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Worksite Lactation Support for Employees

Purpose

To implement breastfeeding best practice policies to support WIC employees.

Authority

State Agency

Policy

WIC agencies shall be DSHS Mother-Friendly Worksite designated and maintain current designation at all times through the re-designation process.

Procedures

- I. The local agency (LA) shall become designated as a DSHS Mother-Friendly Worksite (MFW) by utilizing the online application process found at www.texasmotherfriendly.org.
- II. The LA shall maintain MFW-designation by following DSHS MFW re-designation procedures found at www.texasmotherfriendly.org.
- III. New LAs will have one year to become designated from the date of their initial WIC contract.

Guidelines

Information and requirements to become a Mother Friendly worksite may be found at: www.texasmotherfriendly.org