#### **APPENDIX E**

#### DATA COLLECTION INSTRUMENT FOR WIC PARTICIPANTS

**VERSION A: PREGNANT, BREASTFEEDING AND POST-PARTUM** 

**VERSION B: INFANTS AND CHILDREN** 

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# **WIC Participants Survey**

## PART 1: PRE-CODED FROM AGENCY DATA

NOTE: TO MAINTAIN CONSISTENCY OF NUMBERING FOR THE SAME ITEMS ACROSS VERSIONS, SOME NUMBERS MAY BE EXCLUDED.

P1.	a.	Name:Address:
	c.	Phone number(s):
P2.	Inform	mation on sampled participant from state/local records
	a.	Category  ☐ Pregnant ☐ Breastfeeding [SKIP TO P2d] ☐ Postpartum [SKIP TO P2d]
	b.	THIS QUESTION NUMBER DELIBERATELY SKIPPED
	c.	Start date of current certification for this pregnancy (MM/DD/YYYY). [SHOULD BE PRIOR TO JULY 31, 2008]
	d.	Start date of original certification for this pregnancy. [MAY BE SAME AS P2c OR EARLIER.] (MM/DD/YYYY) / /
	e.	[IF R.=PREGNANT, SKIP TO P2f. FOR BREASTFEEDING & POSTPARTUM ONLY, NOTE THE FOLLOWING FROM RECORDS:] Did R. receive benefits while pregnant?  ☐ Yes ☐ No
	f.	Birthdate of participant (MM/DD/YYYY) / /
	g.	Gender of participant

h.	Is participant? OF SURVEY]	[IF IN RI	ECO1	RDS. OT	HERWISE A	ASK IN	Q49 AT END	)
		☐ Hispa	nic o	r Latino?				
		□ Not H	Iispaı	nic or Lati	ino?			
		□ Not in	ndica	ted in reco	ords (COMPI	LETE Q	49)	
i.	Race/ethnicity o		ant [I	F IN REC	CORDS. OT	HERWI	SE ASK IN Q	50
		□Americ	an Ir	ndian or A	Alaska Native			
		$\square$ Asian	Ame	rican				
		□ Black	or Af	frican Am	erican			
		☐ Native	Haw	vaiian or <b>(</b>	Other Pacific	Islander		
		$\square$ White						
		☐ Multir	acial	(Two or i	more of the a	bove)		
		$\square$ Not in	dicat	ed in reco	ords (COMPL	ETE Q5	50)	
j.	Primary languag	ge of parti	cipan	t [IF NO]	ГЕD IN REC	ORDS]		
	☐ English			Hmong		Spanis	h	
	☐ Arabic			Khmer		Swahil	i	
	☐ Cambodian			Korean		Tamil		
	☐ Cantonese/N	<b>I</b> andar		Laotian		Tagalo	g	
	☐ Farsi			Portugue	ese $\square$	Urdu		
	☐ French/Creo	le		Punjabi		Vietna		
	☐ Fulani			Russian		Other:	SPECIFY	
	☐ Hindi			Somali				
Р3	. Do records indi	cate proo	f of	.?				
					YES		NO	
	a. Identification	n						
	b. Categorical	eligibility						
	c. Adjunctive i	ncome eli	gibil	ity				
	d. Non-adjunct	ive incom	ne elig	gibility				
	e. Residential	eligibility						
	f. Nutritional e	ligibility			П			

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P4. What justification or documents were used to establish...? (NOTE FOR ALL THAT APPLY)

	Adjunctive or other State-defined automatic income eligibility	Non-Adjunctive income eligibility	Residential eligibility	Nutritional eligibility [TYPE IN UP TO 8 CODES]
NOTE "1" IF DOC IS NOTED IN FILE; NOTE "2" IF ACTUAL COPY IS IN FILE	Adjunctive Food Stamps Medicaid TANF Children's Medicaid Other State-defined Supplemental Security Income (SSI) Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) Free/Reduced-Meal School Lunch/Breakfast Program Low-Income Energy Assistance Document Unspecified Other: SPECIFY None	<ul> <li>Most recent tax return</li> <li>W-2 form</li> <li>Statement from bank or other financial institution</li> <li>Check or pay stub</li> <li>Signed statement by employer</li> <li>Eligibility letter signed by official state/local agency</li> <li>Statement of benefits by public agency or court</li> <li>Current utility bill, rent, mortgage receipt or tax bill</li> <li>Written statement from reliable third party</li> <li>Document Unspecified</li> <li>Other: SPECIFY</li> <li>None</li> </ul>	□ Drivers license □ Current utility/tax bill with address on it □ Written statement from reliable third party □ Checkbook □ Rent receipt, mortgage receipt or lease □ Document Unspecified □ Other: SPECIFY □ None	

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# P5. Number in WIC family/economic unit

a. IF DISCERNIBLE FROM AGENCY RECORDS: Relationships relative to sampled participant [DO NOT INCLUDE PARTICIPANT]

	Adults counted	Infants &	How many of total -
	in WIC family/	children (<15	- from columns one
	economic unit	yrs) counted in	and two receive
Relationship to WIC	who are	WIC family/	WIC?
participant		economic unit	
		who are	(WRITE#)
	(WRITE#)	(WRITE#)	
1. Spouse		N/A	
2. Partner		N/A	
3. Son/daughter			
4. Step-son/daughter			
5. Foster child	N/A		
6. Parent/Guardian			
7. Step-parent		N/A	
8. Foster parent		N/A	
Brother/Sister or Step-Brother/Sister			
10. Grandparent		N/A	
11. Uncle/aunt			
12. Cousin			
13. Nephew/niece			
14. Father-in- law/Mother-in-law		N/A	
15. Brother-in-law/ sister-in-law		N/A	
16. Other relative			
17. Other non-relative			
b. COMPUTER WI	ILL TOTAL COL	UMNS FROM A	BOVE
!	Total	Total	Total
1	These two totals		This totalplus 1

Total	Total	Total
These two totalsp sampled WIC partic total number of per considers to be par nomic unit	cipantequal ople that LA	This totalplus 1 for the sampled WIC participant equals number of WIC participants in family/ economic
		unit

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## P6. PRE-CODED ITEMS ABOUT THE LOCAL AGENCY

a) Administration of local agency:
1) By State directly
2) By local government
3) By public or private third party organization
b) How does local agency refer to food instruments with its WIC clients? [USE DATA FROM STATE AGENCY LETTER #1]
1) Food coupons
2) Food checks
3) Food instruments
4) Other: SPECIFY
c) What is the name of Food Stamp program in this State? [USE DATA FROM STATE AGENCY LETTER #1]
[OPEN END]

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## PART 2: WIC PARTICIPANT TELEPHONE SURVEY

SCREENER
SA. NAME OF WIC PARTICIPANT SAMPLED
SB. NAME OF RESPONDENT TO BE INTER- VIEWED. THIS WILL BE A PARENT, GUARDIAN OR FOSTER PARENT IF WIC PARTICIPANT IS AN INFANT OR CHILD
•USE <u>VERSION A</u> IF Q-SA (SAMPLED PARTICIPANT) AND Q-SB (PERSON INTEVIEWED) ARE <i>THE SAME</i> . THIS WILL BE ALL PREGNANT, BREASTFEEDING OR POSTPARTUM PARTICIPANTS
☐ Contact made by Phone
□ Non- Contact Reasons:
No Answer Normal Busy
Answering Machine
Wrong Number
S1. Hello, may I speak to [WIC PARTICIPANT]?
A. Yes [WHEN R. IS REACHED, CONTINUE]
No [GET TIME AND DATE WHEN R. CAN BE REACHED. TERMINATE.]
B. Time Date
This is of Macro International calling on behalf of USDA'S WIC program from which you are currently receiving food benefits. We are conducting a confidential survey about what people like about WIC and how WIC can be improved. You are under no obligation to answer any question, and you can end the interview at any time. The interview takes approximately 25 minutes, and again, any information you give us will be confidential.
ADD INFORMED CONSENT LANGUAGE FROM IRB.
S2. May we continue?
Accept
Refuse

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83.	IF POSSIBLE LANGUAGE DIFFICULTIES, ASK: May we continue in English?
	□Yes [CONTINUE]
	□No [ASK "What language do you speak?" AND RECORD ANSWER. IF QUESTION NOT UNDERSTOOD, ASK "Español?" OR OTHER LIKELY LANGUAGE (AS PRECODED IN P2j) AND RECORD ANSWER. TELL R. YOU WILL CALL BACK LATER.]

