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PRESS RELEASE

Date: December 28, 2009
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RE: WIC Program to be Offered in Downtown Flint

Beginning Monday, January 4th, 2010, the Genesee County Health Department will begin offering WIC services at the McCree Courts and Human Services Center, located at 630 S. Saginaw Street (between Second and Third Streets) in downtown Flint. Services will no longer be available at the McCree Health and Human Services Center on Pierson Road. WIC services will continue to be offered at the Health Department's Burton Branch, located at G-3373 S. Saginaw Street (between Bristol and Hemphill Roads).

The main WIC telephone number for all calls will also change. The new number is (810) 237-4537.

This Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) serves low and moderate income pregnant, breastfeeding, and postpartum women, infants, and children up to age 5 who have a nutrition-related health problem. The program provides a combination of nutrition education, supplemental foods, breastfeeding promotion and support, and referrals to health care. WIC foods are selected to meet nutrient needs such as calcium, iron, folic acid, and vitamins A and C. Participants exchange WIC food benefits at approved retail grocery stores and pharmacies.

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