NEW YORK STATE (NYS) eWIC Readiness Attachment

The New York State (NYS) WIC Program will be changing to an Electronic Benefit Transfer (EBT) system for the redemption of WIC benefits. The system will be called **eWIC.** An eWIC card will replace paper checks and allow for faster purchases and improved customer service, which will have positive benefits for both WIC participants and vendors.

The eWIC system will be tested with a small number of vendors in 2018 and steadily rolled out statewide by 2019. All WIC authorized vendors must have a cash register system that is able to perform eWIC transactions. In preparation for this change, NYS WIC must collect information from each authorized WIC vendor on their current cash register systems (hardware and software). It is also important that we have an identified contact person from each independent vendor and one contact person from a specific chain that will be able to provide and receive technical information for implementing eWIC.

Please answer the questions below as they pertain to the store identified in this application. **Completion of the information** below is required in order for your store to be considered for authorization to the WIC Program.

| *Vendor Trade Name: | | | |
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| Vendor Address: | Street: | | |
| City: | sta | ate: | Zip: |

| 1. | *Who will be your eWIC point-of-contact? | | |
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| Name: | | Title: | |
| Phone #: | | Email: | |

| 2. | *How many registers do you expect to use for WIC transactions? | | |
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| 3. | *What cash register hardware do you have? (e.g. Retalix, NCR, IBM, Sam, SMS LOC, Samsung) |
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| Name: | |
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| 4. *∖ | | *What cash register software do you use? (e.g. Dumac, STCR, Up Front, Logic, Krasdale, Beata) | | |
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| | Name: | | | |

| 5. | Do you have plans to replace your cash register system within the next 12 – 18 months? | 🗆 Yes 🗆 No |
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| 6. | *Who is your third party processor or card processor? (e.g. World Pay) | |

| Name: | | |
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| 7. | Do you have plans to change your third-party processor in the next 12 – 18 months | 🗆 Yes 🗆 No |
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| 8. | Do you manually enter the purchase amount into your card terminal? | 🗆 Yes 🗆 No |
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| 9. | *Do you have a separate terminal just for SNAP EBT? | 🗆 Yes 🗆 No |
| 9a. | *How many lanes have a SNAP EBT terminal? | |