IF REFUSAL, SAY: This research is really important to the WIC program because they need to hear feedback from people who use the program. We're interviewing 2400 WIC participants, including yourself, all around the country. Your name was randomly chosen and your answers will be kept confidential and grouped with other people's answers, so neither the Food and Nutrition Service nor your local agency will ever know your specific answers. Nothing you say will change your benefits. The survey shouldn't take all that long. You are not required to answer any question, and you can end the interview at any time. I'd really like to do the survey now. However, if now is inconvenient, we could schedule a different time.

- SEE IF R. WILL DO INTERVIEW NOW.
- IF YES, GO BACK TO Q2; CHANGE TO ACCEPT, THEN CONTINUE
- IF NOT, SEE IF R. SUGGEST TIME/DATE AND NEGOTIATE AS INTERVIEWER'S SCHEDULE PERMITS.

TIME	DATE	ENTER	"0"	IF	R I	REF	USE	3)
1 11/11/2	DITTE	$(\mathbf{L}_{1},$	U	11 .	1. 1	LLI	CDL	"

• IF R. STILL REFUSES, THANK & TERMINATE.

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The questions I am going to ask are about your satisfaction and experiences with WIC. This takes about 20 minutes and your feedback will be grouped together with answers from other people. Since your answers are confidential, nothing you say will change your benefits.

## WIC PROGRAM PARTICIPATION

1.	Let's begin by talking about your experience with WIC. Is this the first time you've received WIC benefits <b>for yourself</b> or have you participated before this with another pregnancy/child? [IF PREGNANT, SAY: pregnancy. IF BREASTFEEDING/POSTPARTUM, SAY: child]  NEW TO WIC [SKIP TO Q3]  PARTICIPATED BEFORE [CONTINUE]
2.	How many times have you participated before? [ASK, THEN SKIP TO Q4] $\Box 1$ $\Box 2$ $\Box 3$ or more
3.	Why didn't you participate before this? [DO NOT READ; CHECK ALL THAT APPLY]  This is my first child/pregnancy Didn't live in USA Didn't know about WIC Didn't think Qualified for WIC (for category reason) Didn't think Qualified for WIC (for income reason) Didn't trust WIC Didn't qualify for WIC  Lack of transportation to clinic, transportation difficulties Schedule difficulties Services (including waiting time) take too much time Waiting space at clinic is limited
	☐ LACK OF CHILD CARE ☐ LANGUAGE BARRIERS ☐ PROBLEMS QUALIFYING FOR BENEFITS

$\Box$ DIDN'T HAVE PAPERS TO PROVE ELI	GIBILITY
☐ DIFFICULTIES KEEPING APPOINTMENT	NT TIMES
$\square$ WIC FOOD SELECTION NOT DESIRAL	BLE
$\square$ WIC FOOD STORES NOT CONVENIEN	NT (HOURS OR LOCATION)
$\square$ WIC FOOD HARD TO FIND ON SHELV	
☐IMMIGRATION CONCERNS	
□DIDN'T NEED FOOD BENEFIT	
Don't know	
□OTHER: PLEASE SPECIFY	
[IF Q3= This is my first child/pregnancy,	AUTOMATICALLY CODE Q4 AS THIS IS
FIRST, ONLY CHILD AND SKIP TO Q5.]	
<ol> <li>4. [IF R.=PREGNANT, ASK:]         How many other children do you have         [IF R.=BREASTFEEDING OR POSTPAL         How many other children do you have         0. THIS IS FIRST, ONLY CHILD         1. 1 OTHER CHILD         2. 2 OTHER CHILDREN         3. 3 OTHER CHILDREN         4. 4 OTHER CHILDREN         5. 5 OTHER CHILDREN         6. 6 OTHER CHILDREN         7. 7 OTHER CHILDREN         8. 8 OTHER CHILDREN         9. 9 OR MORE OTHER CHILDREN</li> </ol>	RTUM, ASK:]
	E TRUE:  =YES (i.e. Rec'd benefits when pregnant) (i.e. Rec'd benefits when pregnant)
<ul><li>5. According to the records, you did not rece is, before the baby was born. Is that corre</li><li>□YES [CONTINUE]</li><li>□NO [SKIP TO Q7]</li></ul>	• • • • •

6.	Why didn't you participate in WIC while you were pregnant? [DO NOT READ; CHECK AS MANY AS APPLY]
	□DIDN'T LIVE IN USA
	□DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT WIC
	□DIDN'T TRUST WIC
	□DIDN'T QUALIFY FOR WIC
	☐ LACK OF TRANSPORTATION TO CLINIC, TRANSPORTATION DIFFICULTIES
	SCHEDULE DIFFICULTIES
	$\square$ Services (including waiting time) take too much time
	☐ WAITING SPACE AT CLINIC IS LIMITED
	☐ LACK OF CHILD CARE
	☐ LANGUAGE BARRIERS
	PROBLEMS QUALIFYING FOR BENEFITS
	□ DIFFICULTIES KEEPING APPOINTMENT TIMES
	□WIC FOOD SELECTION NOT DESIRABLE
	□WIC FOOD STORES NOT CONVENIENT (HOURS OR LOCATION)
	$\square$ WIC FOOD HARD TO FIND ON SHELVES (BRANDS, QUANTITIES)
	☐ IMMIGRATION CONCERNS
	□DIDN'T NEED FOOD BENEFIT
	□Don't know
	□OTHER: PLEASE SPECIFY
	Thinking about the WIC clinic that you are familiar with, how satisfied are you with the people that work there and the services they provide? Would you say you are [READ]?  Very Satisfied  Somewhat Satisfied  Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied  Somewhat Dissatisfied, or Very Dissatisfied
7a	<ul> <li>Thinking about the WIC clinic's location and building facility, would you say you are [READ]?</li> <li>□ Very Satisfied</li> <li>□ Somewhat Satisfied</li> <li>□ Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied</li> <li>□ Somewhat Dissatisfied, or</li> </ul>
	☐ Very Dissatisfied

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Looking at specific qualities or characteristics of the clinic...

8. How would you rate the [INSERT FROM BELOW]? Would you say it is Excellent, Very Good, Good, Fair or Poor? [REPEAT SCALE UNTIL R. LEARNS IT]

#### [ROTATE START POINT]

- a) Customer friendliness of the WIC staff
- b) Quality of service you get
- c) Helpfulness of the staff
- d) Staff's ability to speak your language
- e) Safety of the clinic's location
- f) Convenience of the clinic's location for you
- g) Convenience of its operating hours
- h) Amount of time you must wait until you are seen by WIC staff
- i) Size and space of the waiting area
- j) Activities provided to occupy children while you wait
- k) Way they handle paperwork for certification
- 1) How they deliver your food -[INSERT WORD USED IN P6b]
- 9. Now, think about the food benefits that you receive **for yourself**. How would you rate them in the following areas? Use the same scale: Excellent, Very Good, Good, Fair or Poor. How would you rate the food benefits for...

