

## System Development Plans

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<b>NORTHEAST REGION</b>		
Connecticut		
Indian Township, ME	Hardware upgrade for all ITOs over duration of next 2 years.	
Maine	Maine is in the process of purchasing new MICR laser printers to be used to print food instruments.	Maine will soon be contracting with an outside firm to conduct a technical analysis of the IT needs and resource capabilities for Maine WIC. The analysis will also require a recommendation on how the Program should proceed in order to meet its IT wants and needs. This recommendation may include the purchase of equipment upgrades.
Massachusetts	Import a WIC system from another State agency and make the minimum number of changes required to make it compatible with the new Massachusetts Information Technology Architecture.	Enhance imported system to further meet Massachusetts' needs.
New Hampshire	Purchase equipment as funds permit, to replace oldest equipment and to meet additional needs through migration to a new system.	Will continue to purchase equipment as funds permit, to replace oldest equipment and to meet migration needs as stated above.
New York	Planning on replacing all existing equipment as lease expires (3/04 - 9/04).	Considering converting WICSIS to a WEB system in order to reduce equipment costs and allow for additional functionality. We will also look at converting to an EBT based system once we identify a solution that is feasible to NYS.
Pleasant Point, ME	Hardware upgrade for all ITOs over duration of next 2 years.	
Rhode Island	Upgrade equipment at State WIC office and replace select hardware at local WIC agencies.	Plan on development of centralized Web base system for local WIC agencies, which will impact the hardware and communication systems currently in use.
Seneca Nation, NY	Hardware upgrade for all ITOs over duration of next 2 years.	
Vermont	The department is replacing all PCs and WinTerms through the Bioterrorism preparedness grant, as part of an on-going equipment replacement schedule. District office upgrades are complete, central office will be done in the next 2-3 months. No cost to WIC.	The department has begun development of an integrated information management system based on the CDC NEDSS model, beginning with a statewide immunization registry. WIC will eventually be included in the system, but the order in which programs will be added and the timeline for additional programs has not yet been established.
<b>MID-ATLANTIC REGION</b>		
Delaware	Upgrade Batch Voucher Printer. Ongoing upgrade of PCs.	Upgrade Clinic and State Agency Office PCs.
Maryland	Will need to replace older equipment.	A Hardware Replacement Plan will address the need for routine hardware replacement.

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New Jersey	MICR printers for local agencies for check printing in FFY 2004	will define supplemental equipment replacement or upgrades in FFY 2004 for future
Pennsylvania	We will be doing Dual Participation for the Mid-Atlantic Region. This will require additional servers, software and a SAN. We are also planning on modifying our current system to add web-cam technology, autodialer, wireless LANs in satellite clinics and digitized signatures. A large effort will be undertaken to upgrade hardware that has reached it's 3 year life cycle.	We are planning to be more involved in EBT.
Puerto Rico	Servers and PC system operations upgrades	
Virgin Islands	Plans are to upgrade Operating System from Unix to Linux	Plan to merge District I & II into one main Database
Virginia	We have a 3 year equipment replacement plan recently approved by FNS and we are working on minor WICNET system enhancements to support the WIC program until we can replace WICNET.	We are in the preliminary stages of developing a plan to replace the existing WICNET system with a Web based system.
Washington, DC	Development and Implementation of the WIC/CSFP data system.	Development and Implementation of the WIC/CSFP data system
West Virginia	Five year equipment replacement plan and OA grant for income calculator and automated growth chart	Five year equipment replacement plan

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### SOUTHEAST REGION

Alabama	Upgrading servers and moving operating systems to new servers in 2003. Replacing old computers.	Upgrading Oracle software versions and web enabling parts of PHALCON, creating a centralized database, and adding pharmacy support.
Choctaw of Mississippi, MS		
Eastern Band of Cherokee, NC	Upgrade computer equipment	Pending ADP system
Florida	Florida WIC is beginning to explore conversion to a web based application. No formal plans have been initiated. Also, the current IBM R-24 mainframe is supported by the Florida Department of Children and Families Information Systems office. If they are successful in obtaining funds next state fiscal year for a new IBM ZOS mainframe, the WIC application may be moved to a logical partition on that machine. No formal plans have been initiated.	
Georgia	Update clinic, district and State equipment as necessary, and equip new and/or expanded clinics. Also plans include participating in FNS State Agency Model Project (SAM).	

