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Price Assessment Reports

Introduction A Price Assessment Report (PAR) must be completed when requested by the Department. Information obtained from the PAR is used by the Department to estimate food cost obligations, establish Not to Exceed (NTE) values for individual food packages and to screen redeemed food instruments.

Completion of PAR reports PAR's must be completed:

- At the time of retailer's initial WIC application and returned with the application,
- As requested by the state WIC office a minimum of 2 times per year. Vendor will submit retail prices on only items requested and return within 10 days of receipt, and
- At the time of WIC Vendor reauthorization and returned with reauthorization application.

Random PAR's Random PAR's may be conducted:

- To confirm market changes, and
- Due to changes in the competitive make-up of a particular market.

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