

# **Lesson Descriptions**

### **Pregnancy And Baby's First 6 Months** (9 lessons)

### **Eat Well For A Healthy Pregnancy**

Pregnant now or planning to become pregnant? Discover which foods offer the nutrients you need. And learn why prenatal vitamins and healthy habits make a big difference for you and your baby.

### **Feeding Your Newborn**

This lesson will help you make the best decisions for feeding your newborn. Learn all about feeding, the importance of a great latch, how to get a good milk supply, using a bottle, and more.

### **Getting The Support You Need For Baby's First Weeks**

For 12 weeks after delivery, your body will be healing. And you will be adjusting to having a new baby. Explore this lesson for tips on creating the support team to help you with both.

### **Give You And Your Baby A Lifetime Of Healthy Teeth**

Pregnant now or have a baby under 1 year old? Learn about oral health and why it's so important. There are simple things you can do now to help you and your child have healthy teeth and gums for life.

#### In The Hospital - The First 48 Hours

As you get ready for the birth of your child, the information and tips in this lesson will help you prepare for your hospital experience.

### **Preparing To Meet Your Newborn**

Expecting a baby or have a newborn? This lesson will help you understand the cues babies give when they need something. It will also teach you how to bond with your newborn through skin-to-skin time.

### **Returning To Work Or School**

Thinking about when you will return to work or school? This lesson can help make it easier. Get helpful tips for finding child care, organizing your home, and feeding your baby while you're away.

#### Taking Care Of You After Baby Arrives

Be your healthiest self after baby arrives. Learn how mental health, sleep, nutrition, and physical activity affect each other. Know what you can do to start feeling your best, one small habit at a time.

**Understanding Your Newborn: Sleep, Crying, And Cues** From the minute they are born, babies will give you signs about what they need. These signs are called "cues." Take this lesson to learn how to know and respond to your baby's cues with confidence.



### Feeding Your 6 To 24-Month-Old (3 lessons)

### **Feeding Your Infant Solid Foods**

Curious to learn the right time to begin offering baby foods? This lesson will show you signs to know your baby is ready. It will also give you a plan of which foods to offer and how to offer them.

### **Baby's First Cup**

Teach your baby to start drinking from a cup. Get tips on the type of cup to use, what to put in the cup, and more!

### Feeding Your 1-Year-Old

Your child will learn so much from 12 to 24 months of age. Mealtime is a great time to help your child learn new skills. Mealtimes will be messy, but they will be fun and worth it!

## Feeding Your 2 to 5-Year-Old (3 lessons)

### **Help Your Child Develop Healthy Eating Habits**

Learn tips to encourage your children to be independent eaters. Discover ways to offer a variety of healthy foods. Help your child to recognize their signs of hunger and fullness.

### **Make Mealtime A Family Time**

Regularly sharing meals as a family has been shown to help children grow up to be healthier, happier, and more successful. This lesson can help make family mealtimes easier and more enjoyable.

### **Solving Picky Eating**

What causes picky eating? Is it a phase? What can parents do to get their kids to eat a variety of foods? This lesson has the answers to these questions and more!



## **Choosing Healthy Foods** (7 lessons)

### Be Healthy With Veggies And Fruits

Do you have a goal of getting your kids to eat more veggies and fruits? This lesson offers many ideas to do just that. Don't be surprised if you find yourself inspired to eat more as well!

### **Build Strong Kids With Dairy Foods**

This lesson will help you learn why offering your child dairy foods is so important. Learn simple ways to include a variety of dairy in your family's meals every day.

### **Building Healthy Bodies With Iron Foods**

Iron foods are important for the whole family. They are extra important during pregnancy and for infants! Learn which foods to include in family meals and snacks. And, know the signs of low iron.

### **Fun And Healthy Drinks For Kids**

Do you know what types of drinks to offer your children anytime, daily, sometimes, or never? Learn that plus get ideas for nutritious drinks your kids are sure to love!

### Go For Whole Grains

What is a whole grain? What nutrients do they provide me and my family? Learn the answers to these questions. And, discover new ways to offer them in your meals and snacks.

#### Powerful Proteins — So Much More Than Meat

While all protein foods are important for health and growing bodies, some come with extra perks! This lesson includes tips to offer your family a variety of protein foods while on a budget.

#### Time To Eat! What's On Your Plate?

Get family-friendly ideas on how to offer a variety of foods from all five food groups.



### **Keeping Your Family Healthy** (5 lessons)

### A Guide To Food Safety

Do you know how to protect yourself and your family from illness caused by food? How about the extra steps pregnant people need to take to avoid food poisoning? Learn these things and more!

### Happy, Healthy, Active Children

Children need to move their bodies to be healthy. In this lesson, you will learn fun ways to help your child get more active. Discover new ideas for plenty of active play throughout the day!

### **Protect Your Family From Lead With Healthy Foods**

Lead is a heavy metal that may be in your water, home, and yard. This lesson will show you how you can protect your family against lead by eating healthy foods.

### Two Minutes, Two Times A Day For A Healthy Smile

The ideas in this lesson will help you brush your child's teeth for 2 minutes in the morning and 2 minutes before bed. Plus, learn how to teach them to brush on their own.

#### **Vaccinate Your Family**

Vaccine-preventable diseases still exist in the U.S. and around the world. Learn how you can protect yourself, your family, and your community.

### Planning Simple Meals And Snacks (8 lessons)

### **Finding Recipes That Work**

Save time and money, reduce stress, and serve nutritious meals by learning to find recipes using WIC foods. Explore how wichealth.org will help grow your confidence in the kitchen with great recipes and easy to use tools.

### **Make Meals And Snacks Simple**

Make more meals and snacks at home with these quick and easy ideas!

### **Making A Meal Plan**

Learn a variety of ways to meal plan. Your meal plan will lead to making a helpful grocery list that is sure to save time, money, and frustration.



### Planning Simple Meals And Snacks, continued

### **Maximizing Food Dollars**

Learn how to get the most nutritious food with the food dollars you have available.

### **Recipes Made Easy**

Learn how to confidently work with new recipes while preparing healthy meals.

### **Saving Time With No Cook Recipes**

Learn how No Cook recipes can help you save time while preparing healthy meals.

### **Using Substitutions In Healthy Meals**

Learn how to use substitutions in a variety of new recipes as well as in many of your long time favorites.

### **Cooking Made Easy**

Improve your cooking skills, no matter your experience level. Learn how to cook smarter, not harder, to make delicious meals faster!

## **Understanding Developmental Milestones** (5 lessons)

#### Milestones Matter: An Introduction

Learn what milestones are, why they matter, and how to track them. After you complete this lesson, you can take the milestone lesson for your child's age group.

#### Milestones Matter: Babies Under 6-Months-Old

Learn what milestones to look for once your baby reaches the ages of 2 months and 4 months. Get ideas for activities to help your baby meet these milestones. And, learn when to ask for help!

### Milestones Matter: Babies Ages 6 to 12 months

Learn what milestones to look for once your baby reaches the ages of 6 months and 9 months. Get ideas for activities to help your baby meet these milestones. And, learn when to ask for help!

### Milestones Matter: Children Ages 1 to 2 Years

Learn what milestones to look for once your child reaches the ages of 12 months, 15 months and 18 months. Get ideas for activities to help your child meet these milestones. And, learn when to ask for help!

### Milestones Matter: Children Ages 2 to 5 Years

Learn what milestones to look for once your child reaches the ages of 2 years, 2 ½ years, 3 years, and 4 years. Get ideas for activities to help your child meet these milestones. And, learn when to ask for help!