

# 2024 Local Agency Application Process



The Colorado Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants and Children (COWIC), federally funded by the USDA and administered by the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE), will be accepting applications for any local partners (public health agencies, federally-qualified health centers, and other qualified entities) who wish to hold a COWIC contract for Federal Fiscal Year 2025 and beyond.

## Process

- **Application Workshops. Attendance is required** for all agencies planning to apply for FFY25 authorization; no registration needed.

### COWIC Basics

Thursday, April 11

10-10:50am

[Google Meet](#)

### Local Agency Application & Contracts

Thursday, May 16

10-10:50am

[Google Meet](#)

- **May 10 - June 14, 2024: Request for Applications (RFA) process open.**
  - **June 5:** Last day for written inquiries.
  - **June 12:** Last day for responses due from COWIC.
  - **June 14:** Last day to submit applications and partnership letters of intent.
- **June 17 - July 12, 2024: Application review.**
  - **Week of July 15:** Award notifications sent to applicants.
- **August 1, 2024: Contracts available in DocuSign for local agency review and board/leadership approval processes.**
- **October 1, 2024: FFY25 contracts begin.**
  - **Partnership MOU/IGAs due within 30 days after contract start date.**