## .07 Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Referral

The Supplemental Food Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) provides benefits to the following participants:

- Children up to 5 years of age
- Participants who are pregnant, breast feeding, or in their postpartum period

Give a WIC brochure and an explanation of the WIC program to anyone who meets the previously listed criteria.

At an initial interview or a renewal, give the PI the Referral for Benefits (FA-009) form with other checked and WIC written in the blank. (See <u>WIC hotline phone number</u> to call for the nearest office)

NOTE Participants are not required to apply for WIC benefits. DO NOT impose a penalty for not applying for WIC benefits.