MARYLAND WIC PROGRAM Howard County Health Department Maria J. Valencia-Carunungan, RD, LDN WIC Director August 15, 2019 HOWARD COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT Promote. Preserve. Protect.

FARMER'S MARKET

- Howard County WIC distributes FM vouchers at the East Columbia Library every Thursdays from 2 -5pm until Sept. 12
- each booklet is worth \$30.00
- To increase redemption, participant are given incentives like salad bowls, bags, etc. when they purchase produce at the FM location on the same day
- Up to date, WIC has distributed about 183 booklets at the FM.

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FARMER'S MARKET •last day to use vouchers is Nov. 30th. **Breastfeeding Month** • Theme: Empower Parents, Enable Breastfeeding. Now and for the future Come celebrate Maryland Breastfeeding Month and Black Breastfeeding Week with us, by attending this documentary screening on the racial divide in breastfeeding. • What: Chocolate Milk Documentary (screening) • When: Thursday, August 29, 2019 • Where: WIC Training Center, 5503A Ritchie Highway, Brooklyn Park, 21225 Sign Up: https://apl.mdwic.org/chocolatemilkdocumentary **HOWARD COUNTY WIC ACTIVITIES**

BREASTFEEDING MONTH ACTIVITIES
●BF celebrations
Aug. 30: North Laurel WIC office, 10-12nSept7: Columbia WIC office, 10 -12n
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