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Application for Recognition  
Oklahoma Breastfeeding  
Friendly Worksite



Our worksite meets or exceeds the following minimum criteria required for recognition as an Oklahoma Breastfeeding Friendly Worksite (**all criteria in this section must be checked**).

- Flexible break times for expression of milk
- A comfortable location allowing privacy for pumping, other than a toilet stall
- Access to a nearby clean water source and a sink for washing hands and rinsing out any breast pump equipment
- Written policy supporting breastfeeding that includes the above minimum requirements and a description of how all staff are informed of this policy  
**(Please attach your written policy)**

Additional options (3 necessary for designation as a Gold Star Employer – Please check all that apply)

- Access to a refrigerator for safe storage of milk
- Prenatal breastfeeding education
- Counseling by a lactation consultant as needed for women to breastfeed successfully
- Referrals to public/private community resources for special situations
- Education for all employees on the benefits of breastfeeding and company services available to support breastfeeding women
- Hospital-grade breast pump available for employee use

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Worksite Name	Contact Person's name and e-mail
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Address	City, State                      Zip
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Date	Phone                      Ext.

- If approved for Recognition as an Oklahoma Breastfeeding Friendly Worksite, I grant permission to include the name of our worksite on the Oklahoma State Department of Health Breastfeeding Information & Support website.

**The recognition period is for five years initially, with the option to renew by checklist confirmation.**

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Authorized Business Representative	Title

**Please fax, mail, or email a scanned completed application to:**  
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**Maternal & Child Health Service**  
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