2014 WIC Facts
Washington County Health & Human Services

30% of all pregnant women in this county served by WIC

44% statewide

WIC services

Healthy foods

Community and health referrals

Breastfeeding support

Nutrition education

Breastfeeding

Women, infants and children who participated in WIC

18,758

Infants and children under five

13,425

Pregnant, breastfeeding and post-partum women

5,333

WIC families served

8,180

National health organizations recommend that breastfeeding is the sole source of nutrition in the first 6 months.

96% WIC moms start out breastfeeding.

43% WIC moms breastfeed exclusively for six months.

77% Working families

PUBLIC HEALTH DIVISION
Nutrition & Health Screening Program for Women, Infants & Children
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WIC-AUTHORIZED GROCERY STORES IN THIS COUNTY

64 WIC-authorized stores:
- 3 Independent stores
- 43 Large regional or national chain stores
- 10 Small chain stores
- 8 Pharmacies

WIC AND FDNP-AUTHORIZED FARMERS IN THIS COUNTY

83 Farmers at 11 farmers’ markets
- 35 Farm stands

ECONOMIC BENEFITS OF WIC
Total dollars spent by this agency’s participants at local WIC retailers for healthy foods:

$7,053,869

WIC FARM DIRECT NUTRITION PROGRAM
The Farm Direct Nutrition Program (FDNP) provides families an additional source of nutritious food and education on selecting and preparing fresh produce. FDNP also supports local farmers’ markets and farmers.

FDNP dollars spent by this agency’s participants and paid to local farmers:

$57,440

WIC CLINIC SITES
- Hillsboro
- Beaverton
- Tigard

For more details about these numbers, please visit:
https://public.health.oregon.gov/HealthyPeopleFamilies/wic/Pages/annual.aspx

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