

SURVEY OF WIC PARTICIPANTS – WAVE 2
– Screener –

I'm calling on behalf of the WIC (WICK) Program. May I speak with FIRST NAME OF PARENT? (IF NECESSARY, SAY:)
We are conducting a statewide survey of parents across California about their experiences with WIC. (IF NECESSARY, SAY:) WIC is the supplemental food program for women, infants and children.

IF NO ENGLISH SPOKEN, CODE AS FOLLOWS:

SPANISH..... 2 - SPANISH CALLBACK
ASIAN LANGUAGE 3 } TERMINATE
OTHER LANGUAGE 4 }

- IF NOT AT THIS NUMBER, ASK FOR FORWARDING NUMBER

ONCE PARENT IS ON PHONE, SAY:

I'm _____ and I'm calling on behalf of the WIC Program.

S1. We are conducting a statewide survey of parents across California about their experiences with WIC.

IF NECESSARY, SAY:

- If you have any questions, you may contact WIC at 1-888-942-2229.
- This is a survey sponsored by the WIC Program. WIC would like to provide the best services possible.
- We are definitely not selling anything.
- We encourage you to provide your opinions, but your participation is entirely voluntary. If there are any questions that you do not want to answer or have no opinion about, please let me know and we will go to the next question. If you choose to end the interview before it is completed, or if you choose not to participate, there will be no penalties or any loss of WIC benefits you may already be receiving.
- The interview should take about 15-20 minutes.

IF SPANISH LANGUAGE DIFFICULTIES, ASK:

S2.	We can conduct the survey in English or Spanish. Would you prefer to be interviewed in Spanish?	NO, CONTINUE IN ENGLISH.....1
		SPANISH2

S3. RECORD GENDER OF PARENT:

FEMALE1
MALE2

Before we begin, I need to tell you that my supervisor periodically monitors these interviews to insure quality and courtesy.

SURVEY OF WIC PARTICIPANTS – WAVE 2
Questionnaire

1a. How many people in your household are currently on WIC? _____ PEOPLE → **IF 0, TERMINATE**

IF ONE OR MORE, ASK:

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| 1b. | How many of them are children ages 2 – 5? | _____ CHILDREN 2-5 YEARS |
| 1c. | How many of them are children 12-23 months old? | _____ CHILDREN 12-23 MONTHS |
| 1d. | How many of them are infants under 12 months old? | _____ INFANTS UNDER 12 MONTHS |
| 1e. | How many are postpartum women? (IF NECESSARY, SAY: That is, women who only recently gave birth?) | _____ POSTPARTUM WOMEN |
| 1f. | How many are pregnant women? | _____ PREGNANT WOMEN |

▪ **NOTE: SUM OF Q1b-Q1f MUST EQUAL NUMBER OF PEOPLE ON WIC FROM Q1a.**

IF INTERVIEW BEING CONDUCTED IN AUGUST, ASK:

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| 1g. | Did you yourself visit a WIC site in August to pick up your WIC checks? | YES, AUGUST1
NO.....2
DON'T KNOW.....8 | } CONTINUE |
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IF INTERVIEW BEING CONDUCTED IN SEPTEMBER, ASK:

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| 1h. | Did you yourself visit a WIC site in either August or September to pick up your WIC checks? (IF YES, ASK:) Was that August or September? (ANSWER CAN BE A MULTIPLE) | YES, AUGUST1
YES, SEPTEMBER2
NO.....3
DON'T KNOWDK | } CONTINUE |
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IF INTERVIEW BEING CONDUCTED IN OCTOBER, ASK:

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| 1i. | Did you yourself visit a WIC site in October to pick up your WIC checks; that is, since October 1 st ? | YES1 - TERMINATE
NO.....2
DON'T KNOWDK | } CONTINUE |
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2. Counting all pregnancies and children, about how many months or years in total have you or other family members received WIC services? _____ MONTHS
 _____ YEARS
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSEDREF

IF ANY CHILDREN AGE 0-5 ON WIC (FROM Q1b, 1c OR 1d), ASK:

