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WIC Activates Disaster Procedures to Help Flood Victims

The Texas Women, Infants, and Children program is implementing special procedures in the wake of the unprecedented flooding due to Hurricane Harvey.

The special procedures will allow people to easily enroll and receive food and infant formula benefits, breastfeeding support, and referrals for shelter and other resources. Disaster victims will be asked to sign a self-declaration form declaring their need for WIC benefits due to Hurricane Harvey.

WIC benefits are available for:

- Pregnant women
- Women who've recently had a child
- Infants and children under five
- Anyone with custody or guardianship of infants and children under five

Current Clients Lost Card or Benefits

If WIC clients have evacuated and left behind their WIC card, food or formula benefits, they can be replaced by going to an open WIC clinic.

If you are interested in signing up for WIC or are a current client in need of benefits. Contact the Bell County Public Health District WIC Program. Local offices are located in Temple (254-778-1511), Killeen (254-526-2033), Fort Hood (254-532-8680) and Copperas Cove (254547-9571).

For more information, visit our Fort Hood WIC clinic Facebook page or visit our website at www.bellcountyhealth.org.

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