



Cascades 3.8 Training Materials

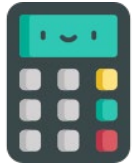
Washington WIC Program

CASCADES 3.8

- We'll implement **Monday, May 16th**
- We'll update the Sandbox and Production at the same time
- Log in to Cascades on or after Monday, May 16th to start using Cascades 3.8
- A few notes about this PowerPoint training:
 - The training is self-guided without narration
 - The training will take about 30 minutes to review
 - We provided additional information in the PowerPoint Notes handout
 - Please review the changes related to your role in the clinic



CASCADES 3.8 OVERVIEW



INCOME SCREENING CALCULATOR

Enhanced to assess for adjunctive eligibility, including the P1 Search



CVV OPTION FOR INFANTS 9 – 11 MONTHS

Cash Value Voucher (CVV) option for fresh fruits & vegetables in place of some jarred foods for infants 9 – 11 months



EARLY SUBCERTS FOR INFANTS & CHILDREN

Cascades will provide the age-appropriate Assessment Questions and risk factors



A FEW NUTRITION RISK FACTOR FIXES

A few nutrition risk factor issues have been fixed

Income Screening Calculator

ISSUE

- The Income Screening Calculator (available from the Family Services menu) only completed income-based assessments.
- Staff couldn't check for adjunctive eligibility without creating a participant record.
- Some applicants were turned away who were adjunctively eligible.

SOLUTION

The Income Screening Calculator now assesses all types of adjunctive eligibility and includes the P1 search.

Income Screening Calculator

Date Collected 4/4/2022 How many people in your Family? ★

ProviderOne Client ID

SNAP TANF FDPIR Adj elig household member not on WIC

Income Details

Income Source	Income Frequency	Amount	Duration

Family Services

- Add a New Family
- Clinic Family Workflow Dashboard
- Family Search
- **Income Screening Calculator**

\$0.00
\$0.00

Disclaimer: Any apparent results are informational only and eligibility remains subject to program review.

Income Screening Calculator

ENTER

Staff enter information about the applicant's adjunctive program participation and/or income details

ASSESS

Cascades will assess for WIC income eligibility based on all the information entered

DISPLAY

Cascades will display messages to let staff know the person's income eligibility status

The screenshot shows the 'Income Screening Calculator' application window. At the top, it displays 'Date Collected 4/4/2022' and 'How many people in your Family?' with a star icon and an input field. Below this is the 'ProviderOne Client ID' field with 'WA' entered and a 'Verify P1' button. There are four checkboxes: 'SNAP', 'TANF', 'FDPIR', and 'Adj elig household member not on WIC'. A section titled 'Income Details' contains a table with columns 'Income Source', 'Income Frequency', 'Amount', and 'Duration'. The table is currently empty. At the bottom right, there are two stacked input fields, both containing '\$0.00'. A 'Disclaimer: Any apparent results are informational only and eligibility remains subject to program review.' is located at the bottom, with a 'Cancel' button below it.

Income Source	Income Frequency	Amount	Duration
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Income Screening Calculator - Adjunctive Eligibility

How many people in your Family

- This field **isn't** required when assessing adjunctive eligibility

Enter adjunctive eligibility information

- Enter the 9-digit ProviderOne number and press the Verify P1 button on the screen, or press Enter on the keyboard and/or
- Check the box(es) for other adjunct eligibility programs

Review the message

- Cascades displays a message about the applicant's potential eligibility
- **Adjunctive eligibility takes priority** over income-based assessments (Income Details)

Income Screening Calculator

Date Collected 4/5/2022

How many people in your Family? ★

ProviderOne Client ID WA Verify P1

SNAP TANF FDPPIR Adj elig household member not on WIC

Income Details

Income Source	Income Frequency	Amount	Duration
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\$0.00
\$0.00

Potentially eligible - Appears to meet adjunct program eligibility.

Disclaimer: Any apparent results are informational only and eligibility remains subject to program review.

Cancel

Income Screening Calculator – ProviderOne Search

- The Verify P1 button only enables when staff enter a 9 – digit number
- The search accesses the Health Care Authority (HCA) database, just like the Income Information screen
- Staff find out in real time if the person is adjunctively eligible
- The ProviderOne number is NOT saved and isn't automatically placed in the person's file

Income Screening Calculator ?

Date Collected 4/4/2022 How many people in your Family? ★

ProviderOne Client ID

12345678 WA

SNAP TANF FDPIR Adj elig household member not on WIC

Income Screening Calculator ?

Date Collected 4/5/2022 How many people in your Family? ★

ProviderOne Client ID

123456789 WA

SNAP TANF FDPIR Adj elig household member not on WIC

Income Screening Calculator – ProviderOne Search Messages

Review the message to determine next steps

Potentially eligible - Appears to meet adjunct program eligibility.
Disclaimer: Any apparent results are informational only and eligibility remains subject to program review.

\$0.00
\$0.00

Cancel

Potentially eligible – Appears to meet adjunct program eligibility.

- The person is on a medical program that gives WIC adjunctive eligibility.

May not be adjunct eligible. Check for other adjunct eligibility or assess income.
Disclaimer: Any apparent results are informational only and eligibility remains subject to program review.

\$0.00
\$0.00

Cancel

May not be adjunct eligible. Check for other adjunct eligibility or assess income.

- The person isn't on a medical program that gives WIC adjunctive eligibility.
- Check for other adjunct eligibility programs (SNAP, TANF, FDPIR) or enter income details.

