

### What is a Certified Lactation Counselor?

A Certified Lactation Counselor (CLC) is someone who is trained to help with breastfeeding.

#### A CLC can help you with:

- Problems with latching
- Returning to work
- Low milk supply
- Storing breastmilk
- Special circumstances
- · Feeding difficulties
- Preventing sore nipples
- Choosing the right breastpump

## Help from a CLC can help you meet your breastfeeding goals!

For more information about breastfeeding services contact:

Ho-Chunk Health Care Center: 888-685-4422 ext. 35317 Or House of Wellness:

https://health.ho-chunk.com/

888-552-7889 ext. 35551

# Know Your Breastfeeding Rights

#### It's the Federal Law:

Section 7(r) of the Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA) - Break Time for Nursing Mothers

Section 7 of the FLSA requires employers to provide a nursing mother with reasonable break to express milk for 1 year after their child is born. In addition, it requires the employer to provide a place to express breast milk. This place may not be a bathroom.

### Wisconsin Public Breastfeeding Law: SECTION 1. 253.16 Right to breastfeed.

A mother may breastfeed her child in any public or private location where the mother and child are otherwise authorized to be. In such a location, no person may prohibit a mother from breastfeeding her child, direct a mother to move to a different location to breastfeed her child, direct a mother to cover her child or breast while breastfeeding, or otherwise restrict a mother from breastfeeding her child as provided in this section.

#### **Ho-Chunk Nation:**

Ho-Chunk Nation Legislature Employee Relations Act

The Ho-Chunk Nation provides a supportive environment to enable breastfeeding employees to express their milk during work hours. This includes a lactation support program administered by the Ho-Chunk Nation Maternal Child Health Program, within the Community Health Nursing Program.





Ho-Chunk Nation Department of Health

#### **Breastfeeding Services**



Certified Lactation Counselors
committed to helping you
have a positive
breastfeeding experience.



Mother's Milk is a Traditional food for baby

Breastfeeding Services
Available:

- Lactation counseling
- Ordering a breastpump
- Finding the nearest lactation room for pumping while at work
- Preparing to return to work and breastfeeding
- Resources for special circumstances
- Learning how to store breastmilk
- Support worksites to become breastfeeding friendly

#### Reasons to Breastfeed for Mom and Baby:

- Breastfed babies get sick less and have fewer allergies
- Breastfed babies have a lower risk of SIDS (Sudden Infant Death Syndrome)
- Breastfed babies have a lower rate of ear infections
- Breastfed babies have a lower risk for diabetes, and so do breastfeeding moms
- Breastfeeding is recommended by the American Academy of Pediatrics
- Breastmilk provides the perfect mix of proteins, carbs, and fats
- Breastfeeding moms have a lower risk of breast and uterine cancer



# Ho-Chunk Nation Breastfeeding Coalition Mission Statement:

To support and promote a breastfeeding friendly environment within the Ho-Chunk community and workplaces.



Are you a breastfeeding mother?

Do you support Native American women and breastfeeding?

Join the HCN Breastfeeding Coalition!

All are welcome!