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Kentucky	WIC Shell upgrade to VBCONNECT and an upgrade of Vendor Management.	EBT
Mississippi	Mississippi plans to pursue procurement of an existing clinic system from another state and secure the services of an implementation vendor for customization. The Clinic system is currently running on the state mainframe; it may be prudent to explore the option of transferring the application to a server to be supported and maintained by the MSDH which could result in the purchase of additional equipment.	Mississippi will explore the possibility of EBT or voucher food distribution as opposed to the current warehouse distribution method currently in use
North Carolina	Local agencies will transition from using outdated communications method (SNA controllers & terminals) to access the State WIC ADP system to using an Internet connection via PCs. State and local agencies will continue to upgrade computer equipment as needed.	Need for new ADP system
South Carolina	ADP is being developed for new computer system (CARES). Equipment purchased is included. This is included in a statewide development plan.	
Tennessee		State promotes replacing PCs every 3 years
<b>MIDWEST REGION</b>		
Illinois	The current DOS based system will be migrated to a windows-based operating system. Equipment and software will be required to implement the conversion. Further, the department intends to re-write the mainframe portion of Cornerstone for a DB2 environment.	The department plans on migrating Cornerstone to a web-based environment.
Indiana	The State has implemented an equipment upgrade/replacement policy for clinic workstations based on a 3 year cycle.	The State has implemented an equipment upgrade/replacement policy for clinic workstations based on a 3 year cycle.
Michigan	We are beginning to review our requirements for a new system.	We hope to have a new system in place in the next 3-5 years.
Minnesota	Replace desktop servers and 1/3 of workstations in 2004 and 2005. Replace laptops in 2006 and eventually replace all dot matrix printers with MICR laser printers.	
Ohio	Will develop PAPD to upgrade WIC certification system software; printers to be purchased.	Will assess age and need to replace personal computers in all clinics
Wisconsin		We are currently on a 3 year replacement plan for desktops/laptops. Compaq Evo 500's were rolled out fall of 2002, Evo D510's summer 2003, new laptops fall of 2003 and MICR printers fall 2003.

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<b>MOUNTAIN PLAINS REGION</b>		
Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe, SD		
Colorado	We are currently planning a new PC deployment to replace older Compaqs and Windows95 & 98 systems.	We are currently planning a new PC deployment to replace older Compaqs and Windows95 & 98 systems.
Eastern Shoshone, WY		
Iowa	Upgrading according to Hardware Replacement Plan	Upgrading according to IAPD and additional deliverables yet to be released.
Kansas		
Missouri	We have an approved plan for equipment replacement; we have an approved project for upgrading and adding to our data warehousing capabilities for ad hoc.	We are interested in moving to laser printing of food instruments. We have an IAPD in the final stage of approval prior to submission for moving from our current WIC HANDS (Health Agency Network Data System) data base (IDMS database management system) to an Oracle database management system.
Montana		
Montana	We have just entered into a new system development phase. The new system development lifecycle thus proposed is a 15 to 24 month plan.	
Nebraska		
Nebraska	Plan replaces PC's laptops and printers from FY2003 - FY2008	
North Dakota		
North Dakota	Will transfer in the web based PA system	New system will necessitate new equipment.
Northern Arapaho, WY		
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Omaha/Santee, WY		
Rosebud Sioux Tribe, SD		
South Dakota	WIC follows the SD Dept. of Health Migration Plan	WIC follows the SD Dept. of Health Migration Plan
Standing Rock Sioux Tribe, ND		
Three Affiliated Tribes, ND		
Utah	Conversion to Windows environment along with hardware replacement.	A new software purchase in collaboration with the Mountain Plains State Consortium project.
Ute Mountain Tribe, CO		
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Winnebago, NE		
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Wyoming		We are participating with Colorado and Utah as the Mountain Plains States Consortium in order to design a new joint WIC MIS system. We have an approved PAPD and are in process of finalizing the RFP for a Planning Contractor. Too soon to know what the system requirements might be relative to equipment upgrades, but assume there will be upgrades.
<b>WESTERN REGION</b>		
Alaska	Annual hardware rotation plans (dependent on funding)	Annual hardware rotation plans (dependent on funding)
American Samoa		
Arizona		Workstations will need to be replaced within three years.
California	Transitioning our current SNA-based terminals to TCP/IP-based thin clients	
Guam	GUI Upgrade, move to Laser printers, Cisco routers	Nutrition Education Module, Financial Module
Hawaii		Modifications as Federally mandated to the SWICH software and MICR printing.
Idaho	Local PC's due for upgrade.	PC's replaced every 3 years.
ITCA, AZ		
ITCN, NV		
Navajo Nation, AZ	Upgrading server hardware to support Windows 2000 Servers at permanent sites. Upgrading field laptops to current hardware entry level.	Examining feasibility for deploying lightweight palm-top system version.
Nevada	Upgrade all computers to P-4's with Windows XP Professional, using Microsoft Exchange for internet and e-mail.	
Oregon	A new WIC Data System is currently in the process of being developed. This system should be implemented within the next year. The installation of new equipment has already been deployed in anticipation of the new system.	The Department of Human Services (DHS) policy requires us to replace equipment every 4 years. Microsoft regularly updates their software and does not provide support for the old software products. So we anticipate upgrading the PC's and Servers.
Washington		System Maintenance Plan: Replace 20-25% of hardware every year; state office plans are internet use & software deployment