



Lewis County Employment Opportunity

Department: **Public Health & Social Services** | Position: **Breastfeeding Peer Counselor**

Who May Apply: **Any Qualified Applicant**

Employment Status: **Extra Help ~ 10-12 Hours/Week**

Salary Range: **Grade 115 \$23.34 - \$31.38/Hr.**

Posting Opens: **February 24, 2026**

Posting Closes: **March 15, 2026**

DEPARTMENT / OFFICE

This position is with the Public Health & Social Services Department, Community Services, WIC Division located at: 360 NW North St., Chehalis, WA 98532

POSITION SUMMARY

Under close supervision provides education, information, support and encouragement to WIC pregnant and breastfeeding women to meet their breastfeeding goals. This is a part-time position. **Candidates must be available to clients by phone when they need assistance, including early mornings, evenings, and weekends.**

This position delivers breastfeeding information to clients during pregnancy and post-partum, supports mothers to help meet their breastfeeding goals and educates new mothers about successful breastfeeding techniques (one-on-one and class setting). Completes reports, initial contacts, referral forms, contact logs and completes documentation of client contacts and job-related telephone calls.

HOW TO APPLY

Application materials and job description are available online at www.lewiscountywa.gov/jobs

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WHO MAY APPLY

This recruitment is open to any qualified applicant who meets the minimum qualifications and can perform the essential functions, with or without accommodation, and possesses the knowledge, skills and abilities as identified in the job description.

REQUIREMENTS

The following items are **REQUIRED** for your application to be considered complete and for you to be considered for this recruitment.

Note: ALL sections of the application must be complete. "See resume" is not acceptable.

- ✓ **Lewis County Employment Application**
- ✓ **Authorization to Release Information**
- ✓ **Cover Letter**
- ✓ **Resume**

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

- ▶ High School Diploma or G.E.D. equivalent
 - ▶ Must have participated in the WIC program and breastfed one or more children for a minimum of six months
 - ▶ May be required to pass criminal background check
 - ▶ Proof of eligibility to work in the United States
 - ▶ Ability to speak, read, and write the English language effectively
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NOTE: The information for State and Federal Reporting Form is voluntary. By providing this information, you assist the County in meeting state and federal reporting requirements. The information provided on this form is not used as a part of the review and selection process.

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