



Dear Caregiver,

Nestlé Health Science is committed to providing science-based formulas with high quality, for both tube feeding and oral use. BOOST® KID ESSENTIALS™ has always delivered on that commitment and will continue to provide essential nutrition to help kids grow. Recently, we made some ingredient and packaging improvements to better meet the desires of health care providers and caregivers.

Continuing to deliver:

- ✓ Nutritionally complete formulas specially designed for children 1-13 years old
- ✓ Kid approved taste

New improvements:

- ✓ **Simplified ingredient list** — Only 10-12 ingredients + Vitamins and Minerals
- ✓ **Vitamins & Minerals** — Levels of some vitamins and minerals changed to better meet the Dietary Reference Intake (DRIs) for children 1-13.
- ✓ **Reduced sugar**— Only 9 grams of sugar in all recipes
- ✓ **Made without corn ingredients**
- ✓ **No artificial flavors, colors, or sweeteners**
- ✓ **Kid-friendly packaging design**— Meets the new FDA Nutrition Facts Label regulations

Transitioning:

You can expect to see the updated packaging now through December of 2018 depending on inventory movement from your provider. You will know you have received the new formula by the difference in the “New and Improved” label on the shipping carton and the new label on the package itself. Here is an example for the Vanilla 1.5 kcal/mL:

Package



Shipping Carton



If your child is sensitive to changes in taste and/or texture, it is recommended to start using a mixture of the new formula with the current formula. Continue this mixture with increasing amounts of the new formula and decreasing amounts of the current formula. See example below.

Current formula	New formula
¾ or 6 ounces	¼ or 2 ounces
½ or 4 ounces	½ or 4 ounces
¼ or 2 ounces	¾ or 6 ounces
No longer use	8 ounces

As there is no one right way for every child, the amount of the new formula added to the current formula may need adjusting based on the child’s response. For additional recommendations, please contact your healthcare provider or feeding specialist.

For questions regarding these changes, you may contact Nestlé Health Science directly at 1-800-422-2752, your home care company, or your health care provider.

Sincerely,

Nestlé Health Science