

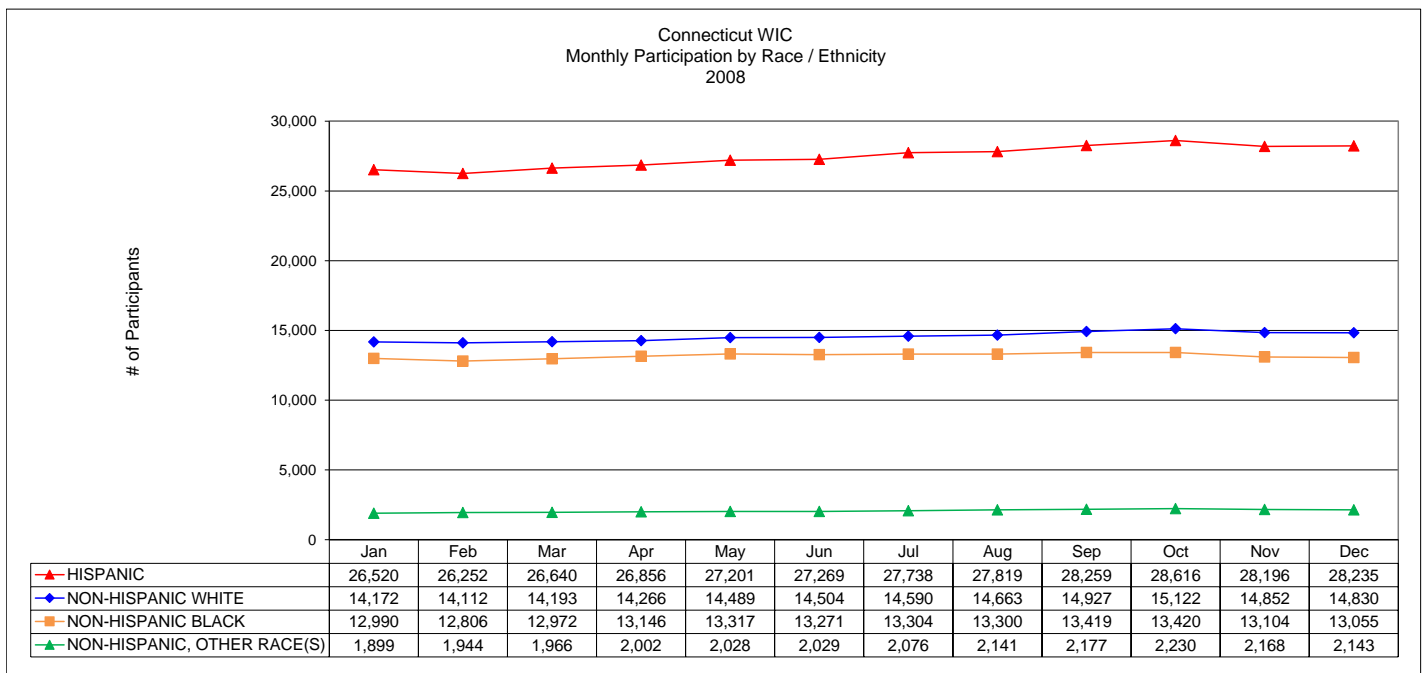


CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
STATE WIC PROGRAM



CONNECTICUT WIC PROGRAM ~ STATEWIDE TOTALS
Monthly WIC Participation by Race / Ethnicity
& Participant Category, 2008 ^a

