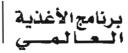


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## Open food basket policy for Regional EMOP 200433 covering Jordan, Lebanon, Turkey and Iraq

WFP promotes an open food basket policy, trusting the beneficiaries who redeem the value-based food assistance vouchers to know what is best for their household food needs. WFP promotes a safe, healthy and diverse diet, and therefore recommends whole food items more than processed foods, and the exclusion of items that detract from a healthy diet, such as highly sugared snacks and drinks, alcoholic beverages and cigarettes/tobacco products and non-food items.

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