



Delight Older Adults with Dessert

Sara Lee Frozen Bakery products can help limit malnutrition risk for older adults

What is malnutrition?

- Malnutrition is a condition where the body doesn't get enough nutrients, or the right balance of nutrients, to function properly
- Malnutrition can decrease quality of life and increase risk of disease and death 1

How many older adults are malnourished?

- 1 in 4 older adults (>65 years of age) is considered malnourished or at risk of malnutrition
- An estimated 35-50% of older adults in long-term care facilities experience malnutrition 2

How can dessert reduce the risk of malnutrition?

- Desserts are calorie dense, highly acceptable by older adults, and allow for independent and easy dining
- The presence of dessert elevates the whole meal and improves nutrition

Dessert Options to Consider:





24 servings per Container Serving Size 1/24 Cake (86g)	
Calories	250
Amount/serving	% Daily Value*
Total Fat 16g	21%
Saturated Fat 9g	45%
Trans Fat 0g	
Cholesterol 25mg	8%
Sodium 230mg	10%
Total Carbohydrate 24g	9%
Dietary Fiber 0g	0%
Total Sugars 17g	
Includes 15g Added Sugars	30%
Protein 4g	
Vitamin D 0mog	0%
Calcium 70mg	6%
Iron Omg	0%
Potassium 60mg	0%

A serving of Sara Lee French Cream Cheesecake has 4 grams of protein. Protein is an important nutrient for preventing malnutrition in the older adult.





A serving of Chocolate Cream Pie provides 400 calories per slice to support energy needs.

Resources: 1 Prevention and Treatment of Malnutrition in Older Adults Living in Long-Term Care or the Community: An Evidence-Based Nutrition Practice Guideline. Journal of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics, Volume 124, Issue 7, 896 - 916.e24 2 Arensberg MB, Brunton C, Richardson B, Bolhack S. The case for malnutrition quality Measures and Nutrition-Focused Quality Improvement Programs (QIPs) in US skilled nursing facilities. Healthcare. 2022;10(3):549. doi:10.3390/healthcare10030549