P1# not found. Verify P1#, check for other adjunct eligibility or assess income.
Disclaimer: Any apparent results are informational only and eligibility remains subject to program review.

\$0.00
\$0.00

Cancel

P1# not found. Verify P1#, check for other adjunct eligibility or assess income.

- The person's P1 number isn't currently active.
- Make sure the number is correct.
- Check for other adjunct eligibility programs (SNAP, TANF, FDPIR) or enter income details.

Income Screening Calculator – Income Based Assessment

- The Income Screening Calculator also completes income-based assessments
- Number of People in the Family and Income Details are required for an income-based assessment
- The message states if the income total appears eligible or if it's above WIC guidelines
- This information isn't saved and isn't automatically placed in the participant's file

Income Screening Calculator

Date Collected 4/5/2022 **How many people in your Family?** ★ 5

ProviderOne Client ID WA

SNAP TANF FDIPIR Adj elig household member not on WIC

Income Details

Income Source	Income Frequency	Amount	Duration
Employment	Monthly	4528	12

Total Monthly Family Income \$4,528.00
Maximum Monthly Income for family of 5 \$4,786.00
Potentially eligible - Income total appears to meet guidelines.
Disclaimer: Any apparent results are informational only and eligibility remains subject to program review.

WHAT IS NEW?

- Cascades is updated to allow infants ages 9 to 11 months two fruit and vegetable options:
 - Baby food fruits and vegetables only
- OR
- Baby food fruits and vegetables AND a cash value voucher of fresh fruits and vegetables.
- This provides more variety and flexibility to families.
- This training will walk through how to perform the substitution.



FULLY FORMULA FED INFANT

- Leo is an 11-month-old infant that is currently certified
- **Note:** Initially there will not be a CVV Substitution Icon (🔄) A new food prescription needs to be created for the current day before the icon will appear.
- Notice the new prescription shows the CVV Substitution icon (🔄)

BEFORE THE CVV SUBSTITUTION ICON IS SELECTED

LEWIS Family
Family ID: F00100000253
450 E OLYMPIA ST
OTHELLO, WA 99344

LEO

LEO J. LEWIS
Participant ID: WA0010000455
Age: 11 months
WIC Category: Infant

Food Prescription

9/28/2021 6 to 11 Months |
 10/28/2021 6 to 11 Months |
 11/28/2021 6 to 11 Months |
 11/29/2021 6 to 11 Months |
 12/28/2021 6 to 11 Months

Food Prescription Date	WIC Category	Age Category	Breastfeeding Status	Family Issuance Day	Issuance Frequency
2/11/2022	Infant	6 to 11 Months	Fully Formula Fed	28	3 Month(s)

Food Prescription Items Total Items: 3

Category	Subcategory	Quantity	Category Max Quantity	UOM
Infant Cereal	Baby Cereal - all WIC	24	24	Ounce
🔄 Infant Fruits & Vegetables	Baby Food Fruit & Vegetables - All WIC	128	128	Ounce
✗ Infant Formula (IF)	Similac Advance Powder 12.4 oz	624	624	Ounce

Add Item to Food Prescription

Category	Subcategory	Quantity	Max / Med Max	UOM	
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text" value="0"/>	/		<input type="button" value="Add Item"/> <input type="button" value="Clear"/>

Infant Formula

	Month	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Total
SimAdvancePwd12.4oz	Quantity	624	624	624	624	624	624	3744 / 90
	# Cans	7	7	7	7	7	7	42

FULLY FORMULA FED INFANT

- Leo’s caregiver wants both Baby Food Fruits & Vegetables (F&V) **and** Fresh Fruits and Vegetables
- Click the CVV Substitution icon (🔄)
- Benefits will expand to include the Fruits and Vegetables Cash Value
- **Note:** Select the CVV Substitution icon (🔄) to revert to Baby food only if needed.




AFTER THE CVV SUBSTITUTION ICON IS SELECTED

▼ Food Prescription ?

◀ 9/28/2021 10/28/2021 11/28/2021 11/29/2021 12/28/2021 ▶
 6 to 11 Months 6 to 11 Months 6 to 11 Months 6 to 11 Months 6 to 11 Months

Food Prescription Date: 2/11/2022 +
 WIC Category: Infant
 Age Category: 6 to 11 Months
 Breastfeeding Status: Fully Formula Fed
 Family Issuance Day: 28 ✎
 Issuance Frequency: 3 Month(s) ✎

▼ Food Prescription Items Total Items: 4 ?

Category	Subcategory	Quantity	Category Max Quantity	UOM
Infant Cereal	Baby Cereal - all WIC	24	24	Ounce
 Infant Fruits & Vegetables	Baby Food Fruit & Vegetables - All WIC	64	128	Ounce
 Fruit & Vegetables Cash Value	Fresh Fruit and Vegetables	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$\$\$\$
 Infant Formula (IF)	Similac Advance Powder 12.4 oz	624	624	Ounce

FULLY FORMULA FED INFANT

- Save the Prescribe Food Screen
- Issue Benefits

Issue Food Instruments

Configuration
 Family Issuance Day: 28 Issuance Frequency: 3 Month(s)

Family Issuance Members Total Items: 1

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Category	Participant	Certification End Date	Jan	Feb	Mar	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Infant	LEO J. LEWIS	3/31/2022	Full	Full	Full	Change Rx

FDTS: 1/28/2022 - LDTS: 2/27/2022 Total Items: 4

Food Category	Subcategory	Quantity	UOM
Infant Fruits & Vegetables	Baby Food Fruit & Vegetables - All WIC	64	Ounce
Infant Formula (IF)	Simlac Advance Powder 12.4 oz	6	Can
Fruit & Vegetables Cash Value	Fresh Fruit and Vegetables	\$4.00	\$\$\$\$
Infant Cereal	Baby Cereal - all WIC	24	Ounce

