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SUBJECT:

Non-Substantive Change Justification for OMB Control No: 0584-0548

WIC Breastfeeding Peer Counseling Phase 2

Through this memorandum, we are requesting a non-substantive change to the letters that will go out to the Regions and States informing them about the upcoming WIC Breastfeeding Peer Counseling Phase 2 information collection request, under the Information Collection Request (ICR), OMB Control No.0584-0548, which was approved on January 16, 2014.

The WIC Breastfeeding Peer Counseling Phase 2 survey is a web-based survey intended to examine State Agencies perspectives about how *Loving Support* peer counseling is being implemented. Specifically, it includes questions about State agency staff that work on *Loving Support* peer counseling, training, support, and policy guidance that the State agency provides to local agencies, and what types of data the State agencies collect from Local Agencies about their *Loving Support* Peer Counseling programs.

The Food and Nutrition Service (FNS) is requesting OMB approval for revisions made to recruitment letters to reflect updated information and to add clarity. These non-substantive revisions do not change the approved burden. The changes are requested to update the name of the COR for this study, clarify the intended audience for the information collection request, and clarify aspects of the data collection.

Burden	Responses	Hours
Previous	9,357	9,357
New	2,425	2,425

If you have any questions regarding this request, please contact Lynnette Thomas, Branch Chief for the Food and Nutrition Service, Planning & Regulatory Affairs Branch at (703) 605-4782.