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| 5a. | Are you the biological (mother) (father) of the children who are currently on WIC? | YES1
NO.....2
DON'T KNOW DK
REFUSEDREF |
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IF YES, BIOLOGICAL MOTHER/FATHER, ASK:

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| 5c. | (Are you/Is the mother of your children) currently pregnant? | YES1
NO.....2
DON'T KNOW DK
REFUSEDREF |
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6. When you go to shop using your WIC checks, do you usually go to a store that sells only or mostly WIC foods or do you go to a store that also sells lots of other kinds of foods in addition to WIC foods?
- SELLS ALL/MOSTLY WIC FOODS.....1
ALSO SELLS OTHER NON-WIC FOODS2
DON'T KNOW DK
REFUSEDREF
8. I would like to learn about your most recent WIC visit. At your most recent visit to WIC did you meet together with a group of other WIC participants and receive education from a WIC staff person about a nutrition or health topic together as a group or not? (IF NECESSARY, SAY: This could have been in a separate room of the WIC center, like a classroom or as a small group gathered together in an area of the WIC center.)
- YES, DID1
NO, DID NOT.....2
DON'T KNOW DK
REFUSEDREF

The next few questions are about the fruits and vegetables you ate in the past week. For each please tell me how many times you ate or drank this in the past week. For each question, please answer by saying never, 1 to 2 times per week, 3 to 4 times per week, 5 to 6 times per week or every day.

- 10a. In the last week, how many times did you drink 100 percent orange juice, grapefruit juice or other 100 percent juice? Do not count fruit drinks, soft drinks or other sugar-sweetened drinks. (IF NECESSARY, SAY: Never, 1 to 2 times per week, 3 to 4 times per week, 5 to 6 times per week, 1 time per day, 2 times per day, 3 times per day, or 4 or more times per day?)
- NEVER.....1
1-2 TIMES PER WEEK2
3-4 TIMES PER WEEK3
5-6 TIMES PER WEEK4
1 TIME PER DAY5
2 TIMES PER DAY6
3 TIMES PER DAY7
4+ TIMES PER DAY9
DON'T KNOW DK
REFUSEDREF
- 10b. In the last week, how often did you eat fruit, counting fresh, canned, dried and frozen fruit, but not counting juices? (IF NECESSARY, SAY: Never, 1 to 2 times per week, 3 to 4 times per week, 5 to 6 times per week, 1 time per day, 2 times per day, 3 times per day, or 4 or more times per day?)
- NEVER.....1
1-2 TIMES PER WEEK2
3-4 TIMES PER WEEK3
5-6 TIMES PER WEEK4
1 TIME PER DAY5
2 TIMES PER DAY6
3 TIMES PER DAY7
4+ TIMES PER DAY9
DON'T KNOW DK
REFUSEDREF
- 10g. In the last week, how often did you eat vegetables? Please include vegetables eaten in salads, soups and mixed dishes, and count fresh, frozen and canned vegetables. (IF NECESSARY, SAY: Never, 1 to 2 times per week, 3 to 4 times per week, 5 to 6 times per week, 1 time per day, 2 times per day, 3 times per day, or 4 or more times per day?)
- NEVER.....1
1-2 TIMES PER WEEK2
3-4 TIMES PER WEEK3
5-6 TIMES PER WEEK4
1 TIME PER DAY5
2 TIMES PER DAY6
3 TIMES PER DAY7
4+ TIMES PER DAY9
DON'T KNOW DK
REFUSEDREF
11. Fruits and vegetables come in many different colors. Please tell me about how much you and your family think about eating fruits and vegetables of different colors. Would you say you try to eat many different colors of fruits and vegetables or that you don't really think about the colors?
- TRY TO EAT DIFFERENT COLORS.....1
DON'T THINK ABOUT COLORS.....2
DON'T KNOW DK
REFUSEDREF

12a.	In the last six months, have you seen or heard any information recently about the importance of eating many different colors or <u>eating a rainbow</u> of fruits and vegetables every day?	YES, HAVE1 NO, HAVE NOT2 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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IF YES, ASK:

