The Basics

Level 2	All CPA's must complete	
Type	Paper module	
	Ch. 6: Risks for Postpartum	
	Women	
Completion time	1 hour	
Complete	Within 6 months of hire	
Certifiers Guide	Lesson 4-20	
Posttest	<u>Paper</u>	
Completion	Must complete all 6 chapters.	
	Form	



Course Objectives

This chapter of the Nutrition Risk module focuses on risks that apply to postpartum WIC participants. Certifiers must complete chapter 6 before they can certify any postpartum woman, whether they are breastfeeding or non-breastfeeding.

After completing this chapter, the learner will be able to:

• Assess and assign nutrition risks that apply to postpartum women, both breastfeeding and non-breastfeeding.

Learning activities – Chapter 6



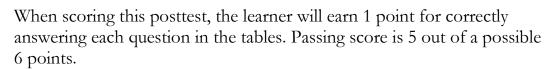
This table lists the risks that are covered in Chapter 6.

Risk Group:	Description:	
Anthropometric	□ 101– Underweight Women	
	☐ 111 – Overweight Women	
	☐ 133 – High Maternal Weight Gain	
Biochemical		
Clinical/Medical	☐ 363 – Pre-Diabetes	
Dietary		

Learr	ning activity 6-1		
Re	efer to the table above and write your answer to the following question:		
1.	1. There are three anthropometric risks for postpartum women. What aspect of a women's health are they related to? Weight		
6-2	Anthropometric risks for postpartum women		
1	☐ 101— Underweight Postpartum Women ☐ 111 — Overweight Postpartum Women ☐ 133 — High Maternal Weight Gain Sally's pre-pregnancy BMI was 29 and she gained 30 pounds during her		
1.	pregnancy. She is a non-breastfeeding woman whose baby is 2 months old. Would she qualify for a nutrition risk? YES – RISK # 111, 133		
2.	Sue is a breastfeeding woman of a 2-week old infant. Her BMI before pregnancy was 20 and her weight gain during pregnancy was 32 pounds. Would she qualify for a nutrition risk? NO		
6-3	Clinical risk for postpartum women		
1.	□ 363– Pre-Diabetes Clara is a non-breastfeeding woman who has been diagnosed with pre-diabetes. Would she qualify for a nutrition risk? □ YES – RISK # 363		
2.	Rose is being enrolled as a breastfeeding woman. She reports that her family has a history of diabetes and she is concerned that she might have a tendency toward high blood sugars. Would she meet the criteria for pre-diabetes? NO		

Environmental

Posttest Questions and Answers for Chapter 3





1. Tori:

- She is a breastfeeding woman of a 7-month-old infant.
- ◆ Her pre-pregnancy BMI was 24 and her current BMI is 28.
- She gained 40 pounds during her pregnancy.

What risks would be assigned?	Risk #s: 111, 133
Additional documentation required?	No
Referral to the RD required?	No

2. Tammy:

- She is a non-breastfeeding woman with a 5-week-old infant.
- ♦ Her pre-pregnancy BMI was 18 and her current BMI is 22.
- Her doctor has diagnosed her with pre-diabetes.

What risks would be assigned?	Risk #s: 101, 363
Additional documentation required?	No
Referral to the RD required?	Yes