FDTS: 2/28/2022 - LDTS: 3/27/2022 Total Items: 4

Food Category	Subcategory	Quantity	UOM
Infant Fruits & Vegetables	Baby Food Fruit & Vegetables - All WIC	64	Ounce
Fruit & Vegetables Cash Value	Fresh Fruit and Vegetables	\$4.00	\$\$\$\$
Infant Formula (IF)	Simlac Sensitive Powder 12 or 12.5 oz	7	Can
Infant Cereal	Baby Cereal - all WIC	24	Ounce

KEEP IN MIND

- If the value for the Baby Foods F&V is adjusted to less than the max quantity Cascades will not allow the CVV Substitution.

▼ Food Prescription

Food Prescription Date: 2/11/2022 WIC Category: Infant Age Category: 6 to 11 Months Breastfeeding Status: Fully Formula Fed Family ID: 28

▼ Food Prescription Items Total Items: 3

Validation Summary: 1

- The Quantity for Infant Fruits & Vegetables must be equal to the Category Max Quantity before Infant Fruits & Vegetables can be substituted for Fresh Fruit and Vegetables.

Category	Subcategory	Quantity	Category Max Quantity	UOM
Infant Cereal	Baby Cereal - all WIC	24	24	Ounce
Infant Fruits & Vegetables	Baby Food Fruit & Vegetables - All WIC	120	128	Ounce
Infant Formula (IF)	Similac Advance Powder 12.4 oz	624	624	Ounce

8-MONTH- OLD

- Wendy is an 8-month-old infant and will have benefits issued for the next 3 months
- **Note:** There will not be a CVV Substitution icon (🔄) for the 8-month-old benefits.
- Create a new food prescription on the day the infant turns 9 months old
- Notice the new prescription shows the CVV Substitution icon (🔄)

8-MONTH-OLD PRESCRIPTION

Food Prescription

2/9/2022 6 to 11 Months

Food Prescription Date: 2/9/2022 +

WIC Category: Infant

Age Category: 6 to 11 Months

Breastfeeding Status: Fully Formula Fed

Family Issuance Day: 9

Issuance Frequency: 3 Month(s)

Food Prescription Items

Category
Infant Cereal
Infant Fruits & Vegetables
Infant Formula (IF)

Add Item to Food Prescription

Category: [Dropdown] Subcategory: [Dropdown] Quantity: 0 Max / Med Max: / UOM: [Dropdown] [Add Item] [Clear]

Infant Formula

SimAdvancePwd12.4oz	Month Quantity # Cans	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Total
		624	624	624	624	2496 / 90
		7	7	7	7	28

9-MONTH-OLD PRESCRIPTION

Food Prescription

2/9/2022 6 to 11 Months 2/16/2022 6 to 11 Months

Food Prescription Date: 2/16/2022 +

WIC Category: Infant

Age Category: 6 to 11 Months

Breastfeeding Status: Fully Formula Fed

Family Issuance Day: 9

Issuance Frequency: 3 Month(s)

Food Prescription Items

Category	
Infant Cereal	Baby Cere...
Infant Fruits & Vegetables	Baby Food
Infant Formula (IF)	Similac Adv...

Add Item to Food Prescription

Category: [Dropdown] Subcategory: [Dropdown] Quantity: 0 Max / Med Max: / UOM: [Dropdown] [Add Item] [Clear]

Infant Formula




SimAdvancePwd12.4oz	Month Quantity # Cans	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	Total
		624	624	624	624	2496 / 90
		7	7	7	7	28

MDF FOR MAXIMUM MONTHLY AMOUNT (MMA) OF FORMULA



- Marabel has a Medical Documentation Form (MDF) for formula only and needs to be issued the MMA.
- A new food prescription is created for the current day, if needed.
- Notice that the new prescription shows the CVV Substitution icon (🔄)

Food Prescription

4/23/2021 4/27/2021 5/22/2021 7/27/2021 8/22/2021 8/27/2021
 0 Months 0 Months 1 to 3 Months 1 to 3 Months 4 to 5 Months 4 to 5 Months

Food Prescription Date 2/11/2022  **WIC Category** Infant **Age Category** 6 to 11 Months **Breastfeeding Status** Fully Formula Fed **Family Issuance Day**  27 **Issuance Frequency**  2 Month(s)

Food Prescription Items Total Items: 3

Category	Subcategory	Quantity	Category Max Quantity	UOI
Infant Cereal	Baby Cereal - all WIC	24	24	Oun
 Infant Fruits & Vegetables	Baby Food Fruit & Vegetables - All WIC	128	128	Oun
 Infant Formula (IF)	Similac Advance Powder 12.4 oz	624	624	Oun

MDF FOR MAXIMUM MONTHLY AMOUNT (MMA) OF FORMULA

- Select the Medical Documentation button.
- Add an MDF for only formula
- Zero out infant cereal and IFV for the 6–11-month food prescription

