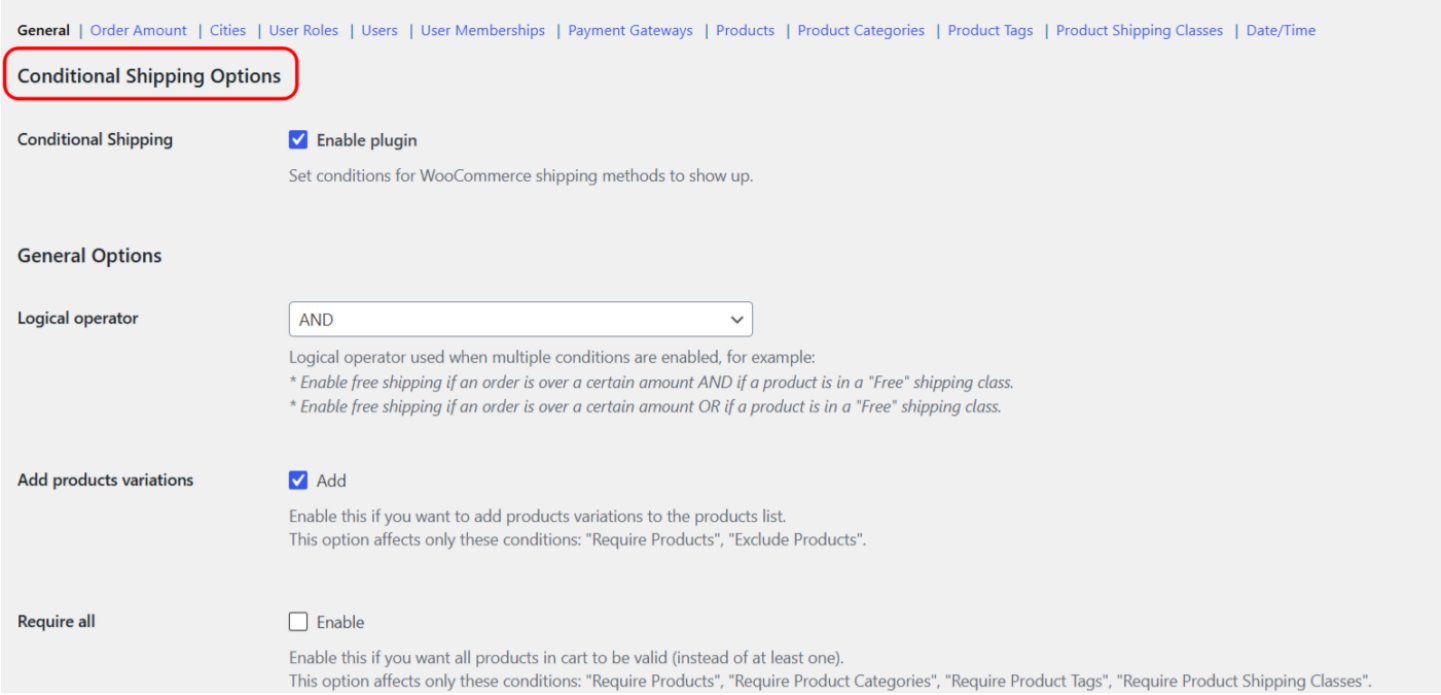
Show Cart and Checkout Notices for Hidden Shipping Methods

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To show cart and checkout notices when a shipping method is hidden by a condition, use the notice options in Conditional Shipping for WooCommerce: Restrict Shipping Options by Anything. When a method disappears from the cart or checkout, a short message tells the customer why, instead of leaving a silently missing option.



Conditional Shipping has two separate notice systems. Use the per-condition "Additional notice" for a message tied to one condition, and the global "Checkout notice" for a method the customer had already selected that then became unavailable.

1. Per-condition Additional notice

Each condition section has its own "Additional notice". When that condition hides a method, the notice appears on the cart and checkout pages, before the form. It is set per condition, so different conditions can show different wording.

1. Go to **WPFactory > Conditional Shipping** (also reachable at **WooCommerce > Settings > Conditional Shipping**).
2. Open the condition section you are using, for example **Order Amount** or **Cities**.
3. Enable **Additional notice** (`wpjup_wc_cond_shipping_{condition}_notice[enabled]`).
4. Edit the notice text in **content** (`wpjup_wc_cond_shipping_{condition}_notice[content]`). The default is `%shipping_method% is not available.`
5. Save changes.

The `%shipping_method%` placeholder is replaced with the name of the hidden method. Replace `{condition}` in the option id with the condition id, for example `min_order_amount` or `city_incl`.

2. Global Checkout notice

The Checkout notice is a single General option. It shows when a customer had selected a shipping method that then became unavailable during checkout validation, for example when a Date/Time window passed between selecting the method and placing the order.

1. Go to **WPFactory > Conditional Shipping** (also reachable at **WooCommerce > Settings > Conditional Shipping**).
2. On the **General** section, edit **Checkout notice** (`wpjup_wc_cond_shipping_checkout_notice`).
3. Save changes.

This notice also uses the `%shipping_method%` placeholder for the method name.

Options reference

Label	Option ID	Type	Default	Free/I
Additional notice (enable)	`wpjup_wc_cond_shipping_{condition}_notice[enabled]`	Checkbox	No	Free
Additional notice (content)	`wpjup_wc_cond_shipping_{condition}_notice[content]`	Text	`%shipping_method% is not available.`	Free

Label	Option ID	Type	Default	Free/
Checkout notice	`wpjup_wc_cond_shipping_checkout_notice`	Text	`%shipping_method% is not available.`	Free

Placeholder

Both notice types support one placeholder, `%shipping_method%`, which is replaced with the name of the affected shipping method.

Move the Additional notice for developers

By default the per-condition Additional notice prints on `woocommerce_before_cart` and `woocommerce_before_checkout_form`. Developers can change where it appears with the `alg_wc_conditional_shipping_notice_hooks` filter, which receives and returns the array of hook names. See the Conditional Shipping developer hooks reference for details.



CONDITIONAL SHIPPING

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