



State Staff Directory – WIC/CSFP

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Appropriateness of medical formula
Benefit issuance procedures
Breastfeeding
Caseload: Current
Caseload: Past
Civil rights and fair hearings
Claims and payment issues
Complaints about vendors
Complaints about participants
CSFP
Eligibility/ineligibility requirements
Farmers Market
Food packages
Formula/nutrition questions
Grant applications/agreements
Income guidelines
Medical formula ordering/requests:
Nutrition questions
Nutrition education
Print-material ordering questions
Purchasing (e.g., local agency equipment, etc.)
Risk codes
Staff qualifications
State provided hardware issues
Vendor question
Website (MDH WIC website)
Weekly Update
What formula WIC allows
WIC-allowed foods
WINNIE software

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