

# Wichealth.org Lessons for the Minnesota WIC Program

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# **Pregnancy And Baby's First 6 Months**

#### **Eat Well for a Healthy Pregnancy**

Eating healthy and staying active while pregnant.

#### **Feeding Your Newborn**

Establishing breastfeeding with a great latch.

# **Getting the Support You Need for Baby's First Weeks**

Getting the help you need while caring for your family.

#### Give You and Your Baby A Lifetime of Healthy Teeth

Simple things you can do now to help you and your child have healthy teeth and gums for life.

#### Help Your Baby Sleep Safe and Sound

Putting your baby to bed Alone, on their Back, and in a Crib.

#### In the Hospital - The First 48 Hours

Preparing for the first 48 hours with your newborn.

#### **Preparing to Meet Your Newborn**

Bonding with newborn and understanding baby's cues.

#### **Returning to Work or School**

Preparing to return to work or school.

#### **Taking Care of You After Baby Arrives**

Be your healthiest self after baby arrives.

#### Understanding Your Newborn: Sleep, Crying, and Cues

Recognizing and responding to your baby's cues.

# Feeding Your 6 to 24-Month-Old

### Baby's First Cup

Teaching your baby to drink from a cup when he is developmentally ready.

#### Feeding Your 1-Year-Old

Choosing the right foods for child's age and stage of development.

# **Feeding Your Infant Solid Foods**

Introducing your baby to her first solid foods when she is developmentally ready.

# Feeding Your 2 to 5-Year-Old

# **Help Your Child Develop Healthy Eating Habits**

Providing your children the freedom to make healthy eating choices.

#### **Making Mealtime a Family Time**

Creating enjoyable family mealtimes.

# **Solving Picky Eating**

Providing solutions to picky eating.

# **Choosing Healthy Foods**

# **Be Healthy With Veggies and Fruits**

Offering half a plate of veggies and fruits.

#### **Building Healthy Bodies with Iron Foods**

Learn which iron rich foods to include in family meals and snacks.

# **Build Strong Kids With Dairy Foods**

Offering a variety of low-fat dairy in your family's meals and snacks.

#### **Fun and Healthy Drinks for Kids**

Offering nutritious drinks and understanding how different drinks affect your child's health.

#### **Go For Whole Grains**

Creating a healthy eating pattern by offering more whole grains in meals and snacks.

#### Powerful Proteins – So Much More than Meat

Tips to offer your family a variety of protein foods while on a budget.

#### Simple Ways to Include Seafood in Your Family Meals

Providing two or more servings of seafood a week for better health.

#### Time to Eat! What's on Your Plate?

Get family-friendly ideas on how to offer a variety of foods from all five food groups.

# **Keeping Your Family Healthy**

#### A Guide to Food Safety

Using food safety strategies.

#### Happy, Healthy, Active Children

Learning which physical activities are best for kids of all ages.

#### **Protect Your Family From Lead With Healthy Foods**

Offering your family foods that help protect against lead.

### Two Minutes, Two Times a Day For a Healthy Smile

Learning the importance of brushing and offering foods that help children have healthy teeth.

# **Planning Simple Meals and Snacks**

### **Cooking Made Easy**

Learn how to cook smarter, not harder, to make delicious meals faster!

#### **Finding Recipes That Work**

Finding healthy recipes using WIC foods.

# **Make Meals and Snacks Simple**

Offering simple healthy meals and snacks on a regular basis.

#### **Making a Meal Plan**

Making a grocery list based on meal planning.

#### **Maximizing Food Dollars**

Using a grocery list to save money while buying nutritious food.

#### **Recipes Made Easy**

Easily following recipes to prepare healthy meals.

# **Saving Time With No-Cook Recipes**

Making healthy meals without cooking.

#### **Using Substitutions in Healthy Meals**

Learn how to use substitutions in a variety of recipes.

# **Mothers in Motion**

#### Mothers in Motion - Introduction, and Overview

Understanding the goal of the Mothers in Motion Series.

#### **Better Ways to Handle Everyday Stress**

Developing healthy responses to stress.

# **Effective Ways to Help With Parenting**

Developing positive relationships with children with effective parenting tools.

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### **Effective Ways to Reduce Junk Food**

Reducing junk food intake.

# **Effective Ways to Handle Negative Feelings**

Being happier by handling negative feelings.

# Fun and Realistic Ways to Get More Exercise

Becoming more physically active.

#### **Journey to Weight Loss**

Eating healthier and being more physically active.

# Plan Meals to Help Children Eat Healthier

Planning meals and eating healthier.

# **Practical ways to Cook Healthier**

Eating healthier by cooking at home.

# **Time Saving Tips for Busy Moms**

Creating more time for yourself and your family.

### **Useful Tips for Grocery Shopping (Part 1)**

Becoming a better shopper; saving time and money.

### **Useful Tips for Grocery Shopping (Part 2)**

Becoming a better shopper; choosing healthier food and saving money.

Most lessons are also available in Spanish

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