

BREASTFEEDING



FOR BABY, FOR MOTHER, FOR THE COMMUNITY - 2023

Breastfeeding Helplines

WIC Breastfeeding Helpline (209) 525-4838 La Leche League International (877) LA-LECHE or (877) 452-5324

National BF Helpline (24 hr) (800) 994-9662

Breastfeeding Support

WIC Program (Free for participants)

Lactation Consultant (209) 525-4838

La Leche League of Stanislaus County

Local daytime phone help. (209) 537-1243

Lactation Consultants (Fees may apply)

Andrea Ramirez www.thelatchedlife.com (209) 613-0666 Kimberly Hunter www.doulakimhunter.com (209) 481-8255

Hospitals * Beside Only

*Kaiser Permanente

*Doctors Medical Center

Memorial Medical Center

(209) 735-3600
(209) 576-3763
(209) 572-7210
(By appointment only)

Prenatal Classes

Free Online:

WIC Program (For WIC participants) (209) 558-7377

Fees May Apply:

Doctors Medical Center(209) 576-3747Memorial Medical Center (Online)(209) 572-7210Kaiser (Members only)(209) 557-1601

Breast Pump Rentals

WIC Program (Free for participants) (209) 558-7377 Memorial Medical Center (Fees may (209) 572-7210

apply)

Kaiser (*Members via Dr. RX*) (209) 735-6060

For Medi-Cal Beneficiaries

Health Plan of San Joaquin

Call Customer Service English: 1-888-936-7526 M-F 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Spanish: 1-888-312-7526

Health Net

Call Member Services 1-800-675-6110

Breastmilk Donations

Mothers' Milk Bank www.mothersmilk.org (877) 375-6645

BREASTFEEDING COALITION OF STANISLAUS COUNTY



A network of advocates promoting and supporting breastfeeding through the education of families, our community, and health care providers. For more information email: Esmeralda at esgonzalez@schsa.org.

"Considering the benefits of breastfeeding and the significant role of breastmilk in the transmission of other respiratory viruses, the mother can continue breastfeeding, while applying all the necessary precautions." -UNICEF







The Stanislaus County Health Services Agency's Women, Infants & Children program is a nutrition education and supplemental food program for pregnant, breastfeeding and postpartum women, infants and children to eat well and stay healthy.

WIC provides participants:

- Free monthly food benefits to buy healthy foods
- Free tips to eat well and stay healthy
- Free breastfeeding support

Who qualifies for WIC?

- Women who are:
 - Pregnant
 - Breastfeeding a baby under 1 year of age
 - Just had a baby in the past 6 months
- Children under 5 years of age including those cared for by a single father, grandparent, foster parent, step-parent or guardian
- Have a family income within WIC guidelines
- If applicant is receiving Medi-Cal, TANF or CalFresh they are automatically considered income-eligible

WIC is providing in-person, phone or virtual appointments and available for pick up services.

WIC locations are open 8am-5pm:

Ceres (Mon-Fri)
Modesto (Mon-Fri)
Oakdale (Mon, Wed & Thurs)
McHenry Medical Office (Tues & Fri)
Patterson (Tues & Fri)
Turlock (Mon, Wed & Thurs)

Call: (209) 558-7377 Text: (888) 413-8165

Breastfeeding Helpline: (209) 525-4838 To Apply Online Visit: www.schsa.org/WIC



USDA IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY PROVIDER AND EMPLOYER.

Other useful information for breastfeeding women:

<u>NEW Free App:</u> Bringing Breastfeeding Professionals Access to LactMed for Exposure Information On-the-Go visit: https://mothertobaby.org/lactrx/

Vaccination during Pregnancy, CDC Recommendations

https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/recommendations/pregnancy.html