12b.	Did you see or hear about the idea of <u>eating a rainbow</u> of fruits and vegetables every day from WIC or from someplace else?	WIC1 SOMEPLACE ELSE2 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSED RE
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13a.	In the last six months, have you seen or heard the idea that some foods should be considered " <u>sometimes</u> " foods, meaning foods we should only eat sometimes, and other foods should be considered " <u>anytime</u> " foods, meaning foods we can eat any time we want?	YES, HAVE1 NO, HAVE NOT2 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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IF YES, ASK:

13b.	Did you see or hear about the idea of " <u>sometimes</u> " or " <u>anytime</u> " foods from WIC or from someplace else?	WIC1 SOMEPLACE ELSE2 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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15.	What type of milk do you yourself drink most of the time? (READ LIST) (RECORD <u>ONE</u> ANSWER)	Whole or Vitamin D milk1 2% or reduced fat milk2 1% or low fat milk3 Fat free or nonfat milk4 I don't drink milk5 OTHER MILK6 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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IF ANY KIND OF MILK MENTIONED IN Q15, ASK:

16.	Which of the following is a reason why you drink this type of milk? (READ LIST IN RANDOM ORDER) (ANSWER CAN BE A MULTIPLE)	
	() It's healthier for me.....	1
	() I like the taste	2
	READ LAST → Or, some other reason.....	3
	DO NOT READ { DON'T KNOW.....	DK
	REFUSED.....	REF

IF CHILD AGE 2-5 ON WIC FROM Q1b, ASK:

17.	What type of milk does your 2-to-5-year-old child drink most of the time? (READ LIST IF NECESSARY) (RECORD <u>ONE</u> ANSWER)	Whole or Vitamin D milk1 2% or reduced fat milk2 1% or low fat milk3 Fat free or nonfat milk4 He/She doesn't drink milk5 OTHER MILK6 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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18. In the last six months, have you ever participated in a milk tasting at your WIC center? YES1
 NO.....2
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSED.....REF

IF YES, ASK:

19. Did tasting milk at your WIC center make you more likely to change the milk you buy to a lower fat milk? YES1
 NO.....2
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSED.....REF

20. The next few questions are about bread and grain foods. Do you ever buy... (READ ITEMS IN RANDOM ORDER)?

	YES	NO	DK	REF
() a. Whole wheat bread.....	1	2	DK	REF
() b. Corn tortillas	1	2	DK	REF
() c. Whole wheat tortillas.....	1	2	DK	REF
() d. Oatmeal (not including instant packets).....	1	2	DK	REF
() e. Brown rice	1	2	DK	REF

21. On packaged foods, all the ingredients in the food are listed on a label. Have you seen this ingredients label before? YES1
 NO.....2
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSED.....REF

IF YES, ASK:

22. When you buy whole grain foods, like whole wheat bread or whole wheat tortillas, how often do you read the ingredients label – always or most of the time, some of the time, rarely or never? ALWAYS/MOST OF THE TIME1
 SOME OF THE TIME.....2
 RARELY/NEVER.....3
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSED.....REF

24. Compared to six months ago, are you reading ingredients labels more often, less often, or about the same when you purchase your whole grain foods? MORE OFTEN1
 LESS OFTEN.....2
 SAME.....3
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSED.....REF

IF MORE OFTEN FROM Q24, ASK:

25. When purchasing your whole grain foods, did you get the idea to read ingredient labels more often from WIC or from someplace else? WIC1
 SOMEPLACE ELSE2
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSED.....REF

The next few questions ask you to compare what you were eating 6 months ago to what you and your family are eating now.

27. Compared to six months ago, are you and your family now eating more, less or about the same amount of fruits? MORE1
 LESS.....2
 ABOUT THE SAME3
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSED.....REF

IF MORE, ASK:

28.	Compared to six months ago, are you and your family now eating a greater variety of fruits <u>or</u> larger amounts of the same types of fruits?	GREATER VARIETY1 LARGER AMOUNTS/SAME TYPE2 BOTH3 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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30.	Compared to six months ago, are you and your family now eating more, less or about the same amount of <u>vegetables</u> ?	MORE1 LESS.....2 ABOUT THE SAME3 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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IF MORE, ASK:

