

COVID-19 Update

Vizient Food Program, for self-operated foodservice

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The Vizient Food Program will provide a weekly update on the COVID-19 impact on the Food Program contract portfolio, tools, supplier shortages/challenges and share best practices as we move through this uncharted territory. Vizient continues to work with our distributors and suppliers to bring timely and accurate information in this fluid environment. Reach out to your local distribution center for specifics as issues may apply only to your area.

Vizient is committed to providing relevant and timely updates to ensure our members are best prepared for **COVID-19**. Information on webinars, supplier customer letters and industry resources can be found at Vizient member website: [Disaster Preparedness](#)

Supplier News & Shortages*

Land O'Lakes FD1910 Land O'Lakes has advised that there are anticipated shortages on the Kozy Shack Gel Products beginning March 30th. Items will include:

| Land O'Lakes Item Number | Item Description | Sysco Item Number | US Foods Item Number |
|--------------------------|--|-------------------|----------------------|
| 3200 | Kozy Shack Cherry Smartgels | 6216659 | 3188372 |
| 3250 | Kozy Shack Tropical Smartgels | 8641298 | 2885200 |
| 3360 | Kozy Shack Sugar Free Orange Smartgels | 6216725 | 6200646 |
| 3370 | Kozy Shack Sugar Free Strawberry Smartgels | 6216709 | 3200649 |
| 3380 | Kozy Shack Sugar Free Tropical Smartgels | 8641484 | 2885218 |

Anticipated date to be back in stock is April 13th.

Dean Dairy FD1350 Due to COV-19, it has been decided to hold any manufactured fresh dairy price changes for April 1, 2020. In an environment that is unprecedented and changing very quickly; until further notice, March 2020 prices will remain in effect.

*With the exception of the shortages above, outages of stock at the local level could be due to logistic issues or transportation.

Member Tool

As many operations are moving to grab n go concepts, Vizient is providing a list of grab n go items that are on contract and are stocked through your corporate distributor. All items may not be stocked at every distribution center. Reach out to your distributor representative for assistance. Our hope is this tool will become a quick reference for items that do not require skills to provide through your retail spaces.