



Memorandum

TO: WIC Regional Directors #06-048
WIC Local Agency Directors

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Nutrition Services Section

DATE: May 5, 2006

SUBJECT: Revised Infant Nutrition Module for WIC staff

The revised *Infant Nutrition Module, Stock No. 13-37* and *Answer Key, Stock No. 13-37-1*, are currently being printed. Until hard copies are available from the WIC warehouse, you can print copies from the Texas WIC website. The web address for the module is <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/wichd/nut/edu-nut.shtm>. The answer key will only be available on the WIC Directors' web page. We will notify local agencies with a memo as soon as the module and answer key are printed and available from the warehouse..

The new module provides WIC educators with a thorough overview of nutrition from birth to one year of age. This module is intended to provide a strong nutrition foundation for the delivery of quality nutrition education.

As a reminder, according to policy **NE:02.0**, all RDs, LDs, Nutritionists, other CAs, and WCSs must complete this module. Peer counselors and other non-professional staff who conduct infant NE group classes must complete this module. For additional guidance about which modules your staff must complete, see memo #06-019, dated March 3, 2006. **The deadline for having all appropriate staff complete this revised module is October 31, 2006.**

If you have questions regarding the nutrition modules, please contact Shellie Shores, Nutrition Education Consultant, at (512) 458-7111, extension 3463, or shellie.shores@dshs.state.tx.us.