31.	Compared to six months ago, are you and your family now eating a greater variety of vegetables <u>or</u> are you eating larger amounts of the same types of vegetables?	GREATER VARIETY1 LARGER AMOUNTS/SAME TYPE2 BOTH3 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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33.	Compared to six months ago, do you think that you now drink more, less or about the same amount of <u>milk</u> ?	MORE1 LESS.....2 ABOUT THE SAME3 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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IF MORE OR LESS, ASK:

34.	What type of milk are you now drinking (more) (less) – whole or Vitamin D milk, 2% or reduced fat milk, 1% or low-fat milk, or fat-free or non-fat milk? (ANSWER CAN BE A MULTIPLE)	WHOLE MILK OR VITAMIN D1 2% OR REDUCED FAT2 1% OR LOW-FAT3 FAT-FREE OR NON-FAT4 OTHER.....5 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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35.	Compared to six months ago, do you think that you now eat more, less or about the same amount of <u>whole grain foods</u> ?	MORE1 LESS.....2 ABOUT THE SAME3 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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37. The next questions ask you about different things that you might be thinking about doing in the next six months. For each, please tell me if you are not thinking about doing it right now, thinking about doing it or already doing it.. What about... (READ EACH ITEM ONE AT A TIME, ASKING:) Are you not thinking about doing it right now, thinking about doing it in the next six months or already doing it?

	NOT THINKING ABOUT IT	THINKING ABOUT DOING IT	ALREADY DOING	DK	REF
() a. (eating) more fruits and vegetables each day.....	1	2	3	DK	REF
() c. (drinking) 2% reduced fat milk.....	1	2	3	DK	REF
() d. (drinking) 1% low-fat milk.....	1	2	3	DK	REF
() e. (drinking) fat-free or nonfat milk.....	1	2	3	DK	REF
() f. (eating) more 100% whole wheat bread.....	1	2	3	DK	REF
() g. (eating) brown rice instead of white rice.....	1	2	3	DK	REF
() h. (eating) whole wheat tortillas instead of plain flour tortillas.....	1	2	3	DK	REF

39. (1) I'm going to read you a few statements that some people say makes it hard for them to eat more fruits and vegetables. For each please tell me if you agree or disagree. Eating more fruits and vegetables is difficult because... (READ IN RANDOM ORDER) Do you agree or disagree? Is that strongly or somewhat?

	AGREE STRONGLY	AGREE SOMEWHAT	DISAGREE SOMEWHAT	DISAGREE STRONGLY	DK	REF
() a. They cost too much	1.....	2	3.....	4.....	DK	REF
() b. They are hard to find where I shop for food.....	1.....	2	3.....	4.....	DK	REF
() c. My children or I don't like them.....	1.....	2	3.....	4.....	DK	REF

39. (2) Next I'm going to read you a few statements that some people say makes it hard for them to eat more whole grain foods like whole wheat bread, whole wheat tortillas and brown rice. For each please tell me if you agree or disagree. Eating more whole grain foods like whole wheat bread, whole wheat tortillas and brown rice is difficult because... (READ IN RANDOM ORDER) Do you agree or disagree? Is that strongly or somewhat?

	AGREE STRONGLY	AGREE SOMEWHAT	DISAGREE SOMEWHAT	DISAGREE STRONGLY	DK	REF
() a. They cost too much	1.....	2	3.....	4.....	DK	REF
() b. They are hard to find where I shop for food.....	1.....	2	3.....	4.....	DK	REF
() c. My children or I don't like them.....	1.....	2	3.....	4.....	DK	REF
() d. I can't always tell which foods are whole grain	1.....	2	3.....	4.....	DK	REF

40a. In the last six months have you seen or heard any messages about the importance of eating more fruits and vegetables every day?

YES	1
NO.....	2
DON'T KNOW.....	DK
REFUSED.....	REF

IF YES, ASK:

40b. Did you hear about the idea of <u>eating more fruits and vegetables</u> from WIC or from someplace else?	FROM WIC.....	1
	SOMEPLACE ELSE	2
	DON'T KNOW.....	DK
	REFUSED.....	REF

41a. In the last six months have you seen or heard any messages about the importance of eating more whole grain foods?

