

FRANCISCAN LACTATION CONSULTANTS

Breastfeeding Support for You and Your Baby

For new mothers, breastfeeding is a skill that doesn't always come naturally and may take some learning.

That's where we can help.

Our staff members are registered nurses and educators who are certified as International Board Certified Lactation Consultants (IBCLC). We offer breastfeeding education, support and individualized consultations to all mothers who wish to breastfeed their infants—regardless of where they delivered their baby. Moms may contact us on their own, or their health care provider may refer them to us.

We are the South Sound's first choice in promoting, protecting and supporting breastfeeding!



SERVICES PROVIDED:

- Inpatient round at the Family Birth Centers at St. Joseph, St. Francis and Harrison Medical Center
- Individualized consultations with an RN by appointment
- 24-hour-message line: (253) 382-8580
- Breastfeeding supplies/accessories for purchase
- Breast pumps for rental or sale*
- VISA, MasterCard, Discover and American Express accepted
- Free delivery inside Franciscan Health System

LOCATIONS:

ST. JOSEPH MEDICAL PAVILION
1802 S. Yakima, Suite 201
Tacoma, WA 98405

ST. FRANCIS MEDICAL PAVILION
34503 Ninth Ave S., Suite 320
Federal Way, WA 98003

ST. ELIZABETH HOSPITAL
1455 Battersby Ave.
Enumclaw, WA 98022

HIGHLINE MEDICAL CENTER
16251 Sylvester Road SW
Burien, WA 98166

HARRISON MEDICAL CENTER
1800 NW Myhre Road
Silverdale, WA 98383

CONTACT:

Phone: 253-382-8580

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** Breast pumps may be billed to insurance under the Affordable Care Act (see back page for more details)*

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Does Your Insurance Plan Cover Breast Pumps?

Do you need a breast pump for returning to work or school? Under the Affordable Care Act, many insurance companies are covering breast pumps at no cost to the new mother.

Under the Affordable Care Act, pregnant and post partum women have access to lactation support, counseling and the purchase of a breast pump.

Each insurance plan has various member benefits, so it is important to follow the coverage of your individual insurance plan. Some insurance companies have to contact an in-network provider for Durable Medical Equipment (DME) benefits.

If you choose to go to an out-of-network provider, the insurance company may not pay the full amount and you will be responsible for any additional costs.

The Franciscan Lactation Consultants rent, sell and bill insurance plans for breast pumps. Please call the office and find out if your plan qualifies under the Affordable Care Act.

Some of the questions you may ask your insurance company:

- Does my plan cover Durable Medical Equipment?
- Does my plan cover a rental breast pump? code E0604
- Does my plan cover a personal electric breast pump? code E0603
- Does my plan require a prescription?
- Does my plan require prior authorization?
- Is St. Joseph Medical Center an in-network provider?
- Does my plan cover preventative women's care services under the Affordable Care Act?