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Monthly Update: WIC Developmental Monitoring Project



<https://asphn.org/learn-the-signs-act-early/>

Upcoming Events

- December: **No online training; Happy Holidays!**
- December 16th: Applications for Materials and Technical Assistance Due
- January 22nd: Introduce Intensive States & Networking
- February 26th: Materials Review & Feedback

**Monthly trainings take place on the 4th Wednesday at 11 am ET.*

Sharing Updates/Resources

Would your state like to be featured in an upcoming newsletter? Please send an update on what your state is working on regarding developmental monitoring by the 20th of the month to be featured in the following month's newsletter.

Send to amberbrown@asphn.org
Thanks!

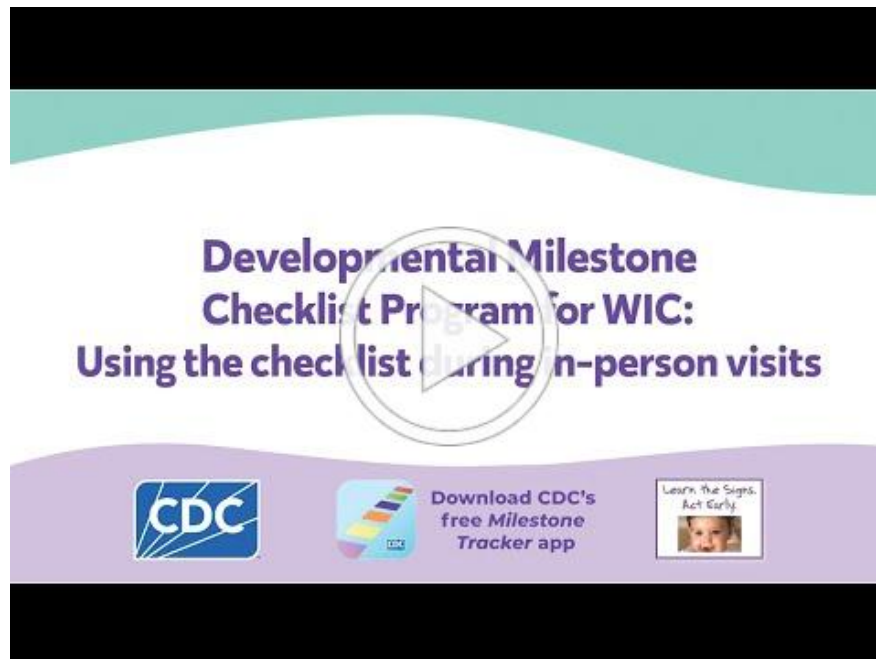
Highlighting a Resource

Share NEW and Updated Videos to Support WIC Staff

CDC's *Learn the Signs. Act Early.* (LTSAE) team released two **new** videos showing how to integrate developmental monitoring into [virtual](#) and [in-person](#) WIC visits. Share these videos with WIC staff so they can learn how to support the development of the children and families they serve.

The LTSAE team also released an updated [training video](#) to demonstrate to WIC staff how a simple checklist can make a real difference!

Please promote these videos to get them into the hands of WIC staff.



Developmental Milestone Checklist Program for WIC: Using the checklist during virtual visits



Download CDC's
free Milestone
Tracker app



Developmental Milestone Checklist Program for WIC: A simple checklist can make a BIG difference for families



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Message from CDC's LTSAE Team - Request for Feedback

Our LTSAE team is looking into alternatives for shipment and storage of our materials- if you have any contacts, please send me their information (company name/contact name and email address).

Additionally, our team was recently informed that we have a temporary surplus of print materials in the warehouse and will need to make some space. For a limited time, beginning today, the “general public” will be able to order up to 150 copies of ALL LTSAE materials available online at www.cdc.gov/ActEarly/Orders (no-PO Boxes for shipping). If you as an Ambassador are in need of more materials as well please email ActEarly@cdc.gov and we can place a special bulk order for you.

Did You Miss Our November Online Training? Check Out the Recording Below

Topic: Information and Q&A Session

**Please share with any WIC Clinics that might be interested in learning more about using the milestone checklists during WIC visits.*

Description: Is your WIC Clinic interested in learning more about incorporating the milestone checklists into your WIC visits? Join us to learn more about the checklist program, hear from WIC clinic staff who have already implemented the program, and learn about the upcoming opportunity to join the Developmental Monitoring in WIC learning collaborative or to receive materials and support to implement the checklist program.

If you have any specific questions you'd like addressed, please email amberbrown@asphn.org.

[View the Recording and Slides](#)

Networking Questions!

Throughout the year, we will hold periodic networking calls. Please send me any questions or topics you are interested in discussing with other states. Please email amberbrown@asphn.org with your suggestions!

You are receiving this monthly newsletter because you are a part of the ASPHN WIC Developmental Monitoring Project. This newsletter will feature updates from states within the project about what they are doing and successes and challenges they have had, information about upcoming trainings, and other news. If you have anything you'd like to contribute, you can reach out to Amber Brown at AmberBrown@asphn.org. Thank you! <https://asphn.org/learn-the-signs-act-early/>

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