Texas WIC Health and Human Services Commission

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Full Use of Federal Funds

Purpose

To ensure full use of federal funds as required by U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Authority

Section 12(b) of the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act, 42 U.S.C. 1760(b), as amended by Section 361 of the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010 (Public Law 111-296)

Policy

Each Local Agency (Agency) will support full use of Federal funds provided by the Health and Human Services Commission for administration of the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (WIC). The Agency will exclude such funds from budget restrictions or limitations including, at a minimum, hiring freezes, work furloughs, and travel restrictions affecting the WIC Program.