

Iowa WIC Program  
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*Bureau of Nutrition and Health Promotion*

## *Friday Facts*

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### ***Policy***

#### **From the WIC Services Policy and Procedure Manual — 330.10 Local WIC Agency Data System Guidelines**

Theft or damage of data system equipment should be reported to the state office immediately.

### ***Training***

#### **Iowa Child Care Provider Training Registry**

DHS is excited to announce several opportunities to learn about the Iowa Child Care Provider Training Registry. This web-based system will provide a centralized location to advertise upcoming professional development opportunities, accept enrollments, track attendance, and track training history of our child care professionals, over time. This will also be the first *centralized system* in our state to track the workforce in our licensed child care centers and registered child development homes. **Please pass this information on** to organizations that provide ongoing professional development opportunities for Iowa's child care providers (Licensed Child Care Center Staff and Registered Child Development Home Providers).

NOTE: This is a hands-on training experience for those organizations that will be using/entering professional development opportunities for child care providers/staff in the training registry. Please sign up, **if you will be entering professional development opportunities in the training registry** or, if you manage employees who will be entering professional development opportunities into the training registry. Space is limited per session so we want to make sure the people who will be using the training registry are able to attend.

Iowa Administrative Rule 441-109.7(7)(b) and 441-110.5(12)(b) requires that all approved trainings be made available in the Iowa Child Care Provider Training Registry.

... Approved training shall be made available to Iowa child care providers through the child care provider training registry...

This is a list of the approved organizations for DHS provider training per Iowa Administrative Rule 441-109 and 441-110.

- (1) An accredited university or college.
- (2) A community college.
- (3) Iowa State University Extension.
- (4) A child care resource and referral agency.
- (5) An area education agency.

- (6) The regents' center for early developmental education at the University of Northern Iowa.
- (7) A hospital (for health and safety, first-aid, and CPR training).
- (8) The American Red Cross, the American Heart Association, the National Safety Council, or Medic First Aid (for first-aid and CPR training).
- (9) An Iowa professional association, including the Iowa Association for the Education of Young Children (Iowa AEYC), the Iowa Family Child Care Association (IFCCA), the Iowa After School Alliance, and the Iowa Head Start Association.
- (10) A national professional association, including the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC), the National Child Care Association (NCCA), the National Association for Family Child Care (NAFCC), the National After School Association, and the American Academy of Pediatrics.
- (11) The Child and Adult Care Food Program and the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC).
- (12) The Iowa department of public health, department of education, or department of human services.
- (13) Head Start agencies or the Head Start technical assistance system.

Please be prepared to bring a laptop where you are able to gain access to the internet and your email account. If you have any questions, please contact me at 515-281-0321 or [eclancy@dhs.state.ia.us](mailto:eclancy@dhs.state.ia.us). Thank you.

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## ***HELPDESK Updates***

### **CALL TAGS**

The helpdesk will no longer do "call tags" for equipment returned to the state. You can either mail it back or wait until someone comes to visit or you are visiting the Des Moines area.

### **MICR PRINTER ISSUES**

We have discovered that if the MICR printer runs out of checks in the middle of printing a family it will print duplicates – we are working on resolving this issue.

Also, if you cancel a print job in the middle of printing checks it will print out several sheets of symbols.

## ***Dates to Remember***

### **2010**

- ✚ September 15 -- Iowa Breastfeeding Coalition (state breastfeeding coalition) Meeting
- ✚ September 30 -- WIC Training 2010
- ✚ October 15 -- Advisory Committee Meetings
- ✚ October 25 & 26 -- NETC

✚ November 11 -- Limited Coverage

## **2011**

✚ 5<sup>th</sup> Monday clinics

We do not anticipate any major changes to IWIN in 2011. Due to this, you can schedule clinics on the 5<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month, if needed.

### ***Available Formula***

<b><i>Product</i></b>	<b><i>Quantity</i></b>	<b><i>Expiration Date</i></b>	<b><i>Agency</i></b>	<b><i>Contact</i></b>
<i>Similac human milk fortifier</i>	<i>18 boxes</i>	<i>9/2010</i>	<i>Operation Threshold</i>	<i>Nancy Anderson at 319-233-1851</i>
<i>Similac human milk fortifier</i>	<i>2 boxes</i>	<i>10/2010</i>	<i>Operation Threshold</i>	<i>Nancy Anderson at 319-233-1851</i>
<i>Similac human milk fortifier</i>	<i>6 boxes</i>	<i>2/2011</i>	<i>Operation Threshold</i>	<i>Nancy Anderson at 319-233-1851</i>
<i>Portagen</i>	<i>3 cans powder</i>	<i>9/2010</i>	<i>HACAP</i>	<i>Kim Ott at 319-739-0106</i>
<i>Elecare Infant</i>	<i>10 cans-14.1 oz powder</i>	<i>3/2012</i>	<i>Webster Co. Health Dept.</i>	<i>Kathy Josten at 515-573-4107</i>
<i>Enfaport Lipil</i>	<i>23 – 8 oz cans (ready-to-feed)</i>		<i>Johnson County WIC</i>	