

New Hampshire Breastfeeding Task Force Breastfeeding Friendly Employer Award Application

Name of Employer _____

Address _____

Name and title of primary contact person _____

Work Phone _____ Fax _____ Email _____

Number of Employees _____

What percentage of your employees are women between the ages of 15 – 44? _____

Please check the option that best defines your worksite:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Wholesale/retail | <input type="checkbox"/> Manufacturing/Construction | <input type="checkbox"/> Hotel/Restaurant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitals/Health Care Facilities | <input type="checkbox"/> Finance/Insurance Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> School | | |

Other (please describe) _____

How long has your lactation/breastfeeding support been in place?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Just getting started | <input type="checkbox"/> 1-2 years | <input type="checkbox"/> 3-4 years | <input type="checkbox"/> 4+ years |
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If selected as an award winner, would you be willing to serve as a resource for other employers?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
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Award Criteria (indicate all that apply)

- We have a written breastfeeding support policy and provide education about the policy to all employees
- We provide a private and secure room with a lockable door (not a bathroom) and comfortable chair
- We allow flexible breaks of at least 15-20 minutes every 2-3 hours
- Information is provided for families regarding mothers' groups in the area, e.g. hospital lactation services, LaLeche League, and websites.

Any or all additional breastfeeding support elements offered within the business:

- Educational breastfeeding materials for all expectant parents
- Refrigerator nearby for milk storage
- Nearby sink
- Electrical outlet
- Small table or shelf
- Radio/CD player
- Breastfeeding artwork
- Ability to work part-time or offsite
- Flex time/ flex schedule offered
- Job-sharing
- On-site child care
- List of regional breastfeeding supports provided and maintained
- Lactation consultant services provided by employer's insurance or paid for by employer
- Lending library with breastfeeding resources
- Maternity leave available for at least 12 weeks
- Paid family leave

Please list any other ways your worksite accommodates breastfeeding employees:

Thank you for all your efforts and we look forward to reviewing your application.

Technical Assistance is available through our website at www.nhbreastfeedingtaskforce.org
or you can contact the Task Force at nhbreastfeeding@gmail.com