YES	1
NO.....	2
DON'T KNOW.....	DK
REFUSED.....	REF

IF YES, ASK:

41b. Did you hear about the idea of <u>eating more whole grain foods</u> from WIC or from someplace else?	FROM WIC.....	1
	SOMEPLACE ELSE	2
	DON'T KNOW.....	DK
	REFUSED.....	REF

42a. In the last six months have you seen or heard any messages about the importance of drinking lower fat milk?

YES	1
NO.....	2
DON'T KNOW.....	DK
REFUSED.....	REF

IF YES, ASK:

42b. Did you hear about the idea of <u>drinking lower fat milk</u> from WIC or from someplace else?	FROM WIC.....	1
	SOMEPLACE ELSE	2
	DON'T KNOW.....	DK
	REFUSED.....	REF

IF HAS CHILD AGE 1-5 ON WIC FROM Q1b OR Q1c, ASK:

43.	Do you have any books that help you talk to your 1-5 year old child about how to eat healthy foods like fruits and vegetables?	YES1 NO.....2 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
44.	Do you have any videos or D-V-Ds that help you talk to your child about how to eat healthy foods like fruits and vegetables?	YES1 NO.....2 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF

45a.	In the last six months did you receive a Sesame Street booklet with a D-V-D from WIC called the <u>Get Healthy Now Show</u> ?	YES1 NO.....2 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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IF YES TO Q45a, ASK:

45b.	Since you got the Sesame Street D-V-D, how many times did you or your child watch it – never, once or twice, three to ten times or more than ten times?	NEVER1 ONCE OR TWICE2 3 – 10 TIMES3 MORE THAN 10 TIMES4 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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IF CHILD UNDER AGE 2 ON WIC (FROM Q1c OR Q1d), ASK:

47.	I'm going to read you some statements and I'd like you to tell me whether you think each statement reflects WIC's position about feeding babies. There are no right or wrong answers, we would just like your opinion. (READ IN RANDOM ORDER, ASKING:) Do you think this reflects WIC's position?	
		YES NO DK REF
	() a. WIC encourages mothers to breastfeed their babies.....	12 ...DK .REF
	() b. WIC encourages mothers to feed their babies formula.....	12 ...DK .REF
	() c. WIC encourages mothers to breastfeed their babies without using any formula.....	12 ...DK .REF
	() e. WIC encourages mothers to both breastfeed and feed their babies formula.....	12 ...DK .REF
48.	How old is your youngest child?	LESS THAN 1 MONTH0 1 MONTH1 2 MONTHS2 3 MONTHS3 4 MONTHS4 5 MONTHS5 6 MONTHS6 7 MONTHS7 8 MONTHS8 9 MONTHS9 10 MONTHS 10 11 MONTHS 11 12 MONTHS OR MORE 12 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF

49.	(IF FEMALE) How long did you breastfeed your youngest child? (IF STILL BREASTFEEDING, ENTER CATEGORY APPLICABLE TO CHILD'S CURRENT AGE)	LESS THAN 1 MONTH0 1 MONTH1 2 MONTHS2 3 MONTHS3 4 MONTHS4 5 MONTHS5 6 MONTHS6 7 MONTHS7 8 MONTHS8 9 MONTHS9 10 MONTHS 10 11 MONTHS 11 12 MONTHS OR MORE 12 STILL BREASTFEEDING 13 DIDN'T BREASTFEED..... 14 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
50.	How old was your youngest child when he/she was first given formula?	LESS THAN 1 MONTH0 1 MONTH1 2 MONTHS2 3 MONTHS3 4 MONTHS4 5 MONTHS5 6 MONTHS6 7 MONTHS7 8 MONTHS8 9 MONTHS9 10 MONTHS 10 11 MONTHS 11 12 MONTHS OR MORE 12 NEVER HAD FORMULA 13 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
51a.	Was your youngest child fed <u>only</u> breastmilk at the hospital?	YES1 NO.....2 NOT BORN IN HOSPITAL3 (SKIP TO Q52) DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
51b.	Did the hospital staff give you a gift pack with formula to take home when you were leaving the hospital?	YES1 NO.....2 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF

