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SUBJECT: 2017 Biennial NWA Technology, Program Integrity, and Vendor
Management Education & Networking Conference and Exhibits

TO: WIC State Agency Directors

As you know, the National WIC Association (NWA) will hold its Biennial Technology, Program Integrity, and Vendor Management Education & Networking Conference September 25-28, 2017, at the Sheraton Memphis Downtown Hotel located in Memphis, Tennessee. This meeting is an excellent opportunity for you and your staff to network, share and learn about current requirements as well as evolving trends in Program operations. Conference sessions will cover the latest in Management Information Systems (MIS) and Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) technologies, as well as all aspects of WIC Program Integrity.

I hope that you will give serious consideration to attending this important and timely conference. You may also want to consider allowing your State agency vendor manager, EBT coordinator, and other staff you deem appropriate, to attend and participate. WIC Program funds may be used to fund your travel expenses and registration fees.

Additional information regarding registration and accommodations are available at https://www.nwica.org/events/info/2017-biennial-technology-and-program-integrity-education-networking-conference-and-exhibits#tab_eid-31-about-the-conference.

We look forward to seeing you and your staff in September. If you have any questions, please contact your FNS Regional Office.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Sarah Widor". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Sarah" and last name "Widor" clearly distinguishable.

SARAH WIDOR
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