

ECR Reimbursement (EBT)

- I. The Utah WIC Program will assist retail vendors in the transition from the WIC paper-based check system to an Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) system.
- II. The State of Utah, consistent with FNS policy and regulations, has adopted a policy enabling vendor reimbursement only for the purchase or lease of multi-function Electronic Cash Register (ECR) point of sale (POS) system. The Utah WIC Program will provide financial assistance in the form of partial or full reimbursements to retail vendors' purchase or lease of a WIC EBT multi-function (the unit is capable of supporting WIC EBT and other electronic payment tender such as SNAP, debit, and credit) stand-beside unit that is capable of redeeming WIC-issued food benefits. All rates of reimbursement shall be determined by the Utah WIC program.
- III. Notwithstanding the provisions of this policy, reimbursements will not be paid unless the State Agency has concluded that sufficient funds are available for this purpose.