MONTHLY PARTICIPATION BY RACE / ETHNICITY & CATEGORY	QUARTER 1			QUARTER 2			QUARTER 3			QUARTER 4			AVERAGE	%
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec		
HISPANIC	26,520	26,252	26,640	26,856	27,201	27,269	27,738	27,819	28,259	28,616	28,196	28,235	27,467	48.0%
Women	5,783	5,735	5,769	5,823	5,931	5,870	5,959	5,935	6,043	6,051	5,990	5,974	5,905	10.3%
- Pregnant	2,948	2,937	3,022	3,100	3,181	3,206	3,249	3,145	3,175	3,178	3,087	3,111	3,112	5.4%
- Breastfeeding (BF)	1,495	1,467	1,441	1,482	1,516	1,476	1,495	1,524	1,533	1,573	1,563	1,545	1,509	2.6%
- Postpartum (not BF)	1,340	1,331	1,306	1,241	1,234	1,188	1,215	1,266	1,335	1,300	1,340	1,318	1,285	2.2%
Infants	7,089	7,015	7,013	7,077	7,131	7,187	7,355	7,333	7,363	7,380	7,252	7,291	7,207	12.6%
Children	13,648	13,502	13,858	13,956	14,139	14,212	14,424	14,551	14,853	15,185	14,954	14,970	14,354	25.1%
NON-HISPANIC WHITE	14,172	14,112	14,193	14,266	14,489	14,504	14,590	14,663	14,927	15,122	14,852	14,830	14,560	25.4%
Women	3,483	3,515	3,538	3,555	3,567	3,558	3,589	3,598	3,671	3,714	3,565	3,515	3,572	6.2%
- Pregnant	1,668	1,746	1,770	1,819	1,789	1,766	1,806	1,777	1,786	1,825	1,748	1,692	1,766	3.1%
- Breastfeeding (BF)	679	666	661	637	662	660	642	654	675	689	676	697	667	1.2%
- Postpartum (not BF)	1,136	1,103	1,107	1,099	1,116	1,132	1,141	1,167	1,210	1,200	1,141	1,126	1,140	2.0%
Infants	4,047	3,997	3,973	3,968	4,039	3,990	4,015	4,001	4,045	4,044	3,987	4,058	4,014	7.0%
Children	6,642	6,600	6,682	6,743	6,883	6,956	6,986	7,064	7,211	7,364	7,300	7,257	6,974	12.2%
NON-HISPANIC BLACK	12,990	12,806	12,972	13,146	13,317	13,271	13,304	13,300	13,419	13,420	13,104	13,055	13,175	23.0%
Women	2,799	2,786	2,870	2,937	2,957	2,927	2,914	2,903	2,926	2,896	2,799	2,770	2,874	5.0%
- Pregnant	1,506	1,491	1,542	1,592	1,588	1,549	1,600	1,581	1,604	1,552	1,442	1,402	1,537	2.7%
- Breastfeeding (BF)	562	562	559	569	573	593	579	598	597	607	607	602	584	1.0%
- Postpartum (not BF)	731	733	769	776	796	785	735	724	725	737	750	766	752	1.3%
Infants	3,658	3,627	3,641	3,681	3,700	3,704	3,708	3,648	3,676	3,718	3,628	3,604	3,666	6.4%
Children	6,533	6,393	6,461	6,528	6,660	6,640	6,682	6,749	6,817	6,806	6,677	6,681	6,636	11.6%
NON-HISPANIC, OTHER RACE(S)	1,899	1,944	1,966	2,002	2,028	2,029	2,076	2,141	2,177	2,230	2,168	2,143	2,067	3.6%
Women	392	401	409	418	417	409	424	437	458	461	438	448	426	0.7%
- Pregnant	174	174	184	188	193	184	204	209	211	228	211	226	199	0.3%
- Breastfeeding (BF)	111	114	111	117	118	116	108	115	129	135	137	128	120	0.2%
- Postpartum (not BF)	107	113	114	113	106	109	112	113	118	98	90	94	107	0.2%
Infants	591	610	607	595	588	592	603	621	634	640	636	621	612	1.1%
Children	916	933	950	989	1,023	1,028	1,049	1,083	1,085	1,129	1,094	1,074	1,029	1.8%
TOTAL PARTICIPANTS	55,581	55,114	55,771	56,270	57,035	57,073	57,708	57,923	58,782	59,389	58,320	58,263	57,269	100.0%
Women	12,457	12,437	12,586	12,733	12,872	12,764	12,886	12,873	13,098	13,122	12,792	12,707	12,777	22.3%
- Pregnant	6,296	6,348	6,518	6,699	6,751	6,705	6,859	6,712	6,776	6,783	6,488	6,431	6,614	11.5%
- Breastfeeding (BF)	2,847	2,809	2,772	2,805	2,869	2,845	2,824	2,891	2,934	3,004	2,983	2,972	2,880	5.0%
- Postpartum (not BF)	3,314	3,280	3,296	3,229	3,252	3,214	3,203	3,270	3,388	3,335	3,321	3,304	3,284	5.7%
Infants	15,385	15,249	15,234	15,321	15,458	15,473	15,681	15,603	15,718	15,782	15,503	15,574	15,498	27.1%
Children	27,739	27,428	27,951	28,216	28,705	28,836	29,141	29,447	29,966	30,484	30,025	29,982	28,993	50.6%
UNKNOWN RACE OR ETHNICITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
GRAND TOTAL	55,581	55,114	55,771	56,270	57,035	57,073	57,708	57,923	58,782	59,389	58,320	58,263	57,269	



^a Data source: Statewide WIC Information System (SWIS), Racial / Ethnic Participation (WICP3002).