

### 321a History of Fetal or Neonatal Loss

#### Kansas Risk Factor Summary

Risk Factor Code	Kansas Risk Factor Title	High Risk	Auto-Assigned	Based on MD Diagnosis	Category and Priority					USDA Revised Date
					PG	BF	PP	I	C	
321a	History of Fetal or Neonatal Loss		X*		1					04/01

#### Kansas Risk Factor Definition

Any history of fetal or neonatal death or 2 or more spontaneous abortions. Must be diagnosed by a physician as self-reported by client; or as reported or documented by a physician, or someone working under physician's orders.

- Fetal death is the spontaneous termination of a gestation at  $\geq 20$  weeks.
- Neonatal death is the death of an infant within 0-28 days of life.
- A spontaneous abortion (SAB) is the spontaneous termination of a gestation at  $< 20$  weeks gestation or  $< 500$  grams.

KWIC will auto-assign if the History of Fetal or Neonatal Loss Risk Factor assigned for any previous certification.

\*Staff must assess and manually assign if the woman was not previously enrolled in the Kansas WIC Program or previous data is not recorded in KWIC.

#### [USDA Justification](#)

**Note:** USDA Justification is provided because it explains nicely why the risk is important. However, you must use the Kansas risk factor names and definitions which may differ slightly from the USDA document.