

Better Bama Babies Application

Date: _____

Name of Facility: _____

Number of births per year: _____

Contact Person/Title/Credentials: _____

Phone Contact: _____

Email Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Breastfeeding Rate Information:

What are your breastfeeding rates*?

Initiation _____%

Rate of any breastmilk feeding at discharge _____%

Rate of exclusive breastmilk feeding at discharge _____%

*The percentage of all term, singleton, non-NICU infants who received any amount of breastmilk through direct breastfeeding or alternative feeding method. Please use your latest TJC PC-05 report if possible.

Has your facility completed the CDC's Maternity Practices in Infant Nutrition and Care (mPINC) survey?

Yes

No

Latest year submitted _____ Score _____

Lactation Support Information:

Number of IBCLCs _____

Number of days with IBCLC coverage _____ (i.e. 5 days a week)

Percent of Staff who have completed an 18-hour Breastfeeding Education Course that follows the BFHI suggested outline _____

Percent of Staff that have completed a 40-hour course specific to breastfeeding education _____

Staff Education Information

18 contact hours of breastfeeding education is required for all Maternal Infant staff within 6 months of employment:

Yes

No

Number of hours of breastfeeding education required for all staff members each year? _____

Additional Information

1. What percent of your mothers are taught the importance of exclusive breast milk feeding prior to the delivery? This includes counseling/education received from WIC, obstetrician, office nurse, Medicaid Care Coordinator, as well as education received by L&D nurse **up until the time of delivery.**

Less than 10%

10%-30%

31%-50%

51%-70%

71%-100%

We do not keep up with this metric

2. What percentage of your infants are placed skin-to-skin within 5 minutes of delivery? Refusal of STS should be documented, along with a valid reason. Mother refusal of STS is not a valid indication. Teaching to provide STS should be that the majority of your mothers will agree to participate in this important aspect of infant stabilization.

Less than 10%

10%-30%

31%-50%

51%-70%

71%-100%

We do not keep up with this metric

3. What percentage of the mothers in your care initiate breastfeeding within the first hour following delivery?

Less than 10%

10%-30%

31%-50%

51%-70%

71%-100%

We do not keep up with this metric

4. What percentage of the stable mothers in your care who are separated from their infants (i.e. premature infant) are taught hand expression within the first hour of delivery?

Less than 10%

10%-30%

31%-50%

51%-70%

71%-100%

We do not keep up with this metric

5. What percentage of the mothers in your care are provided with basic instructions on breastfeeding within 6 hours of delivery?
- Less than 10%
 - 10%-30%
 - 31%-50%
 - 51%-70%
 - 71%-100%
 - We do not keep up with this metric
6. What percentage of your infants are supplemented without a medical indication of documentation in the chart? Charts may be counted in compliance if the mother request supplementation and the nurse provides education regarding the risks of supplementation. This education must be properly documented in the chart to be compliant.
- Less than 10%
 - 10%-30%
 - 31%-50%
 - 51%-70%
 - 71%-100%
 - We do not keep up with this metric
7. What percentage of your mothers and infants are together 23 out of 24 hours a day?
- Less than 10%
 - 10%-30%
 - 31%-50%
 - 51%-70%
 - 71%-100%
 - We do not keep up with this metric
8. What percentage of the mothers in your care are given education on Safe Sleep prior to discharge?
- Less than 10%
 - 10%-30%
 - 31%-50%
 - 51%-70%
 - 71%-100%
 - We do not keep up with this metric
9. Prior to discharge, what percentage of the mothers in your care are given a number to call if they are having breastfeeding problems after discharge and referred to a mothers' breastfeeding support group?
- Less than 10%
 - 10%-30%
 - 31%-50%
 - 51%-70%
 - 71%-100%
 - We do not keep up with this metric
10. Does your facility have a breastfeeding task force or perinatal review committee?
- Y
 - N