

## PostNL expands food delivery to mornings

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### Short time period

PostNL delivers groceries, meal boxes, and special products, such as meat and sports foods, for more than 50 food suppliers. The food orders from the various suppliers are bundled, and sorted and distributed from one

hub. Receiving parties will be provided with precise information about the moment their fresh products are delivered. PostNL delivers food products within a time period of 30 minutes.

### PostNL coolbox

PostNL transports the fresh products in the PostNL coolbox, at the right temperature and in a food-safe manner. The PostNL coolbox is sealed and not opened before delivery, which allows for monitoring the temperature up to and including the moment of delivery. After delivery, the carrier takes the coolboxes back for return. This enables PostNL to reuse the sustainable coolboxes for up to 500 times. Moreover, food suppliers do not have to pack the products in (cardboard) boxes themselves.

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