



## TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF STATE HEALTH SERVICES

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January 31, 2012

Norma L. Longoria, WIC Project Director  
LA #012, Hidalgo County Health & Human Services  
3105 West University Drive  
Edinburg, TX 78539

Dear Ms. Longoria:

An amendment to your FY 2012 WIC contract, extending the effective dates from October 1, 2011 through September 30, 2012, is currently being prepared. This letter is a notification of additional funding that will be added to your contract in order to support the extension. A formal contract amendment will be sent to your agency confirming this. **The funds will not be available until this signed amendment has been returned to this office.**

In order to help your agency with budgeting, we have provided the following table outlining the increased funding amounts and total "not to exceed" amount for the period October 1, 2011 through September 30, 2012:

Project	Project Contact	Current Award Amount	Amended Amount	Revised Project Total
WIC Funding	Benny Jasso <a href="mailto:benny.jasso@dshs.state.tx.us">benny.jasso@dshs.state.tx.us</a> (512) 341-4573	\$5,595,362.00	\$5,595,362.00	\$11,190,724.00
Peer Counselor	Kristina Arrieta <a href="mailto:kristina.arrieta@dshs.state.tx.us">kristina.arrieta@dshs.state.tx.us</a> (512) 341-4593	\$467,945.00	\$467,945.00	\$935,890.00
Registered Dietician	Angela Gil <a href="mailto:angela.gil@dshs.state.tx.us">angela.gil@dshs.state.tx.us</a> (512) 341-4590	\$23,000.00	\$20,000.00	\$43,000.00
Obesity	Angela Gil <a href="mailto:angela.gil@dshs.state.tx.us">angela.gil@dshs.state.tx.us</a> (512) 341-4590	\$8,000.00	\$8,000.00	\$16,000.00
Lactation Services	Helen Sullivan <a href="mailto:hellen.sullivan@dshs.state.tx.us">hellen.sullivan@dshs.state.tx.us</a> (512) 341-4591	\$25,000.00	\$25,000.00	\$50,000.00
<b>Revised Total Contract "Not to Exceed" Amount</b>				<b>\$12,235,614.00</b>

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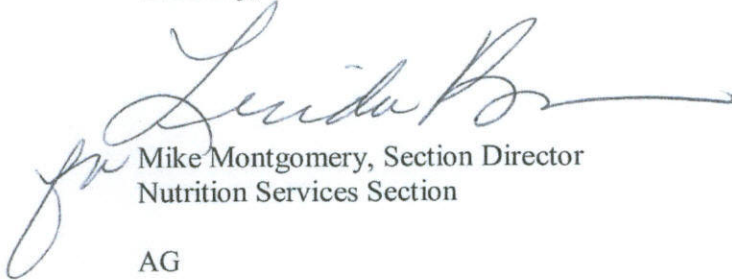
Please note that additional letters of amendment may be sent at any time during the contracting period. Your agency may have already been notified by a separate Letter of Amendment for adjustments to the Clinical Practicum and Dietetic Internship programs.

Funds are awarded with the understanding that any procurements using these funds will be in compliance with the Uniform Grant Management Standards (UGMS), WIC policies and 7 CFR Part 3016. **This letter is approval for funding only. It does not relieve the agency from seeking additional approvals as required by WIC Policy.**

In order for the State Agency to track these expenditures, please bill for each of these projects on separate *State of Texas Purchase Vouchers (B-13)*. In order to capture all special project expenditures, continue to bill on a separate voucher once you exceed the allocation amount listed above. Any amount over your allocation will be charged appropriately to your regular funding.

For questions regarding funding decisions, please contact Benny Jasso, WIC Program, at (512) 341-4573, or [benny.jasso@dshs.state.tx.us](mailto:benny.jasso@dshs.state.tx.us). For questions regarding purchase requests, please contact Alisin Genfan, Contract Development and Support Branch, at (512) 776-3156 or [alisin.genfan@dshs.state.tx.us](mailto:alisin.genfan@dshs.state.tx.us).

Sincerely,



Mike Montgomery, Section Director  
Nutrition Services Section

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