- a) Providing the right quantity of food?
- b) Offering foods that you like to eat?

□ NO [SKIP TO Q12]

c) Offering food choices in sizes and brands that you can find on the shelf? For example, if the coupon says a 46 oz container of juice in one of these 3 brands, you can find them in the store where you shop.

10. Are there cer	rtain WIC foods that	t, on a regular basi	is, you do not pui	rchase for some
reason?				
$\square$ YES	[CONTINUE]			

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11.	Which ones do you not purchase? [DO NOT READ LIST. JUST CHECK OFF ALL
	THAT APPLY. FOR EACH ONE CHECKED, ASK:] Why not)? AFTER R.
	ANSWERS, ASK, Anything else?

ITEMS NOT REDEEMED	Why don't you redeem them? [CODE OR WRITE	PRECODES
	IN MAIN REASON]	1 – Dislike, don't like
☐ CARROTS		2 – Not accustomed to eating it
☐ CEREAL		(including cultural differences) 3 – Food allergies
☐ CHEESE		4 – Don't know how to prepare
$\Box$ Dry beans,		5 – Too much trouble to prepare 6 – Problems getting food to home
PEAS		7– Couldn't find/ Lost the food
☐ EGGS		coupons
☐ FORMULA		8 – Store did not have item in stock
☐ JUICE		9 – Did not need at that time 10 – Other: SPECIFY
☐ MILK		
☐ PEANUT		
BUTTER		*
☐ TUNA		

12A.	For food items you did redeem, was there <b>too much</b> of any food?	
	□YES (Which Foods?)	
	$\square$ NO (SKIP TO 12b)	

[DO NOT READ. JUST CHECK OFF ALL THAT APPLY]

TO	TOO MUCH			
	CARROTS			
	CEREAL			
	CHEESE			
	DRY BEANS, PEAS			
	EGGS			
	FORMULA			
	JUICE			
	MILK			
	PEANUT BUTTER			
	Tuna			
	OTHER			

12B. ]	For food items you did rede	em, was there <b>too little</b> of any food?
Г	YES (Which Foods?)	
	NO (SKIP TO 13)	
	,	
[DO NOT	READ. JUST CHECK OF	FF ALL THAT APPLY]
	TOO LITTLE	
	☐ CARROTS	
	☐ CEREAL	
	☐ CHEESE	
	☐ DRY BEANS, PEAS	
	☐ EGGS	
	☐ FORMULA	
	☐ JUICE	
	☐ MILK	
	☐ PEANUT BUTTER	
	☐ TUNA	
	☐ OTHER	
	nich description best fits the NSERT WORD USED IN P	e store where you most often redeem your WIC food [6d]? [READ FULL LIST]
	Large grocery store or sup	ermarket
	Small grocery store	
	Convenience store	
	Specialty food store, such	as one that specializes in ethnic foods
	Store that carries only WIG	C-approved items
	Large combination food st	ore-retailer such as a Walmart or a Target
	Military commissary	
	[IF ILLINOIS, READ]: W	
		[ASK: Can you describe it for me? AND TYPE
wh	_	Very Good, Good, Fair or Poor that we used earlier, give the store where you do most of your WIC
	EXCELLENT	
	VERY GOOD	
	GOOD	
	FAIR	
	POOR	

	you buy your WIC items at the same store where you do most of your other I shopping?
	YES [SKIP TO Q17]
	No [CONTINUE]
16. Why	y not? [DO NOT READ. CODE ANSWER ALL THAT APPLY]
	EXPENSE: WIC STORE MORE EXPENSIVE, REGULAR STORE LESS EXPENSIVE
	EXPENSE: REGULAR STORE MORE EXPENSIVE, WIC STORE LESS EXPENSIVE
	TRANSPORTATION: WIC STORE LESS CONVENIENT TO GET TO, REGULAR STORE MORE CONVENIENT
	TRANSPORTATION: REGULAR STORE LESS CONVENIENT TO GET TO, WIC STORE MORE CONVENIENT
	COURTESY: WIC STORE NOT CUSTOMER-FRIENDLY, REGULAR STORE FRIENDLIER
	COURTESY: REGULAR STORE NOT CUSTOMER-FRIENDLY, WIC STORE FRIENDLIER
	REGULAR STORE DOES NOT PARTICIPATE IN WIC PROGRAM
	REGULAR STORE DOESN'T CARRY RIGHT SIZES/SELECTIONS OF WIC FOODS
	OTHER: PLEASE SPECIFY
do fo givi	a going to give you a list of reasons why some people go to the store that they or WIC purchases. For each one, please tell me how important it is to you by an anumber from 0 to 5, with 5 meaning extremely important and 0 being Important at all. How important is it that [INSERT FROM BELOW]:
Extreme	Ply important Not at all important 50
_	TE START POINT]
	It is the same store where you do your other shopping The store clerks are friendly and helpful
	The store clerks are includy and helpful  The store clerks speak your language
	The location is safe
	The location is convenient, easy to get to
,	The store hours are convenient
-	The store has the right sizes and brands of WIC foods
	The prices on non-WIC items are reasonable It specializes in WIC items
1)	n specializes in wie nems

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18. Let's talk about some of the services at the WIC agency. In addition to your scheduled appointments, have you attended any group education sessions that

were recommended to you by the WIC staff?

IMPACT OF TRAINING AND COUNSELING ON BEHAVIOR

☐ YES [CONTINUE]☐ NO [SKIP TO Q23]

19. Were any of these seminars about? [READ]	YES NO	20. IF YES IN Q19, ASK: Did the seminar influence you to make any lifestyle changes?  YES NO	21. IF YES IN Q20, ASK: Specifically, what changes did you make?	22. IF NO IN Q20, ASK: Why not? What about the program or session didn't work for you?
Nutrition or preparing nutritious meals?	YES	YES → NOT → (To Q22)	□ Eating more healthy □ How to cook healthy meals □ Avoiding bad foods □ OTHER [SPECIFY]	Boring, not interesting Too long Too complicated Poor teacher Not practical, useful Foods I don't eat I already knew it OTHER [SPECIFY]
Breastfeeding your baby?	YES	YES → NOT → (To Q22)	<ul> <li>☐ How to do it</li> <li>☐ Dealing with problems</li> <li>☐ Helping my baby to do it</li> <li>☐ Getting my family to accept it/cooperate</li> <li>☐ OTHER [SPECIFY]</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Boring, not interesting</li> <li>□ Too long</li> <li>□ Too complicated</li> <li>□ Poor teacher</li> <li>□ Not "hands-on"</li> <li>□ I already knew it</li> <li>□ OTHER [SPECIFY]</li> </ul>
Disciplining your child?	YES	YES → NOT → (To Q22)	<ul><li>□ Better parenting</li><li>□ Being more patient</li><li>□ Learning what works</li><li>□ OTHER [SPECIFY]</li></ul>	□ Boring, not interesting □ Too long □ Too complicated □ Poor teacher □ Not realistic □ I already knew it □ OTHER [SPECIFY]

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Educating your child?	YES	YES →	Better parenting Being more patient Learning what works	Boring, not interesting Too long Too complicated
	NO	NOT → (To Q22)	Learning new techniques OTHER [SPECIFY]	Poor teacher Too general I already knew it OTHER [SPECIFY]
Living a healthy lifestyle?	YES NO	YES → NOT → (To Q22)	Making changes (general) Stopping smoking Eating healthy OTHER [SPECIFY]	Boring, not interesting Too long Too complicated Poor teacher I already knew it OTHER [SPECIFY]
Smoking cessation?	YES NO	YES $\longrightarrow$ NOT $\longrightarrow$ (To Q22)	Stopped smoking Cut back smoking Trying to stop smok'g Reducing 2 <sup>nd</sup> hand smoke for family OTHER [SPECIFY]	Boring, not interesting Too long Too complicated Poor teacher I already knew it OTHER [SPECIFY]
Accessing, or making use of, other social services?	YES> NO	YES → NOT → (To Q22)	Learning what they are, what I/we qualify for Getting referrals Finding out where they're located Getting Food Stamps Getting Medicaid Getting TANF (housing assistance) OTHER [SPECIFY]	Boring, not interesting Too long Too complicated Poor teacher I already knew it OTHER [SPECIFY]

