# **Standard Food Allergy Substitutions**

For life-threatening allergies, meals from home provide the safest option.

### **❖** PEANUTS/NUTS

## **Common School Items**

 Purchased bread products, granola, and cookies may be processed in a facility that contains peanuts or tree nuts.

#### **School Substitutes Could Include**

- String Cheese
- Yogurt
- Crackers

## ❖ MILK

• USDA no longer allows schools to provide juice as a substitute for milk. Instead, a USDA approved soymilk will be made available to students who have a Diet Prescription Form on file with Food and Nutrition Services.

#### DAIRY

# **Common School Items**

- Pizza
- Cheese Zombie
- Burrito
- Most School-Prepared Breads
- Ice Cream

#### **School Substitutes Could Include**

- Turkey, Ham or Beef Sandwich
- Hamburger
- Hotdog
- Chicken Burger or Nuggets
- Juice Bar

#### ❖ WHEAT

#### **Common School Items**

- Sandwich Bread
- Bread Items
- Cookies
- Many Desserts
- Pizza Crust
- Hamburger/Hot Dog Bun
- Pastas
- Breaded Entrée Items
- Breakfast Cereals and Entrées

#### **School Substitutes Could Include**

- Rice
- Tortilla Chips
- Potato (Mashed)
- French Fries
- Oatmeal
- Rice Cereal

## SOY (Note: Most of our food items contain soy or soy oil.)

#### **Common School Items**

- All Bread Items (Soy Oil)
- Purchased Entrées (burrito, nuggets, corndog, ground beef, ravioli, etc.)
- Salad Dressings/Dips
- Most Purchased Snacks/Dessert Items

#### **School Substitutes Could Include**

- Yogurt
- String Cheese
- Sun Chips
- Hot Dog (No Bun)
- Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

# ❖ EGG Common School Items

# Eggs

- Breaded Entre Items
- Cakes
- Mayo Products
- Waffle/French Toast
- Muffins/Quick Breads
- Most School-Prepared Breads

#### **School Substitutes Could Include**

- Hamburger on Bun
- Hot Dog on Bun
- Cheese Sandwich
- Breakfast Sausage

# ❖ FISH

#### **Common School Items**

- Fish Nuggets
- Fish Burger
- Tuna
- Fish Taco

#### **School Substitutes Could Include**

- Hamburger on Bun
- Cheese Sandwich
- Turkey, Ham or Beef Sandwich
- Chicken Nuggets