BEFORE MDF

Food Prescription						
Food Prescription Date	WIC Category	Age Category	Breastfeeding Status	Family Issuance Day	Issuance Frequency	
2/11/2022	Infant	6 to 11 Months	Fully Formula Fed	27	2 Month(s)	
<div style="text-align: center;"> 4/23/2021 4/27/2021 5/22/2021 7/27/2021 8/22/2021 8/27/2021 </div>						
<div style="text-align: center;"> 0 Months 0 Months 1 to 3 Months 1 to 3 Months 4 to 5 Months 4 to 5 Months </div>						
Food Prescription Items						
Category	Subcategory		Quantity	Category Max Quantity	UOI	Total Items: 3
Infant Cereal	Baby Cereal - all WIC		24	24	Dun	
Infant Fruits & Vegetables	Baby Food Fruit & Vegetables - All WIC		128	128	Dun	
Infant Formula (IF)	Similac Advance Powder 12.4 oz		624	624	Dun	

AFTER MDF

Food Prescription						
Food Prescription Date	WIC Category	Age Category	Breastfeeding Status	Family Issuance Day	Issuance Frequency	
2/11/2022	Infant	6 to 11 Months	Fully Formula Fed	27	2 Month(s)	
<div style="text-align: center;"> 12/27/2021 1/27/2022 2/11/2022 4/22/2022 </div>						
<div style="text-align: center;"> 6 to 11 Months 6 to 11 Months 6 to 11 Months 12 to 23 Months </div>						
Food Prescription Items						
Category	Subcategory		Quantity	Category Max Quantity	UOI	Total Items: 3
Infant Cereal	Baby Cereal - all WIC		0	24	Dun	
Infant Fruits & Vegetables	Baby Food Fruit & Vegetables - All WIC		0	128	Dun	
Infant Formula (IF)	Similac Advance Powder 12.4 oz		884	884	Dun	

MDF FOR MAXIMUM MONTHLY AMOUNT (MMA) OF FORMULA

- Save changes and verify the Issue Food Instrument screen has the MMA of formula
- Issue benefits

▼ FDTS: 1/27/2022 - LDTS: 2/26/2022 Total Items: 9

Food Category	Subcategory	Quantity	UOM
Infant Formula (IF)	Similac Advance Powder 12.4 oz	10	Can
Breakfast Cereal	Cereal All WIC -hot /cold	27	Ounce
Juice - 64 oz	Juice - All WIC - 64 oz carton	2	CTNR
Fruit & Vegetables Cash Value	Fruit and Vegetables - Cash Value Voucher	\$9.00	\$\$\$\$
Milk - Fat Reduced	Milk or Soy(1% & Nonfat) All WIC-Cow,Goat,Soy	2.50	Gallon
Bread/Whole Grains	Whole Wheat Bread or Whole Grains	24	Ounce
Eggs	Eggs - all WIC	1	Dozen
Legumes	Peanut Butter/Beans All WIC	1	CTNR
Cheese or Tofu	Cheese - all WIC	1	Pound


▼ FDTS: 2/27/2022 - LDTS: 3/26/2022 Total Items: 9

Food Category	Subcategory	Quantity	UOM
Infant Formula (IF)	Similac Advance Powder 12.4 oz	10	Can
Breakfast Cereal	Cereal All WIC -hot /cold	36	Ounce
Juice - 64 oz	Juice - All WIC - 64 oz carton	2	CTNR
Fruit & Vegetables Cash Value	Fruit and Vegetables - Cash Value Voucher	\$9.00	\$\$\$\$
Milk - Fat Reduced	Milk or Soy(1% & Nonfat) All WIC-Cow,Goat,Soy	3.25	Gallon
Bread/Whole Grains	Whole Wheat Bread or Whole Grains	32	Ounce
Eggs	Eggs - all WIC	1	Dozen
Legumes	Peanut Butter/Beans All WIC	1	CTNR
Cheese or Tofu	Cheese - all WIC	1	Pound

▲ Issuance Annotation

Formula Wizard Next Certification Due Notice **Issue** Cancel

**WHAT DO THE
BENEFITS LOOK LIKE
FOR EACH INFANT
CATEGORY?**

- The values below reflect the Fruit and Vegetable Benefits the infant will get when the CVV Substitution icon () is selected

	Fully BF	Fully Formula Fed	Partially >half pkg	Partially <= Half Pkg	Multiples Fully BF	Multiples Partially <= half pkg
Baby food F&V (oz)	128	64	64	64	128	64
CVV	\$8.00	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$4.00	\$8.00	\$4.00