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indicate how valuable they are to you by giving me a number from 0 to 5, with 5 meaning extremely valuable and 0 being not valuable to you at all. How important is [INSERT FROM BELOW]? Extremely valuable Not at all valuable 5------1-----0 [ROTATE START POINT] a) Time to talk with other mothers b) Money saved on grocery bills c) Health information d) Nutrition information e) Checking blood, height and weight f) Advice from WIC staff g) Vouchers for foods I know are nutritious h) Helps me stay on time with shots for my child i) Taught me about breastfeeding j) Taught me about the foods babies need k) Taught me about the foods children need 1) Taught me about the foods I need 24. How much one-on-one nutrition counseling have you received in person for this most recent pregnancy/baby? [IF R.=PREGNANT, READ: pregnancy. IF R.=BREASTFEEDING/POSTPARTUM, READ: child]. Would you say...? [READ UNTIL R. INDICATES ANSWER] □ None at all [VERIFY: "You received no counseling about nutrition and healthy eating at the clinic?" IF AFFIRMED, SKIP TO Q30] ☐ One session only  $\square$  2-3 sessions ☐ 4-5 sessions ☐ 6-7 sessions □ 8 or more sessions 25. Not counting the paperwork or other processing time, how much time would you say the actual counseling lasted, on average? [IF AN HOUR OR MORE, VERIFY, "Is this on average?"] \_\_\_\_\_ HOURS

\_\_\_\_\_ MINUTES

23. I am going to read you a list of potential benefits of the WIC program. Please

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26. What topics do you remember talking about with the nutrition counselor? [DO NOT READ AT FIRST--PROBE AND CHECK **UNAIDED** RECALL] [THEN READ LIST TO CHECK **AIDED** RECALL]

			UNAIDED	AII	DED
			YES	YES	NO
	a)	Healthy weight			
	b)	Fruits and vegetables			
	c)	Protein			
	d)	Getting enough iron			
	e)	Calcium for bone health			
	f)	Vitamin C			
	g)	Other vitamins and food supplements			
	h)	Food safety			
	i)	Physical activity			
	j)	Eating/preparing healthy meals			
	k)	Picky eaters			
21.	Wa	s the nutrition counseling useful to you? YES [CONTINUE] NO [SKIP TO Q29]			
28.		ny? [DON'T READ LIST. CHECK ALL IYTHING ELSE?] [SKIP TO Q30 AFTE			OBE:
		LEARNED NEW THINGS			
		COUNSELOR SEEMED TO UNDERSTAND MI	E/CARE ABOUT	ME	
		IT MOTIVATED ME TO MAKE CHANGES/HE	ELPED ME SET (	GOALS	
		HELPED ME EAT/BE HEALTHIER			
		OTHER: SPECIFY			
29.	Wł AN	ny not? [DON'T READ LIST. CHECK . IYTHING ELSE?]	ALL THAT A	PPLY.] [	PROBE:
		BORING/NOTHING NEW LEARNED			
		REPETITIVE			
		LANGUAGE PROBLEMS			
		TOO FAST. FELT RUSHED			
		DISTRACTIONS (NOISE, PEOPLE, CONFUSIO	ON)		
		COUNSELOR DIDN'T UNDERSTAND/TAILO	R TO INDIVIDU	AL CONCI	ERNS
		OTHER: SPECIFY			

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# CURRENT SITUATION & BEHAVIORS

SKIP TO Q32 IF R.=PREGNANT AND Q4= FIRST, ONLY CHILD 30. At the current time, what, if any, health insurance do you have for your child/ren? [IF R. SAYS SOMETHING LIKE "AETNA, BLUE CROSS/BLUE SHIELD, KAISER, OR UNITED HEALTHCARE", CLARIFY WHETHER IT IS PRIVATE INSURANCE THROUGH AN EMPLOYER OR NOT. IF MORE THAN ONE GIVEN, ASK FOR MAIN ONE.]
□ NONE
☐ MEDICAID
☐ STATE CHIP – CHILDREN'S HEALTH INSURANCE PROGRAM
☐ OTHER STATE PROGRAM
☐ MILITARY/TRICARE
☐ PRIVATE INSURANCE THROUGH AN EMPLOYER
$\square$ Private insurance <u>not</u> through an employer (I.E. their own insurance)
☐ OTHER: PLEASE SPECIFY:
31. What, if any health insurance, do you have for yourself? [IF MORE THAN ONE GIVEN, ASK FOR MAIN ONE.]
□ NONE
☐ MEDICAID
☐ OTHER STATE PROGRAM
☐ MILITARY/TRICARE
☐ PRIVATE INSURANCE THROUGH MOTHER/SPOUSE'S EMPLOYER (E.G. MILITARY)
☐ PRIVATE INSURANCE NOT THROUGH MOTHER/SPOUSE'S EMPLOYER
☐ OTHER: PLEASE SPECIFY:

32. Are you, or members of your family, getting food through	the [R	EAD LIST]?
	YES	NO
a) Food Stamp program, also known as [INSERT FROM P6c]?		
b) Free or reduced price School Lunch or Breakfast program?		
c) Summer Food Service program, for kids when not in school?		
d) Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR)?		
e) Temporary Emergency Food Assistance program?		
f) Child and Adult Care Food program, which provides free lunches for children at day care centers?		
g) Local/community food bank or pantry?		
h) Commodity Supplemental Food Program, which provides food packets that are distributed through State and local agencies? [IF Q32h=YES, SKIP TO Q33]		
i) Have you ever participated in Commodity Supplement past?	tal Food I	Program in the
☐ YES		
□ No [SKIP TO Q33]		
j) How long ago did your participation in that program s	top?	
YEARS AGO MONTHS AGO		

33. Now thinking about how your family eats generally, which of the following statements best describes the food you had to eat in your household during the last 12 months? Did your household [READ LIST]? [CHECK ONE ONLY]					
☐ Have enough to eat [SKIP TO Q35]					
$\Box$ Sometimes do not have enough to eat, $\Box$	or				
$\Box$ Often not have enough to eat					
34A. Now I am going to read a series of statements	s that peon	le sometimes make about food			
and meals. For each statement, tell me if the stater					
for you in the last 12 months. [REPEAT SCALE A					
1) We worried whether our food would run out					
before we got money to buy more.	☐ OFTEN	$\square$ Sometimes $\square$ Never true			
2) The food that we bought just didn't last and					
we didn't have money to get more.	☐ OFTEN	☐ SOMETIMES ☐ NEVER TRUE			
3) We couldn't afford to eat balanced meals.	☐ OFTEN	$\square$ Sometimes $\square$ Never true			
IF R.=PREGNANT AND Q4=FIRST, ONLY					
CHILD, SKIP TO Q34b.					
4) We relied on only a few kinds of low-cost food to feed our children because we were	$\square$ Often	$\square$ Sometimes $\square$ Never true			
running out of money to buy food.					
5) We couldn't feed our children a balanced					
meal, because we couldn't afford that.	U OFTEN	☐ SOMETIMES ☐ NEVER TRUE			
6) The children were not eating enough					
because we just couldn't afford enough food.	☐ OFTEN	☐ SOMETIMES ☐ NEVER TRUE			
24D. In the last 12 months, did view on other adults	in the				
34B. In the last 12 months, did you or other adults household ever cut the size of your meals or	alzin				
meals because there wasn't enough money f	-	□ No [SKIP TO Q34C]			
1) How often did this happen— almost every		T EVERY MONTH			
month, some months but not every month, or		MONTHS BUT NOT EVERY MONTH			
in only 1 or 2 months?		OR 2 MONTHS			
		OK 2 MONTHS			
34C. In the last 12 months, did you ever eat less the	•	☐ YES			
felt you should because there wasn't enough	money	□ No			
for food?					
34D. In the last 12 months, were you ever hungry,		☐ YES			
didn't eat, because there wasn't enough mor	ey for	$\square$ No			
food?					

