# **HELPING BREASTFEEDING MOMS**

# FOLLOW THESE TIPS FOR NAVIGATING THE WORKPLACE AS A BREASTFEEDING MOTHER.



### **KNOW YOUR RIGHTS**

Know your rights: Federal law requires employers to provide reasonable break time for an employee to express their breastmilk for one year after the child's birth.



# **ACT EARLY**

Act early to educate yourself and your employer.



### **USE RESOURCES**

Use online resources like "Business Case for Breastfeeding" to help your employer understand the benefits of supporting breastfeeding mothers.



# **MAKE A PLAN**

Collaborate with your supervisor to establish a plan for pumping breaks before you even go on maternity leave.



# **DEPARTMENT OF LABOR**

If needed, you can find more information on the Guidelines by the Department of Labor here:

https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/nursing -mothers

### THERE ARE PLENTY OF WAYS TO PREPARE!

Find more at <a href="https://www.soulfirehealth.app/">https://www.soulfirehealth.app/</a>