Early Subsequent Certifications

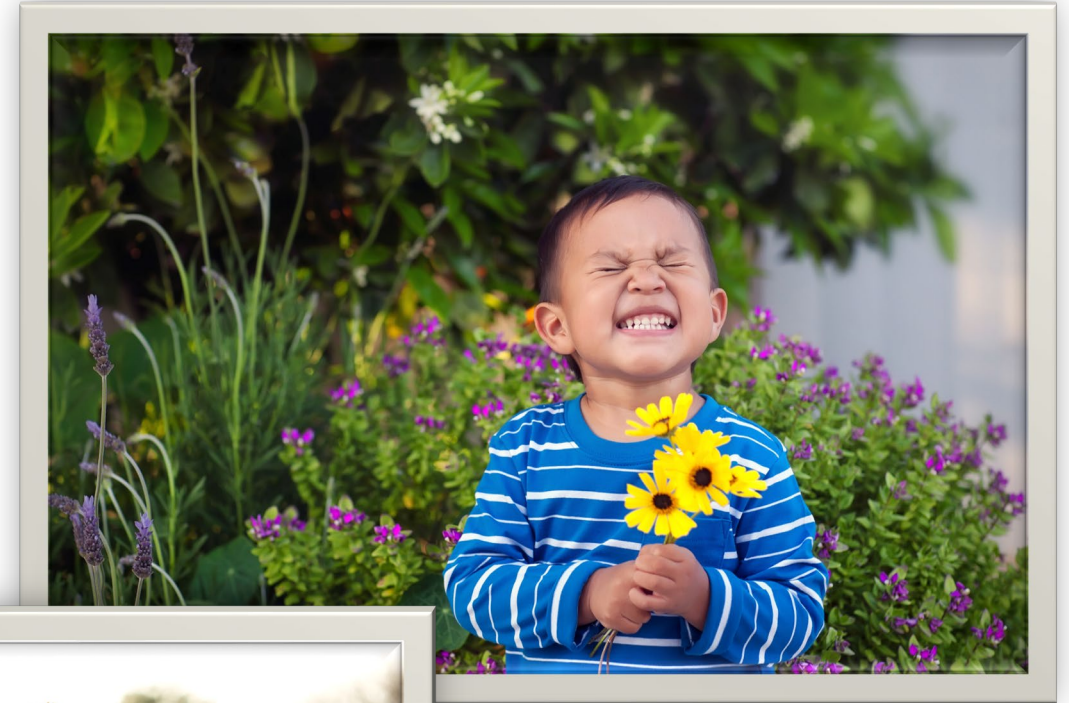
ISSUE

When completing an “early” subsequent certification, staff don’t get the correct Assessment Questions or Nutrition Risk Factors.

Early = in the last month of eligibility, but before the child’s 1st or 2nd birthday.

SOLUTION

For early subsequent certifications, Cascades will display the Assessment Questions and assign risk factors **based on the child’s age on the day the new certification starts.**





INFANT TO CHILD SUBSEQUENT CERTIFICATION

- The participant's category stays as **Infant** until the first birthday, then changes to **Child**
- Cascades provides Infant foods when the First Date to Spend is prior to the first birthday
- Staff enter recumbent measurements
- Cascades plots on the 0 – 24 Month Growth Charts based on the date the measurement was taken
- Cascades displays the Child Assessment Questions
- Child Risk Factors are assigned

ASSESSMENT QUESTIONS

Infant turning to Child

Instead of Infant Assessment Questions & Infant Inappropriate Nutrition Practices,

You'll see Child Assessment Questions & Child Inappropriate Nutrition Practices

INFANT TURNING ONE Family
Family ID: F09300004531
123 MAIN ST
OLYMPIA, WA 98501

PARTICIPANT INFANT TURNING ONE
Participant ID: WA0930008467
Age: 11 months
WIC Category: Infant

Participant's Inappropriate Nutrition Practices

- Inappropriate or Excessive Supplements
- Inappropriate Substitute for Breastmilk/Formula
- Inappropriate Use of Bottle/Cup
- Limited Frequency of Breastfeeding (< 2 months)

Please answer the following questions

- 1. Some common topics that come up are about drinking from a cup, introducing family foods and transitioning to milk. Tell me about mealtimes with your baby.**
He eats really well and isn't picky at all.
- 2. What vitamins or other supplements do you give to your baby?**
Fluoride and Vit. D.
- 3. What do you enjoy about feeding your baby?**
I like that he loves fruits and vegetables.
- 4. What would you like to know more about?**
Goat's milk, heard it's healthy and is giving it to him instead of cow's milk.

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INFANT TURNING ONE Family
Family ID: F09300004531
123 MAIN ST.
OLYMPIA, WA 98501

PARTICIPANT INFANT TURNING ONE
Participant ID: WA0930008467
Age: 11 months
WIC Category: Infant

Participant's Inappropriate Nutrition Practices

- Inadequate Fluoride Supplementation (> 6 mos)
- Inadequate Vitamin D Supplementation (< 400 IU)
- Inappropriate Milk Substitute
- Inappropriate or Excessive Supplements

Please answer the following questions

- 1. This is a time when caregivers often have questions about their child's eating. How do you feel about your child's eating?**
He eats really well and isn't picky at all.
- 2. Are there foods your child is unable to eat because of allergies or other reasons?**
No allergies.
- 3. How does your child feel about eating vegetables and fruits?**
He loves fruits and vegetables!
- 4. What does your child drink in a typical day?**
Goat's milk and water. Heard goat's milk is healthy and is giving it to him instead of cow's milk.
- 5. What vitamins or other supplements do you give your child?**
Fluoride and Vit. D.
- 6. What makes you most happy about your child's eating?**

ASSIGNED RISK FACTORS

Infant turning to Child

Instead of assigning
Infant Risk Factors in 3.7

Cascades 3.8 assigns
Child Risk Factors

INFANT TURNING ONE Family
Family ID: F09300004531
123 MAIN ST
OLYMPIA, WA 98501

PARTICIPANT

PARTICIPANT INFANT TURNING ONE
Participant ID: WA0930008467
Age: 11 months
WIC Category: Infant

Assigned Risk Factors Total Items: 1

Quick Entry
Risk Code: Description:

Risk Code	Description	High Risk	Priority	Assigned By	Comments
411.1	Inappropriate Substitute for Breastmilk/Formula		IV	System	

INFANT TURNING ONE Family
Family ID: F09300004531
123 MAIN ST.
OLYMPIA, WA 98501

PARTICIPANT

PARTICIPANT INFANT TURNING ONE
Participant ID: WA0930008467
Age: 11 months
WIC Category: Infant

Assigned Risk Factors Total Items: 1

Quick Entry
Risk Code: Description:

Risk Code	Description	High Risk	Priority	Assigned By	Comments
425.1	Inappropriate Primary Milk Source		V	System	

