



**The Navajo Nation** **DR. BUU NYGREN** *PRESIDENT*  
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Dear Partner:

On behalf of the Navajo Nation WIC Nutrition Program (NNWICNP) within the Navajo Department of Health (NDOH), we would like to invite your program to participate in our Fort Defiance WIC 50th celebration events, it will be held on Tuesday, June 25, 2024. The celebration events will start with a wellness walk that will start from Window Rock Bashas to Window Rock Zoo. A Health fair at the Window Rock Zoo will follow from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM. The health fair aims to promote wellness and provide valuable information and resources to our community members, and we believe that your services would greatly benefit our attendees.

WIC is a national program that started in 1974 eventually becoming a Navajo Nation program in 1982 and recognized as an Indian Tribal Organization (ITO). WIC provides supplemental foods for women, infants, and children and promotes breastfeeding as a natural way to feed infants.

We hope that your program can join us in this celebration event to bring WIC awareness to your community as well as other resources that are available from other organizations that will participate. You are welcome to set up your booth starting at 8:00 am. There will be a Zumba event at noon time.

Navajo WIC greatly appreciates and thanks you for considering our invitation. We are excited about the opportunity to collaborate with your program and make a positive impact on the health and well-being of our community through this health fair. If you are interested in joining us for this event or require more information, please feel free to contact me at 928-871-7897 or [orasnez@navajo-nsn.gov](mailto:orasnez@navajo-nsn.gov). We ask that you please confirm your participation no later than June 17, 2024, by calling or emailing Ora at Fort Defiance WIC.

We look forward to your participation.

Warm Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ora S. Nez".

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