corn Tortilla Chips, Fruit*	Rockinola Cinnamon Granola, Fruit*	Rockinola Strawberry Granola, Fruit*	Corn Tortilla Chips, Fruit*
WEEKLY SUPPER MENU				
Chicken Fajitas Bowl w/ Green Beans	Turkey Marinara Bowl w/ Green Peas	Turkey & Rice Burrito Bowl w/ Refried Beans & Corn	California Turkey & Vegetable Bowl	Beef & Veggie Bowl w/ Zucchini

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