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34E. In the last 12 months, did you lose weight because		☐ YES	
there wasn't enough money for food?  34F. In the last 12 months, did you or other adults in your household ever not eat for a whole day because there wasn't enough money for food?		<ul><li>□ No</li><li>□ YES</li><li>□ No [SKIP TO Q34H.]</li></ul>	
34G. How often did this happen— almost ever month, some months but not every month, or only 1 or 2 months?	G. How often did this happen— almost every ath, some months but not every month, or in		
SKIP TO Q42 IF R.=PREGNANT <u>AND</u> Q4=THIS IS FIRST,ONLY CHILD] [USE "child" INSTEAD OF CHILDREN IN Q35H-L IF R.=BREASTFEEDING/POSTPARTUM <u>AND</u> Q4=FIRST, ONLY CHILD]			
34H. In the last 12 months, did you ever cut the size of any of the children's meals because there wasn't enough money for food?		☐ YES ☐ NO	
34I. In the last 12 months, were the children ever hungry but you just couldn't afford more food?		☐ YES ☐ NO	
34J. In the last 12 months, did any of the children ever skip a meal because there wasn't enough money for food?		☐ YES ☐ NO	
34K. How often did this happen— almost every month, some months but not every month, or in only 1 or 2 months?  □ ALMOST EV □ SOME MONT □ ONLY 1 OR 2		THS BUT NOT EVERY MONTH	
34L. In the last 12 months, did any of the children ever not eat for a whole day because there wasn't enough money for food?		☐ YES ☐ NO	

IF R.=BREASTFEEDING/POSTPARTUM <u>AND</u> Q4=THIS IS FIRST,ONLY CHILD, THEN SKIP TO Q38.

35. You said you have [READ NUMBER FROM Q4] other children in addition to the baby [FOR PREGNANT ADD: that is coming]. Of these other children, how many were breastfed, even if only for a short time?

[RECORD NUMBER. NUMBER CAN NOT EXCEED NUMBER FROM Q4. IF Q35= 0, SKIP TO Q36d]

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☐ YES [GO	TO Q36a ]		
□ NO [GO T	O Q36d) ]		
a) For how long did you breast-feed that baby? (Probe if needed)	b) Of that time, how much of that time was the baby exclusively breastfed, with no other food?  NUMBER OF WEEKS OR MONTHS ("99" IF DON'T KNOW)  [1] WEEKS [2] MONTHS [9] DOESN'T KNOW	c) Why did you stop breastfeeding? [AFTER THIS QUESTION, SKIP TO Q42 IF R.=PREGNANT; OR TO Q38 IF R.=BREASTFEEDING OR POSTPARTUM [DO NOT READ. CHECK ALL THAT APPLY] HEALTH ITEMS 1. Baby had difficulty nursing 2. Not producing enough breast milk 3. Baby not gaining enough weight 4. Nipples sore, cracked or bleeding 5. Mother or baby became sick TIME/DUTY ITEMS 6. Other children to take care of 7. Went back to work or school 8. Wanted my body back to myself 9. Wanted/needed someone else to feed the baby 10. Too many household duties PREFERENCE ITEMS 11. Did not like breastfeeding	d) Why did you not breastfeed? [AFTER THIS QUESTION, SKIP TO Q42 IF R.=PREGNANT]  [DO NOT READ. CHECK ALL THAT APPLY] HEALTH ITEMS  1. Baby had difficulty nursing  2. Not producing enough breast milk  3. Baby not gaining enough weight  4. Nipples sore, cracked or bleeding  5. Mother or baby became sick  TIME/DUTY ITEMS  6. Other children to take care of  7. Went back to work or school  8. Wanted my body back to myself  9. Wanted/needed someone else to feed the baby  10. Too many household duties  PREFERENCE ITEMS  11. Did not like breastfeeding
		12. Did not want to be tied down	12. Did not want to be tied down
		<ul><li>13. Embarrassment</li><li>14. Husband/partner did not want me to breastfeed</li></ul>	Embarrassment     Husband/partner did not want me to breastfeed
		15. Felt it was the right time to stop	15. Felt it was the right time to stop

36. Did you breastfeed after the last baby before this one, even if only for a short

time?

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38.	Now, do you or did you breastfeed your most recent baby, even if only for a short
	time?
	YES
	NO [GO TO Q39d]
39.	Is it still ongoing or did you stop breastfeeding? [DO NOT READ ANSWERS]
	ONGOING [SKIP TO 44]

FOR BREASTFEEDING AND POSTPARTUM ONLY:

☐ STOPPED

a) For how long	b) Of that time, how	c) Why did you stop	d) Why did you not
did the breast-	much of that time	breastfeeding? [AFTER	breastfeed?
feeding last in	was the baby	THIS QUESTION, SKIP	
total?	exclusively breastfed,	TO Q40]	
(Probe if needed)	with no other food?		
<2 wks		DO NOT READ. CHECK ALL	DO NOT READ. CHECK ALL
[SKIP TO Q39c]		THAT APPLY]	THAT APPLY]
		HEALTH ITEMS	HEALTH ITEMS
		1. Baby had difficulty	1. Baby had difficulty
NUMBER OF	NUMBER OF	nursing	nursing
WEEKS OR MONTHS ("99" IF	WEEKS OR MONTHS	Not producing enough     breast milk	Not producing enough     breast milk
DON'T KNOW)	("99" IF DON'T KNOW)	3. Baby not gaining	3. Baby not gaining
DOINT MNOW)	[1] WEEKS	enough weight	enough weight
[1] WEEKS	[2] MONTHS	4. Nipples sore, cracked or	4. Nipples sore, cracked or
[2] MONTHS	[9] DOESN'T	bleeding	bleeding
[9] DOESN'T	KNOW	5. Mother or baby became sick	5. Mother or baby became sick
KNOW		TIME/DUTY ITEMS	TIME/DUTY ITEMS
		6. Other children to take care	6. Other children to take care
		of	of
		7. Went back to work or	7. Went back to work or
		school  8. Wanted my body back to	school  8. Wanted my body back to
		8. Wanted my body back to myself	8. Wanted my body back to myself
		9. Wanted/needed someone	9. Wanted/needed someone
		else to feed the baby	else to feed the baby
		10. Too many household duties	10. Too many household duties
		PREFERENCE ITEMS	PREFERENCE ITEMS
		11. Did not like breastfeeding	11. Did not like breastfeeding
		12. Did not want to be tied	12. Did not want to be tied down
		down	13. Embarrassment
		13. Embarrassment	14. Husband/partner did not
		14. Husband/partner did not want me to breastfeed	want me to breastfeed
		15. Felt it was the right time to	15. Felt it was the right time to stop
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		stop	

