## **NEBRASKA WIC PROGRAM**



## Pre-Training Activities Plan - Outreach Worker Clerk

- Below is a <u>modified pre-training plan for your clerk outreach worker</u>; this position does not assess perform income identity, or residency assessments
- These training activities are to be completed at the new employee's home local agency WIC site under the guidance of a mentor or <u>training coordinator</u>.
- The Outreach Worker Modified Clerk training curriculum is progressive and builds on the pre-training skills they begin working on before they come to the training.

Local Agency Name: Outreach Worker Name: Training Coordinator Name(s) WIC Director Name:

		Date Completed	Comments/ Additional Details
	CIVIL RIGHTS TRAINING		
	2024 Civil Rights Training – Part 1 on Civil Rights Policy		
	Civil Rights Training – Part 2 – <u>A Call To Action: Addressing Historical and Ending Contemporary Racial Inequities</u>		
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	Become familiar with the philosophy and mission of WIC  History of WIC – part 1		
	History of WIC – part 2		
	WIC History & What You Do Works		
	Understand the history and mission of WIC; Describe eligibility requirements & participation; describe services & benefits offered by WIC		
	WIC 101 Interactive Training – steps to complete: (must create account first)		
	1. Go to <a href="https://wiclearning.percipio.com">https://wiclearning.percipio.com</a>		
	2. Click "New here? Create an account" link		
	3. Complete the registration form		
	4. Click this link & launch course - <u>WIC 101</u>		
	REFERRAL BENEFITS		
	Discuss with LA Training Coordinator:		
	Referral resources available in your service area		
	Contact information for referral resources		
	Special needs populations that your agency serves		
	Programs your agency typically refers to		
	Discuss what pamphlets or brochures your clinic has available for referrals to other programs; Where are they located; Which ones are most frequently used		

	WIC CLINIC SITES	
	Discuss with LA Training Coordinator:	
	How many WIC clinics your agency offers	
	Your WIC clinic locations, days open, hours	
	Identify what clinic sites this outreach worker will be scheduling clients for	
	Explore the Ne WIC website to find contact information for WIC programs	
	across Ne; Click the "WIC Clinics" button located on the home page; enter	
	a zip code or address to find WIC locations in that area	
	WIC APPOINTMENTS	
	Discuss with LA Training Coordinator:	
	Clinic Flow – overview of basic certification appointment flow	
	For each clinic/ subagency staff will be working with -	
	Review how each clinic schedule is set up	
	For each clinic/subagency staff will be working with –	
	Review how to you read the Journey appointment schedules	
	For each clinic/subagency staff will be working with –	
	Review how to schedule a new certification appointment	
	WIC CLINIC OBSERVATIONS	
	Answering Phone/Making Appointments:	
	Observe how staff answers the phone at your clinic	
	Observe staff as they enter appointments into Journey	
	Review WIC Procedure on <u>Processing Standards</u> to become familiar with	
	"time frames for eligibility determination"	
	Observe a variety of WIC appointment types from beginning to end (from	
	the clerk to the CPA) to get the big picture. At a minimum try to observe:	
	3 - full new certs (1 pregnant woman, 1 mom/baby, 1 child)	
	CONFIDENTIALITY	
	- Discuss the importance of client confidentiality with your WIC Director	
	- <u>confidentiality of client information</u> procedure	
	WEBSITE SEARCH SCAVENGER HUNT	
	Get familiar with the Nebraska WIC resources and where things are located	
	that are helpful for families and for staff	
	Explore the Nebraska WIC Website: <a href="https://dhhs.ne.gov/WIC">https://dhhs.ne.gov/WIC</a>	
	Home Page	
	- WIC Clinics button	
	WIC Families Page	
	- Shopping with eWIC brochure	
	- Setting eWIC card PIN	
	- What if my PIN doesn't work	
	- Reporting lost, stolen, damaged eWIC cards	
	CUNIC MATERIALS & SUPPLIES	
	What brochures and materials does your clinic have on hand to give to	 
	new WIC clients or clients who want information about WIC ie outreach	
_	materials?	
	What brochures and materials do your clinic(s) commonly provide to WIC	
	clients for referrals to other programs	

	Review & become familiar with the content provided in these brochures and handouts			
	Make a folder including 1 of each of these commonly used materials for			
	your own reference			
	Discuss clinic processes for ordering materials you would use for outreach			
	Office supplies			
	Who is responsible for ordering / contact information			
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Na	me of WIC staff who completed this form:			
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