52.	How old was your youngest child when he or she first ate or drank anything <u>OTHER</u> than breastmilk, formula or water?	LESS THAN 1 MONTH.....	0
		1 MONTH.....	1
		2 MONTHS.....	2
		3 MONTHS.....	3
		4 MONTHS.....	4
		5 MONTHS.....	5
		6 MONTHS.....	6
		7 MONTHS.....	7
		8 MONTHS.....	8
		9 MONTHS.....	9
		10 MONTHS.....	10
		11 MONTHS.....	11
		12 MONTHS OR MORE.....	12
		HASN'T HAD FOOD OR DRINK YET.....	13
DON'T KNOW.....	DK		
REFUSED.....	REF		

ASK ALL EXCEPT THOSE SAYING "HASN'T HAD OTHER FOOD OR DRINK YET" FROM Q52:

53.	What food or drink did you give your baby at this age? (READ CATEGORIES IN RANDOM ORDER IF NECESSARY) (ANSWER CAN BE A MULTIPLE)	() juice.....	1
		() cow's milk/fresh milk.....	2
		() cereal.....	3
		() tea.....	4
		() fruit.....	5
		() vegetables.....	6
		() meats.....	7
		READ LAST → something else.....	8
		DON'T KNOW.....	DK
		REFUSED.....	REF

56.	There are many places where babies take a bottle. I'm going to read a list of places and for each, please tell me whether your youngest child takes or used to take a bottle in each of these places. (READ ITEMS IN RANDOM ORDER, ASKING:) Does or did your youngest child take a bottle in (ITEM)?		<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>DK</u>	<u>REF</u>
		() a. a bed or crib.....	1	2	DK	REF
		() b. a stroller.....	1	2	DK	REF
		() c. a car seat.....	1	2	DK	REF
		() d. someone's arms.....	1	2	DK	REF
		() e. a high chair.....	1	2	DK	REF

57a.	When your youngest child was taking a bottle, did you receive any information or advice about the places where you should give your baby the bottle and places where you should not?	YES.....	1
		NO.....	2
		DON'T KNOW.....	DK
		REFUSED.....	REF

IF YES TO Q57a, ASK:

57b.	Did you receive this information about places where you should give your baby the bottle from WIC or from someplace else?	WIC.....	1
		SOMEPLACE ELSE.....	2
		DON'T KNOW.....	DK
		REFUSED.....	REF

IF WOMAN AND CURRENTLY PREGNANT FROM Q5c, ASK:

58.	Which of the following best describes what you think you will do with regard to breastfeeding your newborn (READ CATEGORIES)?	You know you will breastfeed.....1 You think you might breastfeed2 You know you will not breastfeed3 You don't know what to do about breastfeeding.....4 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF												
59.	In the last six months have you seen or heard anything about changes that WIC may be making to its foods beginning this October?	YES1 NO.....2 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF												
60.	I am going to read some things that WIC has considered changing and for each, please tell me whether you think WIC will be making this change in October, or not, or whether you don't know. (READ ITEMS IN RANDOM ORDER, ASKING:) As far as you know, will WIC be making this change in October or not?	<table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;"><u>YES</u> <u>NO</u> <u>DK</u> <u>REF</u></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">() a. WIC will not routinely give formula in the first 30 days after a baby is born.....</td> <td>12 ...DK REF</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">() b. WIC will give babies different amounts of formula than they used to get, depending on their age.....</td> <td>12 ...DK REF</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">() c. WIC will give women and children age 2 or older checks specifically for lower fat milk and not whole milk.....</td> <td>12 ...DK REF</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">() d. WIC will be giving women and children checks specifically for fruits and vegetables.....</td> <td>12 ...DK REF</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: right;">() e. WIC will be giving women and children checks specifically for whole grains, like whole wheat bread or whole wheat tortillas.....</td> <td>12 ...DK REF</td> </tr> </table>	<u>YES</u> <u>NO</u> <u>DK</u> <u>REF</u>		() a. WIC will not routinely give formula in the first 30 days after a baby is born.....	12 ...DK REF	() b. WIC will give babies different amounts of formula than they used to get, depending on their age.....	12 ...DK REF	() c. WIC will give women and children age 2 or older checks specifically for lower fat milk and not whole milk.....	12 ...DK REF	() d. WIC will be giving women and children checks specifically for fruits and vegetables.....	12 ...DK REF	() e. WIC will be giving women and children checks specifically for whole grains, like whole wheat bread or whole wheat tortillas.....	12 ...DK REF
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61.	Which of the following best describes how much time you <u>usually</u> spend at the WIC Center – less than 30 minutes, 30 minutes to less than one hour, 60 minutes to less than 90 minutes, or 90 minutes or more?	LESS THAN 30 MINUTES1 30 MINUTES TO LESS THAN 1 HOUR.....2 60 MINUTES TO LESS THAN 90 MINUTES3 90 MINUTES OR MORE4 VARIES/NO USUAL AMOUNT5 NEVER VISIT WIC CENTER.....6 DON'T KNOWDK REFUSEDREF												
62.	How satisfied are you with the service you receive from WIC staff (either at the WIC Center or on the telephone) – very satisfied, somewhat satisfied, not too satisfied or not at all satisfied?	VERY SATISFIED1 SOMEWHAT SATISFIED2 NOT TOO SATISFIED3 NOT AT ALL SATISFIED4 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF												
63.	How often do you have difficulty reaching WIC by telephone – always, sometimes, rarely or never?	ALWAYS.....1 SOMETIMES2 RARELY3 NEVER.....4 DON'T EVER CALL WIC5 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF												

