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**TO:** WIC Regional Directors  
WIC Local Agency Directors

**FROM:** Linda Brumble, Unit Manager  
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**DATE:** June 8, 2012

**SUBJECT:** WIC Meets the Healthy People 2020 Breastfeeding Target

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The State agency is proud to announce that as of April 2012, Texas WIC has met the Healthy People 2020 target of 81.9% for breastfeeding initiation! Congratulations to you and all of your staff. Thank you for your tireless effort to promote, protect, and support breastfeeding in Texas.

If you have questions about WIC breastfeeding rates or Healthy people 2020 or require additional information, please contact Tracy Erickson WIC Breastfeeding Coordinator, Nutrition Education/Clinic Services Unit, at (512) 341-4521 or [tracy.erickson@dshs.state.tx.us](mailto:tracy.erickson@dshs.state.tx.us).