



Program Agenda
August 21, 2008
1:00 – 4:30 p.m. EST

1:00	Pre-conference Orientation	Hope Rollins Director of Education and Training Michigan Public Health Institute Hrollins@mphi.org
1:05	Welcome	Judith V. Anderson, DrPH, RD Michigan WIC Nutrition Coordinator Michigan Department of Community Health Andersonjv@michigan.gov
1:10	Opening Remarks	Elvira Jarka, RD, MS, MPH Regional Director, Supplemental Nutrition Programs, USDA, FNS Elvira.jarka@fns.usda.gov Stan Bien, MPA Acting Director WIC Division Michigan Department of Community Health Biens@michigan.gov
1:20	Overview of wichealth	Robert J. Bensley, PhD Professor Community Health Education Western Michigan University Robert.bensley@wmich.edu
1:40	Post-wichealth Process	Stephanie Bess, MS, RD, LDN, CLC Nutrition Services Coordinator Illinois Department of Human Services Stephanie.bess@illinois.gov Susan Rhein, MS, RD WIC Nutrition Education Coordinator Macomb County Health Department susan.rhein@macombcountymi.gov

2:00	Break	
2:10	Q & A	Robert Bensley, Judith Anderson, Stephanie Bess, Susan Rhein
2:20	Implementing wichealth in your state	Stephanie Bess
2:40	Implementing wichealth in your local agency	Susan Rhein
3:00	Impact of wichealth	Robert Bensley
3:20	Break	
3:30	Q & A	Robert Bensley, Stephanie Bess Susan Rhein
3:40	Overview of Fruit/Vegetable Project	Judith Anderson
4:00	Fruit/Vegetable Project Findings	John Brusk, MPH Evaluator Science and Mathematics Program Improvement Western Michigan University John.brusk@wmich.edu
4:20	How to get involved	Robert Bensley
4:25	Closing Remarks	Judith Anderson