

Oregon Farm Direct Nutrition Program Checks (WIC & Senior)

2011 Update for Farmers

The **Oregon Farm Direct Nutrition Program (FDNP)** is a state-administered USDA nutrition program that will bring over one million dollars to Oregon farmers in 2011. FDNP funds take the form of pre-printed checks and go to some of the nutritionally at-risk young families enrolled in the WIC (Women, Infants & Children) program, and to eligible low-income seniors.

FDNP recipients will receive green \$4 checks to spend directly with authorized farmers who sell their own produce at farm stands and farmers' markets. (See below for a picture of the check.)

FDNP checks are specifically for locally-produced fresh, unprocessed fruit and vegetables. The FDNP checks are good from June 1st through October 31st of the current year.

If you were authorized last year to accept the green FDNP checks: Look out for a packet in the mail from the Oregon Department of Agriculture, starting March 1!

If you are new to the FDNP: Please call the Oregon Department of Agriculture at 503-872-6600 for an application packet.

Oregon Farm Direct Nutrition Program

ACCT# 2072110873 64-1968 611 6000000

First day to use: **June 1, 2011** Last day to use: **Oct. 31, 2011**

PAY TO THE ORDER OF: **Authorized Farmers**
(Not valid at grocery stores)

Use to buy locally grown, unprocessed fresh fruit, vegetables and herbs only.

Farmer stamp here

Farmer must deposit by **Nov. 30, 2011**

UNITED COMMUNITY BANK, BLAIRSVILLE, GA 30512
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FDNP check (for Senior and WIC recipients)
(👉 Over for info about WIC Fruit & Veggie Voucher Program)

Oregon WIC Fruit & Veggie Vouchers

2011 Update for Farmers



The **Oregon WIC Fruit & Veggie voucher** is a monthly benefit that is given to all women and children enrolled in the Oregon WIC (Women, Infants & Children) Program. WIC is a USDA public health program designed to improve health outcomes and influence lifetime nutrition and health behaviors for nutritionally at-risk young families.

WIC Fruit & Veggie Vouchers come in \$5, \$6 and \$10 denominations. (See below for a picture of the voucher.)

WIC recipients may spend their vouchers on fresh and frozen fruits and vegetables, year-round, with authorized farmers at farm stands and farmers' markets. (WIC-authorized grocery stores also accept WIC Fruit & Veggie vouchers.) Potential WIC Fruit & Veggie voucher sales total approximately \$8.6 million per year for Oregon.

If you were authorized last year to accept the blue Oregon WIC Fruit & Veggie vouchers: Look out for a packet in the mail from the Oregon Department of Agriculture, starting March 1!

If you are new to the Oregon WIC Fruit & Veggie vouchers: Please call the Oregon Department of Agriculture at 503-872-6600 for an application packet.

 OREGON WIC PROGRAM	Payable through Southern National Bank Marietta, GA	64 - 1968 611	Acct. # 2508299	60000001
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FOR PURCHASE OF AUTHORIZED WIC FOODS ONLY		FI Type 0123	Corrected Amount \$	
\$10 (Ten dollars) fruits and vegetables (fresh and frozen) Shopper may pay amount over value of voucher No change given		Pay to the order of Oregon WIC Authorized Vendor Number:	PAY EXACTLY \$	
		Vendor Must Deposit Within 60 Days of First Day To Use	Vendor Fill In \$ Amount Above	
 DHS HEALTH SERVICES (971) 673-0040 P.O. BOX 14450, PORTLAND, OR 97293-0450		IMPROPER USE OF THIS VOUCHER IS SUBJECT TO FEDERAL AND STATE PROSECUTION	57-906-ENGL (06/2005)	WIC SHOPPER SIGN HERE WIC I.D. CARD REQUIRED
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WIC fruit & veggie voucher (for WIC women and children)

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