Now, some questions about yourself...

- 101a. Thinking about your entire household, how many people currently live in your household, including yourself? _____ TOTAL PEOPLE IN HH
- 101b. Of these, how many are adults age 18 or older? _____ ADULTS 18 OR OLDER
- 101c. How many are children between the ages of 5 and 17 years? _____ CHILDREN AGES 5-17
- 101d. And, how many are children under five years of age? _____ CHILDREN UNDER 5

▪ **NOTE: SUM OF Q101b-Q101d MUST EQUAL NUMBER OF PEOPLE IN HOUSEHOLD FROM Q101a.**

The next few questions ask about your ethnic and racial background...

102. Are you of Latino or Hispanic origin? (IF NECESSARY, SAY: such as Mexican-American, Latin American, South American, or Spanish-American)?
- YES, HISPANIC1
 NO, NON-HISPANIC2
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSEDREF
103. For classification purposes, we'd like to know what your racial background is. Are you White, Black or African-American, Asian, Pacific Islander, American Indian or an Alaskan native, a member of another race or a combination of these? (ANSWER CAN BE A MULTIPLE)
- WHITE1
 BLACK/AFRICAN-AMERICAN2
 ASIAN3
 PACIFIC ISLANDER4
 AMERICAN INDIAN/
 ALASKAN NATIVE5
 HISPANIC/LATINO
 (VOLUNTEERED)6
 OTHER _____7
 (SPECIFY)
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSEDREF
- 104a. What is the highest level of school you have completed or the highest degree you have received? (IF HIGH SCHOOL, ASK:) What was the highest grade you completed?
- NO FORMAL SCHOOLING1
 8TH GRADE OR LESS2
 GRADES 9-12 BUT NOT A HIGH
 SCHOOL GRAD3
 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE4
 SOME COLLEGE/TRADE SCHOOL/
 ASSOCIATE DEGREE5
 (4-YEAR) COLLEGE GRADUATE6
 POST GRADUATE/ PROFESSIONAL
 DEGREE7
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSEDREF
105. Are you currently working for pay full-time or part-time outside the home?
- YES, FULL-TIME1
 YES, PART-TIME2
 NO3
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSEDREF
106. Are you currently attending school either full-time or part-time or taking occasional classes?
- YES, FULL-TIME STUDENT1
 YES, PART-TIME OR OCCASIONAL
 CLASSES2
 NO3
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSEDREF

107. In what year were you born?

_____ DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSED REF

107a. In what county do you live?

