

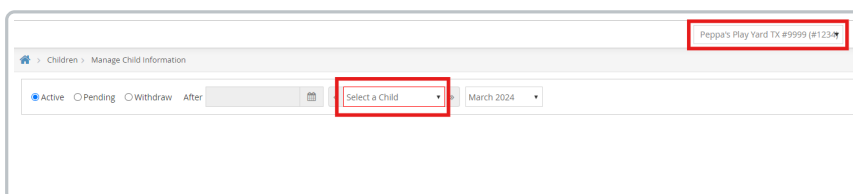
Mark Infants as Developmentally Ready


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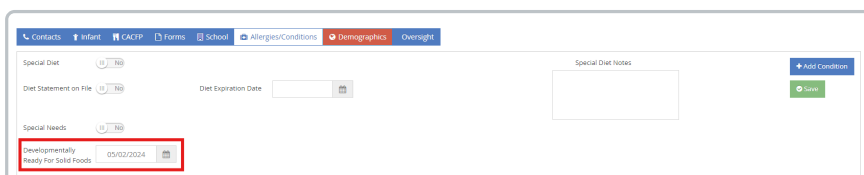
The day an infant becomes developmentally ready for solid foods, it should be entered into KidKare in order to ensure the infant is fed the proper components based on the USDA meal pattern. The center can add this date if they have permissions to edit child information. This can also be added at the sponsor level.

To add the Developmentally Ready For Solid Foods date for an infant:

1. From the menu to the left, click on **Children** and then **Manage Child Information**.
2. Select the center the infant attends in the drop down at the top of the screen.
3. Select the infants name in the child drop down. The **Child Information** screen loads.



4. In the bottom half of the page, click on the Allergies/Conditions tab.
5. Click the orange  **Edit** button.
6. Enter the date the infant started eating solid foods in the fields labeled **Developmentally Ready For Solid Foods**.



7. Click **Save**.

The **Developmentally Ready** date can also be entered when enrolling new infants that are already eating solid foods. The date field can be found under the **Special** section on the first page of child enrollment.

Personal Details

First Name Middle Name Last Name

Ethnicity
 Hispanic or Latino Not Hispanic or Latino

Gender
 Male Female

Child #

Classroom +

Birth Date

Race (choose all that apply)

American Indian or Alaskan Native No

Asian No

Black or African American No

Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander No

White No

Unknown No

License

Enrollment Details

Enrollment Date

Enrollment Expiration Date

IEF Expiration Date

Special

Special Needs No Migrant Workers Child No

Special Needs Statement on File No At Risk Child No

Developmentally Ready For Solid Foods

Sponsor Preferences for Developmentally Ready Foods

Policy M.19 can be set to **Ignore**, **Warn** or **Disallow** if and infant is marked as developmentally ready for solid foods, but not enough components were served in a meal. This policy follows the USDA meal pattern for infants.

When set to **Disallow**, an infant who was marked developmentally ready was not served solid foods, **Error 111** appears on the Office Error report. Meals are checked starting from the first day the infant was marked developmentally ready at a meal in KidKare. This error will disallow meals by child based on the criteria below:

- If a child is marked as developmentally ready and they are 6 months or older, the sponsor will see a **disallow** error on the claim if the child is not served the required 3 components based on the USDA meal patterns.

