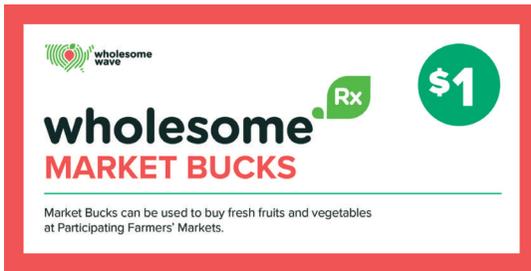


Fruit & Vegetable Prescription Program



What is Eligible?



Fresh fruits and vegetables



Canned, jarred, dried fruits or vegetables or non-produce items.

How it Works at the Farmers' Market

1. At the beginning of the market, put out FVRx Vendor sign.
2. Ask Shopper if they will be using any Vouchers.
 - If YES, customer pays with \$5 vouchers.
 - You may also accept \$1 Market Bucks from customers.
 - Check that there is an ID # written on the Vouchers.
3. Record sales data on the redemption log, including the ID # and amount spent by each customer.
4. The redemption log and vouchers can be submitted for reimbursement at your convenience. The logs can be completed and submitted online through a Google Form or an electronic copy of the redemption log, or a paper copy of the redemption log can be mailed in. The vouchers can either be mailed to Rural Health Network or picked up by program staff.

FAQs

What is the Fruit & Vegetable Prescription Program?

The Fruit & Vegetable Prescription Program allows health care providers in your community to write prescriptions for fresh fruit & vegetables for individuals and families. Participants receive vouchers to spend at farmers' markets and other retail options - giving additional purchasing power to people who need it most.

Can customers use more than 1 Voucher at a time?

Yes, there is no limit to the number of Vouchers customers can use.

Do they expire?

Yes, be sure to use them by 3/31/21!

Can customers get change for Vouchers?

No, so it's recommended to purchase as close as possible to the whole dollar amount of the combined vouchers.

For example, if the fruit and vegetable purchase is \$9.89, they will need to use two \$5 Vouchers but will not receive \$0.11 in change.

How will I be reimbursed?

You can mail a copy of your sales log and the vouchers you have received to:

Rural Health Network of South Central NY
Attn: Erin Summerlee
455 Court Street
Binghamton, NY 13904

You may also scan or fill out the sales log electronically, and email to esummerlee@rhnscny.org. * Please note where the check should be mailed.

Who is running this program?

Rural Health Network of South Central New York.
Please contact Erin Summerlee at 607-692-7669 or esummerlee@rhnscny.org with questions.