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## WIC Program seeks public comment about 2008 State Plan

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The Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) provides nutrition education and supplemental foods, and serves women and children whose incomes are up to 185 percent of poverty. Special emphasis is placed on targeting infants and high-risk pregnant women, especially teenagers.

The WIC Program regulations require public comment from interested individuals in the writing of the 2008 State Plan of Program Operations for the WIC Program.

The plan may be reviewed at the following Web site: http://www.adph.org/wic/assets/stateplan2008.pdf.

Written comments may be emailed via www.adph.org Web site or mailed to the following address by Aug. 21, 2007:

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