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the special supplemental nutrition program for women infants and children wic provides nutritious foods and assistance to low income pregnant and postpartum women infants and young children research has shown that wic helps to improve birth and dietary outcomes and contain health care costs the u s dept of agriculture s usda s food and nutrition service fns oversees the program which is administered by state and local agencies while federal regulations define criteria that must be used to determine applicants income eligibility for wic state and local agencies are also given some discretion in addition federal law allows families who participate in other assistance programs such as medicaid to be automatically income eligible for wic this report assessed 1 how do state and local criteria for determining wic income eligibility vary 2 to what extent are individuals who would otherwise be ineligible for wic deemed eligible due to their participation in other programs 3 how does usda assist and monitor state determination of wic income eligibility tables and figure this is a print on demand report this report reviews the methods used to estimate the national number of people eligible to participate in the special supplemental nutrition program for women infants and children wic under full funding of the program it reviews alternative data sets and methods for estimating income eligibility adjunctive eligibility which occurs when people are eligible for wic because they are enrolled in other federal public assistance programs and nutritional risk as well as for estimating participation if the program is fully funded for wic income eligibility determination purposes the kansas wic program will use the federal poverty guidelines to be income eligible for wic benefits an economic unit household may earn up to and including 185 of the federal poverty guidelines policy the mission of the special supplemental nutrition program for women infants and children wic is to safeguard the health of low income women infants and children through age 4 who are at nutritional risk wic provides nutritious foods to supplement diets nutrition education and referrals to health care and other social services almost half of all infants and about a guarter of all children ages 1 4 in the u s participate in the program wic accounts for 10 of total federal spending on food and nutrition assistance this report describes the wic program how it works its history program trends and the characteristics of the population it serves it also examines current issues facing wic focusing mainly on those with important economic implications abstract this report addressed to the secretary of agriculture discusses the need to improve management effectiveness and to make better use of limited resources in the food and nutrition service s special supplemental food program for women infants and children wic the report contains recommendations which are intended to help ensure that the funds made for wic are directed first to those among the eligible population who are the most vulnerable and thus likely to benefit the most from wic intervention recommendations given include targeting the most needy population groups using professional authorities to reassess wic participation standards focusing greater attention on income eligibility of participants and establishing stricter and more comprehensive participant file records dietary risk assessment in the wic program reviews methods used to determine dietary risk based on failure to meet dietary guidelines for applicants to the special supplemental nutrition program for women infants and children wic applicants to

the wic program must be at nutritional risk to be eligible for program benefits although dietary risk is only one of five nutrition risk categories it is the category most commonly reported among wic applicants this book documents that nearly all low income women in the childbearing years and children 2 years and over are at risk because their diets fail to meet the recommended numbers of servings of the food guide pyramid the committee recommends that all women and children ages 2 4 years who meet the eligibility requirements based on income categorical and residency status also be presumed to meet the requirement of nutrition risk by presuming that all who meet the categorical and income eligibility requirements are at dietary risk wic retains its potential for preventing and correcting nutrition related problems while avoiding serious misclassification errors that could lead to denial of services for eligible individuals started in 1974 the special supplemental nutrition program for women infants and children wic was designed to meet the special nutritional needs of low income pregnant breastfeeding or postpartum women infants and children up to 5 years of age who have at least one nutritional risk factor the wic program provides three main benefits supplemental foods nutrition education and referrals to health and social services since the inception of the wic program substantial changes in size and demographics of the population food supply and dietary patterns and health concerns have made it necessary to review the wic food packages proposed criteria for selecting the wic food packages proposes priority nutrients and general nutrition recommendations for the wic program and recommends specific changes to the wic packages this urban ethnography examines the relationship between urban residence and endemic poverty and health inequalities looking at the everyday lives of struggling women it explores how bureaucratic rigidity and hierarchy relate to personal decision making in a context of pregnancy parenting and poverty usda's special supplemental nutrition program for women infants and children wic provides nutritious foods nutrition counseling and referrals to health and other social services to low income women and their infants children up to age 5 despite the health benefits of wic participation many eligible women do not participate during pregnancy and many households exit wic when a participating child turns 1 year old the authors of this report use the first two waves of the early childhood longitudinal study birth cohort ecls b to understand these transitions into and out of wic findings show that households that are more economically advantaged are more likely to delay entry into the program or exit after a child turns 1 year old some of the mothers exiting the program reported that wic requires too much effort and that its benefits are not worth the time 26.2 percent of those exiting or that they have scheduling and transportation problems almost 10 percent of those exiting suggesting that the costs of participation may be a barrier to continued wic participation about a dozen federally supported child nutrition programs and related activities including the special supplemental nutrition program for women infants and children the wic program reach over 36 million children and almost 2 million lower income pregnant and postpartum women the school lunch and school breakfast programs provide cash subsidies to participating schools and residential child care institutions rccis for all meals they serve larger subsidies are granted for free and reduced price meals served to lower income children the child and adult care food program cacfp subsidises meals and snacks served by child care centres and day care homes in centres higher subsidies are given for meals snacks served to lower income children while subsidies for homes generally are not varied by children's family income but are larger for homes in lower income areas or operated by lower income

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2003-09-15

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WIC Program Income Eligibility Chart

2022

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The WIC Program

2009

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2002-05-10

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WIC participant and program characteristics, 1998

2004-09-18

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1999

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2014

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