



July 1, 2022

Clarissa Ramirez, WIC Director  
Hidalgo County dba Hidalgo County Health & Human Services, LA#12

**Re: Notice of Award**

Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Local Agency Contract #HHS000804500001.

This is a notification of your organization’s FY 2023 (October 1, 2022 to September 30, 2023) WIC Local Agency funding.

Your organization will be receiving the funding listed below:

Project	Project Contact	Project Total	Type of Allocation		
			Admin.	Nutrition Education	Breast-feeding
Estimated General Admin Funding*	Elsa Rodriguez <a href="mailto:elsa.rodriquez2@hhs.texas.gov">elsa.rodriquez2@hhs.texas.gov</a>	\$10,137,517	X	X	X
Peer Counselor	Asia Sartor <a href="mailto:asia.sartor@hhs.texas.gov">asia.sartor@hhs.texas.gov</a>	\$1,030,826			X
Registered Dietitian	Stephanie Holland <a href="mailto:stephanie.holland1@hhs.texas.gov">stephanie.holland1@hhs.texas.gov</a>	\$60,000	X	X	X
Lactation Services	Ngoc Huynh <a href="mailto:ngoc.huynh@hhs.texas.gov">ngoc.huynh@hhs.texas.gov</a>	\$50,000			X
Lactation Support Center	Betzabel Botello <a href="mailto:betzabel.botello@hhs.texas.gov">betzabel.botello@hhs.texas.gov</a>	\$289,000			X
Innovation Center	Juliette Coronado <a href="mailto:Juliette.Coronado@hhs.texas.gov">Juliette.Coronado@hhs.texas.gov</a>	-	X	X	
Dietetic Internship	Melissa Mouton <a href="mailto:melissa.mouton@hhs.texas.gov">melissa.mouton@hhs.texas.gov</a>	-		X	
SNAP-Ed Nutrition on the Go	Beatrice Watson (NGO) <a href="mailto:beatrice.watson@hhs.texas.gov">beatrice.watson@hhs.texas.gov</a>	-		X	
SNAP-Ed Health Care Providers	Lindsey Gray (HCP) <a href="mailto:Lindsey.Gray@hhs.texas.gov">Lindsey.Gray@hhs.texas.gov</a>	-		X	
SNAP-Ed Peer Text	Asia Sartor (Peer Text) <a href="mailto:asia.sartor@hhs.texas.gov">asia.sartor@hhs.texas.gov</a>	-			X
SNAP-Ed Obesity Prevention	Stephanie Holland <a href="mailto:stephanie.holland1@hhs.texas.gov">stephanie.holland1@hhs.texas.gov</a>	-		X	

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SNAP-Ed Breastfeeding	Ngoc Huynh <a href="mailto:ngoc.huynh@hhs.texas.gov">ngoc.huynh@hhs.texas.gov</a>	-			X
Extra Funding Summer Food Program	Beatrice Watson <a href="mailto:beatrice.watson@hhs.texas.gov">beatrice.watson@hhs.texas.gov</a>	\$20,000	X		
Extra Funding TXIN Internet	Tammye Farmer-Holloman <a href="mailto:tammye.farmerholloman@hhs.texas.gov">tammye.farmerholloman@hhs.texas.gov</a>	\$18,720	X		
Extra Funding Improving Participant Experience	Kara Nemethy <a href="mailto:kara.nemethy@hhs.texas.gov">kara.nemethy@hhs.texas.gov</a>	-	X		
Extra Funding Other	Tammye Farmer-Holloman <a href="mailto:tammye.farmerholloman@hhs.texas.gov">tammye.farmerholloman@hhs.texas.gov</a>	-	X		
Other Projects	Tammye Farmer-Holloman <a href="mailto:tammye.farmerholloman@hhs.texas.gov">tammye.farmerholloman@hhs.texas.gov</a>	-	X		
<b>Total FY2023 Funding:</b>		<b>\$11,606,063</b>			

\* Actual General Administrative funding amount is accrued monthly based on Funding Formula Rate (FFR): \$13.75 per participant plus any earned incentives.

For HHSC to track Local Agency expenditures, please submit a separate WIC invoice for reimbursement of actual (i.e., incurred), allowable costs associated with each project. If the allocation amounts on special projects are exceeded, the invoice will be returned to the Local Agency for correction and resubmission.

**This notice does not relieve the agency from seeking additional approvals as required by WIC Policy.**

For questions regarding purchase requests, please contact Belinda Saunders at [belinda.saunders@hhs.texas.gov](mailto:belinda.saunders@hhs.texas.gov) or [WICLARRequests@hhs.texas.gov](mailto:WICLARRequests@hhs.texas.gov).

For questions or additional information regarding funding, please contact the assigned Project Contact listed in the table above or email the WIC Clinic Services Financial Liaison, Tammye Farmer-Holloman, at [tammye.farmerholloman@hhs.texas.gov](mailto:tammye.farmerholloman@hhs.texas.gov).

Sincerely,



Edgar Curtis  
Texas WIC Director  
Health and Human Services Commission

cc: Richard F. Cortez, Hidalgo County Judge