

GRANT ANALYSIS FORM OPERATING & CAPITAL GRANT PROJECTS/PROGRAMS

Department/Division: **Health Department/Maternal and Child Health**

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Category of Request

New Grant

Grant Continuation

Previous Council File No. 061016

Change in Previously Approved Grant

Previous Council File No.

Project/Program Title: City of Milwaukee Health Department WIC Program

Grantor Agency: US Department of Agriculture through the State of Wisconsin Division of Health and Family Services

Grant Application Date: N/A Continuing

Anticipated Award Date: January 2008

Please provide the following information:

1. Description of Grant Project/Program (Include Target Locations and Populations):

The purpose of this program is to prevent nutrition-related health problems and to improve the health status of low income, at-risk pregnant, breast feeding, or post partum women, infants and children up to the age of five years. The locations are South Side Health Center, Northwest Health Center and the Keenan Health Center.

2. Relationship to City-wide Strategic Goals and Departmental Objectives:

This program relates to the Health Department objective of promoting the health and safety of women and children. Specifically, this program addresses low birth weight and infant mortality. Good prenatal care is effective in lowering these risk factors as well as other risks of adverse pregnancy outcomes. Research has also shown that low-income women and children often consume inadequate amounts of key nutrients needed during pregnancy, during lactation, and for growth and development.

3. Need for Grant Funds and Impact on Other Departmental Operations (Applies only to Programs):

In addition to the nutrition services, children attending WIC clinics were screened for lead poisoning and given immunization referrals when necessary. Children with elevated lead levels were provided follow-up.

This program funds 15 positions and provides funding for program activities.

4. Results Measurement/Progress Report (Applies only to Programs):

We exceeded our objective to serve 97% of the contracted caseload of 8185 and served 100% of our contract.

5. Grant Period, Timetable and Program Phase-out Plan:

The grant period is January 1, 2008 through December 31, 2008

6. Provide a List of Subgrantees:

N/A

7. If Possible, Complete Grant Budget Form and Attach.