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40. What, if anything, might have helped you to breastfeed? [AFTER QUESTION, SKIP TO Q44]
<ol> <li>HELP BABY THAT HAD TROUBLE NURSING</li> <li>SHOW ME WAYS TO MAKE IT HURT LESS</li> <li>SHOW ME WAYS TO MAKE IT EASIER</li> <li>SHOW ME HOW TO PUMP MILK</li> <li>TALK TO UNSUPPORTIVE HUSBAND/PARTNER</li> <li>TALK TO UNSUPPORTIVE MOTHER/GRANDMOTHER</li> <li>TELL ME HOW TO WORK IT INTO MY SCHEDULE</li> <li>NOTHING</li> <li>OTHER [SPECIFY]</li> </ol> 41. What one thing might have helped you breastfeed for a longer period of time? [AFTER QUESTION, SKIP TO Q44]
1. HELP BABY THAT HAD TROUBLE NURSING 2. SHOW ME WAYS TO MAKE IT HURT LESS 3. SHOW ME WAYS TO MAKE IT EASIER 4. SHOW ME HOW TO PUMP MILK 5. TALK TO UNSUPPORTIVE HUSBAND/PARTNER 6. TALK TO UNSUPPORTIVE MOTHER/GRANDMOTHER 7. TELL ME HOW TO WORK IT INTO MY SCHEDULE 8. NOTHING 9. OTHER [SPECIFY]
FOR PREGNANT ONLY:
42. With your upcoming baby, are you planning to breastfeed?  ☐ YES [CONTINUE]  ☐ No [SKIP TO Q44]
43. For how many months in total from the baby's birth, are you planning to breastfeed?

\_\_\_\_\_ MONTHS ("99" IF DOESN'T KNOW)

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## FOR EVERYONE:

44. What, if any, <b>advantages</b> do you see of breastfeeding? [UNAIDED AWARENESS. DO NOT READ. CHECK ALL THAT APPLY] [PROBE: ANYTHING ELSE?]
☐ BETTER/HEALTHIER BABY
☐ MOTHER-BABY BONDING, CLOSENESS
☐ Breastfeeding enjoyable
☐ EASIER, MORE CONVENIENT
☐ CHEAPER/PROVIDED FOR FREE
☐ FRIENDS/FAMILY ARE FAMILIAR WITH IT AND CAN HELP ME
☐ OTHER: SPECIFY
45. What, if any, <b>disadvantages</b> do you see of breastfeeding? [UNAIDED AWARENESS. DO NOT READ. CHECK ALL THAT APPLY] [PROBE: ANYTHING ELSE?]  ☐ NOT ENOUGH BREAST MILK TO SATISFY BABY
HARD TO DO WHEN ONE IS GOING BACK TO WORK OR SCHOOL
PAIN OR DISCOMFORT
□ NO ONE ELSE CAN FEED THE BABY
☐ TOO TIME-CONSUMING
☐ TOO MUCH WORK COMPARED TO FORMULA
☐ MORE EXPENSIVE COMPARED TO FORMULA
☐ FRIENDS/FAMILY ARE <u>NOT</u> FAMILIAR WITH IT CANNOT HELP ME
☐ OTHER: SPECIFY
FRIENDS
46. Do you have friends who you think are eligible for WIC but who haven't applied for WIC benefits?
□ YES
$\square$ No
<ul> <li>47. Do you know anyone who was in WIC but dropped out before their certification period was over?</li> <li>☐ YES</li> <li>☐ NO</li> </ul>

	OBE: Anything else? [DO NOT READ. CODE UP TO THREE REPLIES.]
	LACK OF TRANSPORTATION TO CLINIC, TRANSPORTATION DIFFICULTIES
	THEY DON'T KNOW THAT WIC EXISTS
	INCONVENIENT HOURS/DAYS CLINIC OPEN
	SERVICES (INCLUDING WAITING TIME) TAKE TOO MUCH TIME
	WAITING SPACE AT CLINIC IS LIMITED
	LACK OF CHILD CARE
	LANGUAGE BARRIERS
	PROBLEMS QUALIFYING FOR BENEFITS
	DIFFICULTIES KEEPING APPOINTMENT TIMES
	WIC FOOD SELECTION NOT DESIRABLE
	WIC FOOD STORES NOT CONVENIENT (HOURS OR LOCATION)
	WIC FOOD HARD TO FIND ON SHELVES (BRANDS, QUANTITIES)
	IMMIGRATION CONCERNS
	DIDN'T NEED FOOD BENEFIT
	OTHER: PLEASE SPECIFY
	OGRAPHICS
purpos	almost done with this survey. I'd like to ask a few questions for classification see only.
SKIP	ses only.  IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2h
SKIP 49. Ar	ses only.  IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2h e you [READ]
SKIP I 49. Ar	ses only.  IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2h
SKIP : 49. Ar	Ses only.  IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2h e you [READ] Hispanic or Latino?
SKIP : 49. Ar   1   1   1   1   1   1   1   1   1	IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2h e you [READ] Hispanic or Latino? Not Hispanic or Latino? REFUSED  IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2i ow would you characterize yourself in terms of race? [READ ALL. CHECK AS ANY AS APPLY]
SKIP 149. Ar   1	IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2h e you [READ] Hispanic or Latino? Not Hispanic or Latino? REFUSED  IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2i ow would you characterize yourself in terms of race? [READ ALL. CHECK AS ANY AS APPLY] American Indian or Alaska Native
SKIP : 49. Ar   149. Ar   150. Ho   160. Ho	IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2h e you [READ] Hispanic or Latino? Not Hispanic or Latino? REFUSED  IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2i ow would you characterize yourself in terms of race? [READ ALL. CHECK AS ANY AS APPLY] American Indian or Alaska Native Asian American
SKIP 149. Ar   149. Ar   150. Ho	IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2h e you [READ] Hispanic or Latino? Not Hispanic or Latino? REFUSED  IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2i ow would you characterize yourself in terms of race? [READ ALL. CHECK AS ANY AS APPLY] American Indian or Alaska Native Asian American Black or African American
SKIP 149. Ar 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2h e you [READ] Hispanic or Latino? Not Hispanic or Latino? REFUSED  IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2i ow would you characterize yourself in terms of race? [READ ALL. CHECK AS ANY AS APPLY] American Indian or Alaska Native Asian American Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
SKIP : 149. Ar   1   1   1   1   1   1   1   1   1	IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2h e you [READ] Hispanic or Latino? Not Hispanic or Latino? REFUSED  IF RECORDED IN PART 1: P2i ow would you characterize yourself in terms of race? [READ ALL. CHECK AS ANY AS APPLY] American Indian or Alaska Native Asian American Black or African American

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	What is the highest level of explicates ANSWER]	duca	ation you have atta	aine	d? [READ UNTIL R.
	Refused				
	Elementary school (6 years or less of education)				
	Some high school $(7-11 \text{ years of education})$				
	High school diploma or GE	D			
	Some college				
	Associate's degree				
	Bachelor's degree				
	Advanced degree				
52. V	Vhat is your first language, t	hat	is, the language yo	ou s <sub>]</sub>	peak at home?
	English		Hmong		Spanish
	Arabic		Khmer		Swahili
	Cambodian		Korean		Tamil
	Cantonese/ Mandarin		Laotian		Tagalog
	Farsi		Punjabi		Urdu
	French/Creole		Russian		Vietnamese
	Fulani		Somali		Other: SPECIFY
	Hindi				

### IF R. HAS NOT BEEN CHOSEN FOR IN-HOME AUDIT, READ:

Thank you so much for your help in answering this survey. Your feedback, combined with other anonymous responses, will help improve the WIC program. Thanks again. Have a great day/evening.

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#### PART 3: TELEPHONE SCREENER FOR IN-HOME AUDIT (Version A)

#### IF R. HAS BEEN CHOSEN FOR IN-HOME AUDIT, READ:

Thank you so much for your help in answering this survey. Your feedback, combined with other confidential responses, will really help improve the WIC program.