RISK FACTORS

Infant turning 1 in the month of the subsequent certification

These Infant risks won't assign

- Large for Gestational Age
- Slowed Growth Pattern (≤ 6 months)
- Breastfeeding Complications (Infants)
- Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome (≤ 6 months)
- Early Introduction of Solids (< 6 months)
- Inappropriate Formula Dilution
- Inappropriate Substitute for Breastmilk/Formula
- Limited Frequency of Breastfeeding (≤ 6 mos)
- Unsafe Handling/Storage of Breastmilk/Formula
- Very Restrictive Feeding (Infants)



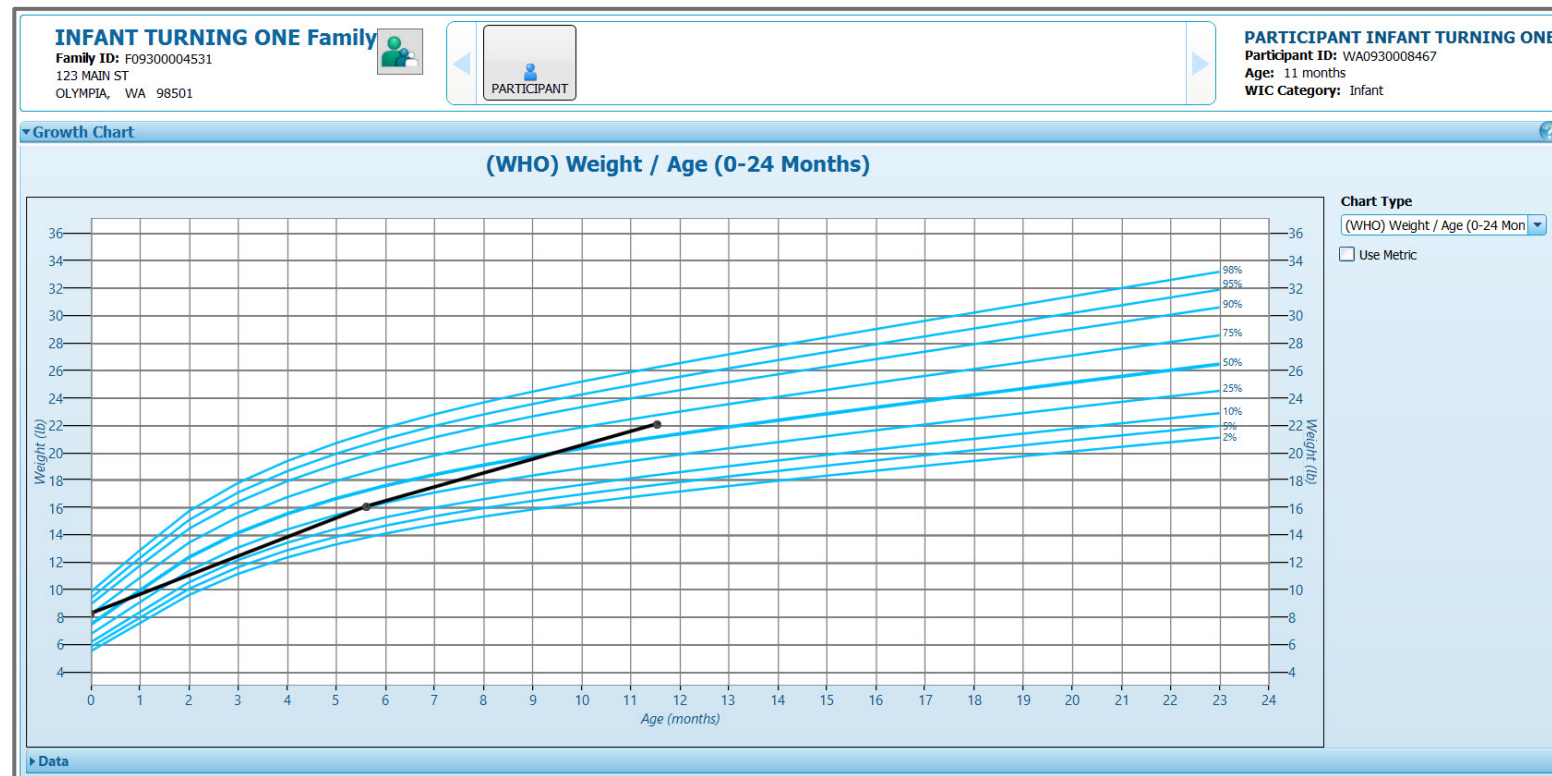
These Child risks will assign when they apply

- Inappropriate Primary Milk Source
- Pica
- Very Restrictive Feeding (Children)

GROWTH CHARTS

Infant to Child

- Document recumbent measurements
- Growth plots on the 0 – 24 Month Growth chart until 24 months of age
- Growth-related risk factors are auto-assigned





23 MONTHS TO 2 YEARS OF AGE SUBSEQUENT CERTIFICATION

- The participant's category is Child
- Cascades provides the correct foods based on the child's 2nd birthday and the First Date to Spend benefits
- Staff enter recumbent measurements prior to the 2nd birthday
- Growth plots on the 0 – 24 Month & 0 – 36 Month Growth Charts
- Child Assessment Questions display
- The correct Child Risk Factors for age assign

ASSESSMENT QUESTIONS & RISKS

Child turning 2 years old

CHILD TURNING TWO Family
Family ID: F07300004497
123 MAIN ST.
OLYMPIA, WA 98501

PARTICIPANT CHILD TURNING TWO
Participant ID: WA0930007212
Age: 1 year and 11 months
WIC Category: Child

