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#### **WIC Program Information**

The Anson County WIC program provides supplemental foods, nutrition education, breastfeeding support, and referrals to health care and community resources to participants. The staff at Anson County WIC is now issuing eWIC cards. All WIC approved stores in Anson County accept the eWIC card. Paper vouchers are no longer issued. WIC is still a nutritional supplemental program for pregnant, postpartum, or breastfeeding women, infants and children under 5 years of age.

Packages for children 1 to 5 and for women include benefits for fresh, canned or frozen fruits and vegetables at WIC approved stores. WIC approved yogurt is also available on many food packages.

To be eligible for WIC you must be an infant or child less than five years of age, a woman who is pregnant, breastfeeding, or have given birth within six months. Think you may be eligible for WIC? WIC is a nutritional supplemental program

for pregnant, postpartum, or breastfeeding women, infants and children under 5 years of age. To be eligible for WIC you must live in North Carolina.

If you receive Medicaid, Work First Families Assistance, or SNAP you automatically

meet the income eligibility requirements. A family may be eligible for WIC based on your household income, even if you do not receive Medicaid, Work First Families Assistance, or SNAP. The following list is income guideline that went into effect July 1, 2018.

- Income guideline that went into effect July 1, 2010.
  Family of 1 monthly income \$ 1,872 weekly income \$ 432
  Family of 2 monthly income \$ 2,538 weekly income \$ 586
  Family of 3 monthly income \$ 3,204 weekly income \$ 740
  Family of 4 monthly income \$ 3,870 weekly income \$ 893
  Family of 5 monthly income \$ 4,536 weekly income \$ 1,047
  Family of 6 monthly income \$ 5,868 weekly income \$ 1,201
- Family of 7 monthly income \$ 5,868 weekly income \$ 1,355
  Family of 8 monthly income \$ 6,534 weekly income \$ 1,508

For a family size greater than 8 please call the office for income information. For income based on annual, bi-weekly, or twice a month please call the office. For more information about WIC or to make an appointment, please call the

Anson County Health Department at 704-694-9844, or you can visit the office at 110 Ashe Street in Wadesboro. This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

#### **Bingo at Grace Senior Center**

Bingo games are held every second Tuesday of the month at Grace Senior Center at 11 a.m. All seniors are invited to attend for fun and fellowship. There is no cost, but you must be 55 or older to play. For more information or to register to play call the center at 704-694-6616.

Grace Senior Center is located at 199 Highway 742 South in Wadesboro, just past IGA.





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