

COLLEGE CREDIT FOR WIC BREASTFEEDING PEER COUNSELORS

Union Institute & University is proud to introduce a new policy **that grants college credit to WIC Breastfeeding Peer Counselors** who qualify. Here's how it works:

- Complete USDA's Food and Nutrition Service's WIC Breastfeeding Peer Counselor Training and at least 560 total working hours.
- Receive 36 free elective credits that can be applied toward completion of a bachelor's degree in [Maternal Child Health: Human Lactation](#) from Union.



Union's Maternal Child Health: Human Lactation program is the only program of its kind in the U.S. that leads to a bachelor's degree. This new policy benefits your Breastfeeding Peer Counselors, your agency and your clients. It's a win-win-win!

Procedure

The award of 36 units will be granted to WIC Breastfeeding Peer Counselors once the University receives:

- A copy of their USDA Food and Nutrition Service Training Certificate,
- A verification letter from their supervisor on official letterhead, stating the employee as completed a minimum of 560 hours as a WIC Breastfeeding Peer Counselor.

THE UNION DIFFERENCE

- FREE to apply to Union
- Test scores are not required
- Transfer up to 90 credits
- Financial aid and scholarships available

Questions? Contact:

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