#### **SCREENER**

SA. Our contract with USDA's WIC asks us to randomly select **half** of the people who complete the telephone survey to see if we can ask you some additional questions at your home. This would take 30 minutes or less and you would receive \$20 for your time. Again, your answers will be confidential and not have any effect on benefits, either good or bad. The purpose of the in-home interview would be to ask about who makes up your family group and to understand more about your family's income and expenses -- as a way of better understanding people's needs...

Is there a time you would be available?	For example, would you be free at
[INTERVIEWER SET TIME/DATE]?	

TIME:	AM/PM
DATE:	

- YES [SKIP TO SD]
- NO, NOT FREE AT THAT TIME [SKIP TO SC]
- NO, REFUSAL [CONTINUE]
- SB. Can I ask why you don't want to participate? While the in-home interview is voluntary, it only takes a bit of your time and is a great way to make \$20, paid in cash, Again, your responses will be anonymous and will not affect your WIC benefits in any way. We can set a time that works with your schedule.

SC.	When would b	e a good time for you?
	TIME:	AM/PM
	DATE: [IF REFUSAL	, ENTER "0" FOR TIME AND DATE]
	SCHEDUI	JGGEST TIME/DATE AND NEGOTIATE AS INTERVIEWER'S LE PERMITS. THEN SKIP TO SD
	wish to par	L REFUSES, ASK THE FOLLOWING QUESTION: I'm sorry you don't ticipate in the study. For statistical purposes only, I need to know if you [READ ADDRESS FROM P1], or if you have moved?
	$\square$ NOT N	IOVED [THANK & TERMINATE]
		D [ASK: Do you now live in another state?] a. YES [THANK & TERMINATE] b. NO [CONTINUE]
		changed addresses, did you also have to use a new WIC agency or could e same one as before?
		<ul><li>a. New agency [THANK &amp; TERMINATE]</li><li>b. Same agency as before [THANK &amp; TERMINATE]</li></ul>
SD.	• READ AD	just confirm your address and telephone number(s). DRESS & TELPHONE NUMBER ON FILE. IF ADDRESS IS MOVE TO SE. IF DIFFERENT SAY:
	IS THIS IN	NFORMATION CORRECT?
		☐ YES [IF YES, SKIP TO SE]
		□ NO
	1) I se	e that you've moved. When you moved, did you [READ]:
		☐ Move within the same area so that you could use the same WIC agency or
		☐ Move to a different area with a new WIC agency?
SE.	ASK: Is there	a second telephone number where you can also be reached?
	☐ YES [: ☐ NO	PHONE NUMBER:]
	IF YES, RECO	ORD IT.
SF.		NDENT YOU WILL CONFIRM THE APPOINTMENT A DAY OR OF TIME AND MAKE SURE THEY ARE IN ACCORD.

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#### IN-HOME AUDIT [INTERVIEWER WILL CARRY MACRO IDENTIFICATION]

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1. Hi. Thanks for agreeing to do the second part of our survey. Your answers are completely confidential and, as I mentioned when we set this up, nothing you say will have any bearing on your benefits. The WIC program is just trying to get a better idea of who participates in the program and their circumstances. At the end, I will be giving you \$20 in appreciation of your time.

#### **IDENTITY AND RESIDENCY**

 The first thing we need is some identification—silly as it may seem—and proof that you live here. [IF R. HAS TROUBLE WITH THIS REQUEST, READ OFF SOME OF THE ACCEPTABLE TYPES OF ID AND RESIDENCY PROOF FROM LIST.]

<u>Identification proofs</u> [CHECK AT LEAST ONE]	Residency proofs [CHECK AT LEAST ONE]
☐ State-issued license or ID	☐ State-issued license or ID w/address
☐ U.S. passport w/photo	☐ State/federal correspondence w/address
☐ Foreign passport w/photo	☐ WIC folder
☐ WIC folder	☐ Checkbook w/address
☐ W-2 form or Tax bill w/name	☐ Rent or mortgage receipt, lease w/address
☐ Birth certificate	☐ Utility or tax bill w/address
☐ Social Services letter w/ name	☐ Documents from public school w/address
☐ Social Security or Green card	☐ Written statement from reliable third party
☐ Hospital or immunization record	(e.g. non-profit aid organization)
Other: SPECIFY	Other: SPECIFY

#### PRIMARY FAMILY/ECONOMIC UNIT

Let's begin by having you tell me the names of all the persons who live or stay with you whether they
are related to you or not. I will type in the names so I can follow up with some questions. [PROBE:
ANYONE ELSE?]

RECORD ALL NAMES IN LIST FORM.

ETC.		

AFTER ALL PERSONS ARE LISTED, ASK FOLLOWING QUESTIONS FOR EACH PERSON:					
4. What is t	heir relationship to [SAY You OR NAME	1. Spouse	11.	Uncle/aunt	
OF SAM	PLED PARTICIPANT IF DIFFERENT]?	2. Partner	12.	Cousin	
		3. Child	13.	Nephew/niece	
		4. Step-child	14.	Parent-in-law	
		5. Foster child	15.	Brother-in-law/sister-in-law	
				Other relative	
				Other non-relative	
		-		Child in Temporary Care	
		9. Brother/Sister		of Friends/Relatives	
		10. Grandparent			
5. Is this	ndividual male or female?			□1-Male	
				$\square$ 2-Female	
	d is this person?			YEARS	
7. FOR A	NY CHILD LESS THAN 5 YEARS OR AN'	Y WOMAN GREATER		☐ 1-Yes	
THAN	14 YEARS ASK: Is this person receiving \	NIC now?		□ 2-No	
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	RWISE, IF Q6≥15, ASK: Do you conside				
	family group that is, you are sharing inc				
	ere a family OR do you feel that you each	n keep your income and		☐ 1-Share like family	
expens	ses and food separately?			☐ 2-Separate finances	
IF Q6<15, ASK: Do you consider [READ NAME] to be part of your family					
group that is, you are responsible for taking care of them as if you were					
all in the same family?					
9. PROGRAM WILL CALCULATE NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN PRIMARY				□NUMBER OF PEOPLE	
ECONOMIC UNIT				IN PRIMARY	
$[Q4=1,2,3, 4 \text{ OR } 5]$ or $[Q8=1]$ and $[Q6\geq15]$				<b>ECONOMIC UNIT</b>	
10. COMPUTER WILL COMPARE THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN PRIMARY ECONOMIC UNIT (Q9) WITH #					
OF HC	SUSEHOLD MEMBERS IN WIC RECORDS	S (P5-TOTAL IN PRIMARY	ECC	DNOMIC UNIT).	
IF Q9=	P5, SKIP TO Q11				
	P5, SAY: The WIC records show that back				
	d [INSERT #] adults and [INSERT #] childr				
	ve we left someone off the list? Or perhap			<u> </u>	
	unted as part of your main family unit but w	-	EW	NAMES OR	
INFORMATION IN Q2-9 AS APPROPRIATE]					
IF Q9>P5, SAY: The WIC records show that back in [INSERT MONTH/DATE OF CERTIFICATION] you					
had [INSERT #] adults and [INSERT #] children in this household, which is fewer than we have listed					
here. Can I verify that everyone on our list here IS part of your main family unit? [PROBE & DELETE					
	MES OR INFORMATION IN Q2-9 AS API	<u>-</u>	<b>ا</b> ا	IADDATINE ADDDAACH	
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#### ADJUNCTIVE OR AUTOMATIC ELIGIBILITY

11. [SKIP TO Q12 IF P3c=NO (i.e., no adjunctive eligibility)] The WIC records show that you qualified for WIC because you, or a member of your family, participate in the [FILL IN FROM P4] program. Can you quickly show me a document that demonstrates your or their participation in that program such as the certification card, the award letter you got, or an active program voucher? [IF NO, PROBE: Do you have anything at all? AND EVALUATE WHAT THEY COME UP WITH. MARK YES OR NO BOX BELOW AND CONTINUE]