ALAMEDA..... 01	KINGS..... 16	PLACER..... 31	SIERRA..... 46
ALPINE..... 02	LAKE..... 17	PLUMAS..... 32	SISKIYOU..... 47
AMADOR..... 03	LASSEN..... 18	RIVERSIDE..... 33	SOLANO..... 48
BUTTE..... 04	LOS ANGELES..... 19	SACRAMENTO..... 34	SONOMA..... 49
CALAVARES..... 05	MADERA..... 20	SAN BENITO..... 35	STANISLAUS..... 50
COLUSA..... 06	MARIN..... 21	SAN BERNARDINO..... 36	SUTTER..... 51
CONTRA COSTA..... 07	MARIPOSA..... 22	SAN DIEGO..... 37	TEHAMA..... 52
DEL NORTE..... 08	MENDOCINO..... 23	SAN FRANCISCO..... 38	TRINITY..... 53
EL DORADO..... 09	MERCED..... 24	SAN JOAQUIN..... 39	TULARE..... 54
FRESNO..... 10	MODOC..... 25	SAN LUIS OBISPO..... 40	TUOLUMNE..... 55
GLENN..... 11	MONO..... 26	SAN MATEO..... 41	VENTURA..... 56
HUMBOLDT..... 12	MONTEREY..... 27	SANTA BARBARA..... 42	YOLO..... 57
IMPERIAL..... 13	NAPA..... 28	SANTA CLARA..... 43	YUBA..... 58
INYO..... 14	NEVADA..... 29	SANTA CRUZ..... 44	OTHER /
KERN..... 15	ORANGE..... 30	SHASTA..... 45	DON'T KNOW..... 98

IF "OTHER" OR "DON'T KNOW," ASK:

107b. In what city or town do you live?	CITY/TOWN: _____
	REFUSED 8

108. Thinking about your family's total monthly income from all sources, is it less than \$200 per month, between \$200 and \$1,000 per month, between \$1,000 and \$2,000 per month, between \$2,000 and \$3,500 per month or more than \$3,500 per month?

< \$200 PER MONTH 1
 \$200 - \$1000 PER MONTH 2
 \$1000 - \$2000 PER MONTH 3
 \$2000 - \$3500 PER MONTH 4
 > \$3500 PER MONTH 5
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSED REF

109. Comparing your family's current monthly income to what it was one year ago, would you say that your family's total monthly income is now a lot less, a little less, about the same, a little more or a lot more?

A LOT LESS 1
 A LITTLE LESS 2
 ABOUT THE SAME 3
 A LITTLE MORE 2
 A LOT MORE 3
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSED REF

110. In the last twelve months, have you or has anyone in your household used an EBT card for food stamps to buy food?

YES 1
 NO 2
 DON'T KNOW DK
 REFUSED REF

112. I'm going to read several statements that people have made about their food situation. For each please tell me whether the statement was often true, sometimes true or never true for your household in the last 12 months, that is, since last (August/September/October)? (**READ STATEMENT AND ASK:**) Was this often true, sometimes true or never true for your household in the last 12 months?

OFTEN SOMETIMES NEVER DK REF

- a. The first statement is, "The food that we bought just didn't last, and we didn't have money to get more." Was that often, sometimes or never true for your household in the last 12 months? 1 2 3 DK .REF
- b. "We couldn't afford to eat balanced meals." Was that often, sometimes or never true for your household in the last 12 months? 1 2 3 DK .REF

112a.	In the last 12 months, that is since last (August/September/October), did you or other adults in your household ever cut the size of your meals or skip meals because there wasn't enough money for food?	YES1 NO.....2 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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IF YES, ASK:

112b.	How often did this happen – almost every month, some months but not every month or in only 1 or 2 months?	ALMOST EVERY MONTH1 SOME MONTHS, NOT EVERY.....2 ONLY 1 OR 2 MONTHS3 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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113.	In the last 12 months, did you ever eat less than you felt you should because there wasn't enough money for food?	YES1 NO.....2 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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114.	In the last 12 months, were you ever hungry but didn't eat because there wasn't enough money for food?	YES1 NO.....2 DON'T KNOW DK REFUSEDREF
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These are all of my questions. Thank you for taking the time to be part of this survey.