Dietary Assessment

Participant's Inappropriate Nutrition Practices

- Feeding Sugar-containing Drinks
- Inadequate Fluoride Supplementation (> 6 mos)
- Inadequate Vitamin D Supplementation (< 400 IU)
- Inappropriate Milk Substitute

Please answer the following questions

- 1. This is a time when caregivers often have questions about their child's eating. How do you feel about your child's eating?**
She always seems hungry. Grandma gives alot of sweets.
- 2. Are there foods your child is unable to eat because of allergies or other reasons?**
No allergies.
- 3. How does your child feel about eating vegetables and fruits?**
She doesn't like vegetables, but will eat fruit.
- 4. What does your child drink in a typical day?**
Milk and sweet tea.
- 5. What vitamins or other supplements do you give your child?**
Fluoride and multi-vit with Vit. D.
- 6. What makes you most happy about your child's eating?**

- Assessment Questions are the same for Children 1 – 5 years of age.
- The same Inappropriate Nutrition Practices display for Children 1 – 5 Years.
- Only the Inappropriate Nutrition Practices and other risks that apply for the child's age will assign on the Assigned Risk Factors screen.
- This behavior is the same in 3.7 and 3.8.

RISK FACTORS

Child turning 2 in the month of the subsequent certification

These Child (< 24 months) risks won't assign

- Head Circumference/Age
- Low Birth Weight or Very Low Birth Weight
- Preterm or Early Term Delivery \leq 38 weeks
- Small for Gestational Age
- Weight/Length \geq 98th %ile
- Not Meeting Feeding Guidelines

This Child risk will assign when it applies

- Not Meeting Dietary Guidelines

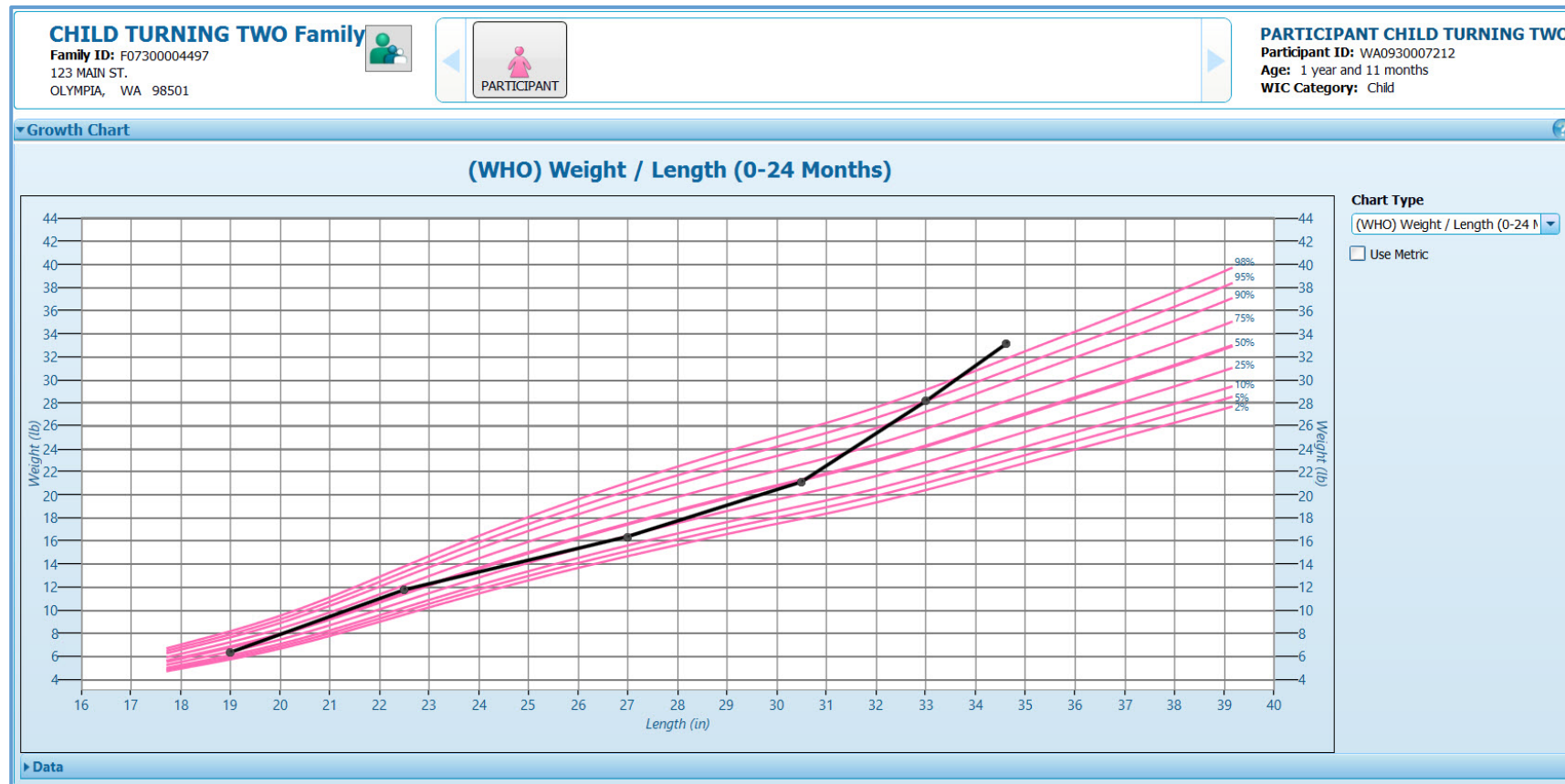
The next few slides share how measurements are plotted and growth-related risks are assigned.