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a) NAME OF PROGRAM RECIPIENT ON PROOF SHOWN. [MAKE SURE IT MATCHES SOMEONE IN THE PRIMARY ECONOMIC UNIT; OTHERWISE ASK FOR ANOTHER DOCUMENT/CARD AS PROOF]	
b) DATE OF DOCUMENT/CARD ISSUANCE (MM/DD/YYYY)	[TYPE IN] 99 NO DATE [PROBE: Do you have anything that shows the dates for your participation in the program? IF NO ASK FOR DATE OF FIRST ELIGIBILITY.]
c) DATE OF DOCUMENT/CARD OR ELIGIBILITY EXPIRATION (MM/DD/YYYY)	[TYPE IN] 99 NO DATE [PROBE: Do you have anything that shows the expiration date?]
d) NAME OF ISSUING AGENCY	[TYPE IN] 99 NOT EVIDENT [PROBE: Do you have anything that shows the agency name?]
e) NUMBER ON DOCUMENT/CARD	[TYPE IN] 99 NO NUMBER
f) DOCUMENT/CARD SHOWN	Certification card [SKIP TO Q13]  Award letter [SKIP TO Q13]  Active program voucher [SKIP TO Q13]  Food Stamp EBT card [SKIP TO Q13]  Other [IF ANY DOUBTS ABOUT VALIDITY, HAND R. MACRO DISCLOSURE FORM TO FILL OUT AND SIGN. REFER TO PRECODED QUESTION P4 AND USE R-7 FOR TANF; R-1 FOR FOOD STAMPS/ MEDICARE]

- □ NO, PROOF NOT SHOWN OR WRONG PROOF SHOWN. HAND R. MACRO DISCLOSURE FORM AND HAVE THEM FILL IT OUT AND SIGN IT. FORMS TO USE ARE LISTED. [CONTINUE TO Q12]
  - R-7 TANF [NOTE: R-# FORMS ARE MACRO'S INFO RELEASE FORMS]
  - R-1 FOOD STAMPS, MEDICAID, CHILDREN'S MEDICAID OR CHIP

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#### **INCOME ELIGIBILITY**

12. Now I am going to ask you about the income earned by you and other primary members of this household. WIC is interested in the accuracy of their data records in this area. The information you share with me will be confidential and will be combined with that from other people, so WIC won't know your or anybody else's personal information.

So let's start with [READ NAME OFF LIST OF PRIMARY ECONOMIC UNIT. RESPONDENT SHOULD BE FIRST ON LIST.]

[NOTE: IF RESPONDENT HAS DIFFICULTY RECALLING TIME PERIOD USE NARRATIVE APPROACH IN WHICH A TIME IS LINKED TO A SALIENT EVENT]

RECENT CERTIFICATION MONTH/YEAR], did [INSERT you/NAME] receive any income from [READ FROM BELOW]?	´ IN a), ASK:	HITEM CHECKED How much did ou/NAME] earn?	c) Can you show me some evidence of that income such as [READ FROM LIST ACCOMPANYING EACH ITEM]		
CHECK ONLY IF YES		T			
☐ Wages, salary, fees (excluding military pay)  YES → NO ↓	\$	Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	Pay stub/earnings statement W-2 form 2007 IRS tax return Other: None: GIVE FORM R-3, WHICH WILL COLLECT INFO ON: - POSITON HELD - FIELD OF WORK -HOURS/WEEK -ZIP CODE FOR USE IN DETERMINING AVERAGE WAGE IN AREA		
☐ Military pay YES → NO ↓	\$	Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	Leave and earnings statement Other: None: GIVE FORM R-5		

☐ Tips and bonuses YES → NO ↓	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	2007 IRS tax return     W-2 form     Other:  None
<ul> <li>□ Net income from self employment (from farm and non-farm business)</li> <li>YES →</li> <li>NO</li> <li>↓</li> </ul>	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	2007 IRS tax return     Business records     Expense receipts     Other:     None
☐ Unemployment compensation YES → NO ↓	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	□ 2007 IRS tax return     □ Copy of check, check stub     □ Letter of determination     □ Other:     □ None
<ul> <li>□ Workers compensation</li> <li>YES →</li> <li>NO</li> <li>↓</li> </ul>	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	2007 IRS tax return     Copy of check, check stub     Award statement     Statement from insurance company     Other:     None
☐ Child Support YES → NO ↓	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	<ul> <li>□ Copy of check</li> <li>□ Support agreement</li> <li>□ Divorce/separation decree</li> <li>□ Court order</li> <li>□ Other:</li> <li>□ None: GIVE FORM R-6</li> </ul>
□ Alimony YES → NO ↓	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	□ Copy of check     □ Support agreement     □ Divorce/separation decree     □ Court order     □ Other:     □ None: GIVE FORM R-6

□ Social Security YES → NO ↓	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	SSA Award letter Statement of benefits 2007 IRS tax return (line 14a on 1040A) Other: None
□ SSI – Fed government YES → NO ↓	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	<ul><li>Notice of benefits</li><li>Copy of check, check stub</li><li>Other:</li><li>None</li></ul>
☐ SSI—State issued YES → NO ↓	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	<ul> <li>□ Notice of benefits</li> <li>□ Copy of check, check stub</li> <li>□ Other:</li> <li>□ None</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>□ Any private or public pension, annuity or survivor's benefits</li> <li>YES → NO ↓</li> </ul>	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	<ul> <li>Notice of benefits</li> <li>Copy of check, check stub</li> <li>Other:</li> <li>None: GIVE FORM R-1</li> </ul>
☐ Medical assistance (any)  YES → NO ↓	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	<ul> <li>Notice of benefits</li> <li>Copy of check, check stub</li> <li>Other:</li> <li>None: GIVE FORM R-1</li> </ul>
☐ Veteran's payments YES → NO ↓	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	<ul> <li>□ 2007 IRS tax return</li> <li>□ Notice of benefits</li> <li>□ Copy of check, check stub</li> <li>□ Other:</li> <li>□ None: GIVE FORM R-1</li> </ul>

☐ Other cash income YES → NO ↓ □ Energy assistance YES → NO ↓	\$ \$	Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other: Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter	2007 IRS tax return Benefits statement Copy of check, check stub Other: None: GIVE FORM R-1  Notice of benefits Other: None: GIVE FORM R-1
☐ Net rental income		Year Other:	2007 IRS tax return
YES → NO ↓	\$	Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	Business records Expense receipts Other: None
☐ Income from trusts YES → NO ↓	\$	Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	2007 IRS tax return Business records Expense receipts Other: None
☐ Commissions YES → NO ↓	\$	Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	2007 IRS tax return Business records Expense receipts Other: None
☐ Income from estates YES → NO ↓	\$	Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	2007 IRS tax return Business records Expense receipts Other: None

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□ Net royalties YES → NO ↓	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	2007 IRS tax return     Business records     Expense receipts     Other:  None
☐ Interest or dividends YES → NO ↓	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	2007 IRS tax return     Earnings statement     Copy of check, check stub     Other:     None
□ Regular contributions from persons not in household YES → NO ↓	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	Copy of check, check stub  Letter of intent Other: None: GIVE FORM R-15
Other: SPECIFY  YES  NO	\$ Per week Per 2 weeks 2 Times a month Month Quarter Year Other:	2007 IRS tax return     Benefits statement     Other:     None

REPEAT INCOME QUESTIONS (Q12) FOR EVERY ADULT MEMBER OF PRIMARY ECONOMIC UNIT.

## **CLOSING**

13. READ: This completes our survey. It was great talking to you. Thank you so much for helping us out. Here is \$20 in appreciation for your time. [FILL OUT RECEIPT FOR INCENTIVE AND GET SIGNATURE.]

Do you have any questions before I leave?

Have a great day/evening.