Cascades Screen		Assessment Questions
Family Demographics		Tell me a little bit about your living situation.
Lis	ten and assess for	
٠	Homelessness	
٠	Migrancy	
Participant Demographics		
Listen and assess for		
LIS	Foster Care (new/change in home past 6	
•	mos.) – select on Assigned Risk Factors	
	screen	
Но	alth Information	Introduction Statements M/a calconomics a
ne		Introduction Statement: We ask everyone
Lic	ten and assess for	these questions and we keep your
PG Induced Health Conditions		information private. These are to help me learn about you and your pregnancy.
•	Gestational Diabetes	Would it be OK to ask you some questions?
•	Gestational Diabetes (Hx)	would it be on to ask you some questions?
•	Large for Gestational Age (Hx)	• What quactions or concorns do you have today?
•	Nutrition Related Birth Defects (Hx)	 What questions or concerns do you have today? What was your weight before you became
•	Preeclampsia (Hx)	
•	Pregnancy Induced Hypertension	pregnant?
	Severe Nausea/Vomiting	When is your baby due? When was the start of your last monstrue!
•	Severe Nausea/ vorniting	 When was the start of your last menstrual period? (If due date isn't known)
PG History		• Are you having more than one baby?
•	Low Birth Weight ≤ 5 lb, 8 oz (Hx)	• When was the first time you had a visit with
•	Preterm or Early Term Delivery \leq 38	your health care provider for this pregnancy?
	weeks (Hx)	(Date is required)
•	Spontaneous Abortion, Fetal Death (Hx),	How many prenatal visits have you had with
	Neonatal Death (Hx)	your health care provider?
		• Has your health care provider diagnosed any
Health Conditions like:		conditions with this pregnancy?
•	Alcohol Use	• Did you have any health conditions or
•	Drug Use	complications in your previous pregnancies? (For
•	Depression	participants pregnant previously)
•	Drug Nutrient Interactions	 Are you willing to share information on past
•	Food Allergy (severe diet impact)	pregnancies? (Pregnancy History pop-up screen)
•	Gastrointestinal Disorder	What diagnosed health or medical conditions do
•	Hypertension/Prehypertension	you have not related to pregnancy?
•	Lactose Intolerance	 Are you taking any prescribed or over-the-
•	Nicotine and Tobacco Use	counter medications?
•	Oral Health Condition	Recently have you had little interest in doing
•	Other Medical Conditions (impacts	things or felt down or depressed, isolated, or
	nutritional status)	anxious?
•	Recent Major Surgery, Physical Trauma,	 If yes, say "Thank you for sharing. Have you
	Burns	discussed this with your health care provider?

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	 If you would like I can provide you with resources and referrals." Do you smoke, use any tobacco products, or nicotine gums or patches? If yes, what products do you use? If cigarettes, how many per day? Do you currently use any drugs, including cannabis (marijuana)? How often do you drink alcohol? When was the last time you drank? How many drinks do you typically have in one sitting? (For participants previously pregnant) Are you currently breastfeeding?
Anthro/Lab	 Would you like to see a chart of your weight gain so far in the pregnancy? How are you feeling about it? What has your health care provider said about your iron?
 Family Assessment Listen and assess for Environmental Tobacco Smoke Exposure Recipient of Abuse (past 6 months) – select on Assigned Risk Factors screen 	 The goal of the next few questions is to find out how I can support you and your family to connect you with any programs or referrals you might not be aware of. We ask all participants these questions. In the past few weeks, have you or your child been in an enclosed space (at home, in a car, at work or daycare, etc.) while someone smoked or vaped? Do you feel safe and supported at home? (Follow with: We know relationships can be stressful and there are resources I can share with you.) Do you have what you need to store and prepare food? Do you currently worry about running out of food and not having money to buy more? Do you have a health care provider, if so, who? Where did you hear about WIC? (Initial certification only)
Dietary & Health	Now I'd like to focus on your eating.
Listen and assess for Nutrition concerns such as: Inadequate Iodine Supplementation (< 150 mcg)	 What kind of foods do you typically eat? How often do you eat throughout the day? What types of beverages? Are there any foods that you avoid?

Pregnant Assessment Questions

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 Inadequate Iron Supplementation (< 27 mg) Inappropriate or Excessive Supplements 	 Do you eat lunchmeat, hot dogs, runny eggs, unpasteurized foods, or raw fish? Do you eat any items, such as carpet fibers, paint
• Pica	chips, soil, or other items that are not food?
Potentially Contaminated Foods	• What vitamins, supplements, remedies, or teas
Very Restrictive Diet	are you using?
	 What have you heard about breastfeeding?
Eco-Social	Optional screen
Assigned Risk Factors	If no other risk(s) apply select Not Meeting Dietary
	Guidelines
Assess for:	
Breastfeeding Complications	
Developmental Delays Affecting	
Chewing/Swallowing	
Limited Skills for Proper Nutrition or to	
Make Feeding Decisions	
Breastfeeding Mother of Infant at	
Nutrition Risk (Priority 1, 2 or 4)	

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