GROWTH CHARTS

Child 23 months

- Document recumbent measurements
- Recumbent measurements plot on the 0 – 24 Month and 0 – 36 Month Charts
- Growth-related risk factors may need to be manually selected



RECUMBENT VS STANDING MEASUREMENTS

- Prior to the 2nd birthday, Cascades only allows staff to enter a recumbent measurement (length)
 - The Standing option for Measurement Type is disabled
- Length plots on the 0 – 24 & 0 – 36 Month Growth Charts
- BMI charts aren't plotted until the 2nd birthday when staff can enter standing measurements

CHILD TURNING TWO Family
Family ID: F07300004497
123 MAIN ST.
OLYMPIA, WA 98501

PARTICIPANT CHILD TURNING TWO
Participant ID: WA0930007212
Age: 1 year and 11 months
WIC Category: Child

Height/Weight

Measurement Date: 4/6/2022
Height: 34 5/8 in.
Weight: 33 lb. oz.
% Wt/Lt: 98.8
Collected By: mxpolsak
Source of Measures: WIC Clinic
Gestational Age: 38
Measurement Units: Standard
Measurement Type: Recumbent Standing
Parental BMI Information

Add Clear History



GROWTH-RELATED RISK FACTORS

Child turning 2 in the month of the subsequent certification

- BMI risks won't assign until standing measurements are taken after the 2nd birthday.
- Cascades **does assign** Underweight or At Risk of Underweight (Risk 103) based on a recumbent measurement.
- Cascades **doesn't** assign Overweight or at Risk of Overweight (Risk 114) based on a recumbent measurement.
- Staff must manually select Overweight or at Risk of Overweight when weight/length is above the 85th %ile.

After the 2nd birthday, Overweight or At Risk of Overweight risk assigns as expected.



SUMMARY: EARLY SUBSEQUENT CERTIFICATIONS

Infant to Child

- Works well for Subsequent Certifications done in the 12th month, but prior to the 1st birthday
- Child Assessment Questions display
- Child Risk Factors assign
- Growth plots and growth-related risks assign as expected

SUMMARY: EARLY SUBSEQUENT CERTIFICATIONS

Child turning 2 Years Old

- Child Assessment Questions and correct Risk Factors for age assign
- Growth plots on 0 – 24 & 0 – 36 Month Charts
- BMI risks don't assign until staff enter standing measurements after the 2nd birthday
- Staff need to manually select Overweight or At Risk of Overweight (Risk 114) when it applies (just until the 2nd birthday)



A FEW NUTRITION RISK FACTOR FIXES

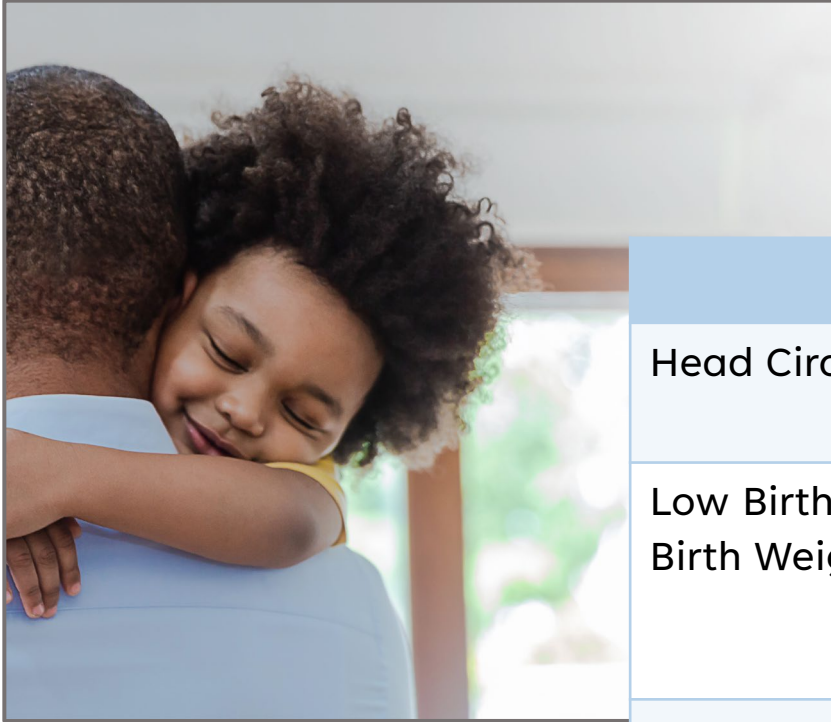
ISSUE

Staff have shared a few risk factor issues.

SOLUTION

We were able to fix several issues listed on the next slide in the Cascades 3.8 release.





RISK FACTOR FIXES

Risk	Change
Head Circumference/Age	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Was incorrectly assigning Priority 1 for Children• Corrected to Priority 3 for Children
Low Birth Weight or Very Low Birth Weight	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Was assigning HR for all birth weight \leq 5 pounds, 8 ounces• Will now assign HR for birth weight $<$ 5 pounds• The risk is no longer CPA-assignable
Eating Disorders	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Was available for all categories• Will only be available for adult categories
Overweight or At Risk of Overweight	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Will now be CPA-assignable
High risk status	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cascades will update a participant's status to high risk when staff select a high risk factor after the certification, but on the same day

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- Call Cascades Support for software issues
- Cascades.Support@doh.wa.gov
- 1-800-841-1410, choose option 3, then **option 2**

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