

Baby Behavior Training for WIC Employees

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Introduction:

Baby Behavior is a valuable educational tool to help moms and dads better understand what to expect from their newborn baby and to recognize and respond to their baby's cues.

This training integrates a module and supplemental guidebook that staff may use to facilitate the training experience. There are additional materials on the [WIC Baby Behavior](#) page including role play activities, key messaging tips, and shareable materials. The training tools provided may assist with your understanding of Baby Behaviors and provide opportunities for you to practice using this information within the WIC setting.

**This training was created by the Arizona WIC Program with materials adapted from UC-DAVIS Human Lactation Center.*

Course Enrollment:

Registration for this **FREE** virtual course will be completed at the [Minnesota Department of Health \(MDH\) Learning Center](#). Each individual staff member will need to log in or follow the instructions on the MDH Learning Center to create their own account.

Please note: MDH moved to a new learning platform on October 20, 2020. If you had an account on the previous MDH Learning Center platform, your account information was copied to the new system however, **your password will need to be reset**. While logging on to the new system, you will get a login error, simply click on "**forgot password**" to reset your previous password.

Step 1: Click on the instruction page for information on how to create a free account:

[Minnesota Department of Health \(MDH\) Learning Center \(Instructions Page\)](#)

Step 2: Click on the Login Screen to create an account or log in to the MDH learning center:

[MDH LMS-My Absorb \(login page\)](#)

Step 3: Log in to the MDH learning center and search for "WIC", you should see the "WIC Baby Behavior Training" registration there.

Step 4: Click on the **Enroll** button to enroll in and complete the course.

NOTE: Be sure to download the **Baby Behavior Trainee Guidebook** located within the MDH LMS to supplement the training experience.

References: A Complete Listing of Hyperlinks

WIC Baby Behavior (<https://www.health.state.mn.us/people/wic/localagency/training/bb.html>)

Minnesota Department of Health (MDH) Learning Center
(<https://www.health.state.mn.us/about/tools/learningcenter.html>)

MDH LMS-My Absorb (<https://minnesota.myabsorb.com/#/login>)

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