

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mother's Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State/Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Preferred method of communication: Call home / Call cell / Email /Text  
Mother's OB/Midwife: \_\_\_\_\_  
Medical Group Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

Baby's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Baby's Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth weight: \_\_\_\_\_  
Gestational age at birth: \_\_\_\_\_ wks Age today: \_\_\_\_\_  
Birth hospital/location \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of last pediatric visit: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of next scheduled pediatric visit: \_\_\_\_\_  
Baby's Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Baby's Pediatrician: \_\_\_\_\_  
Medical Group Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

**In your own words, describe the reason for this visit and what you have tried, if anything, to resolve the issue(s) of concern:** \_\_\_\_\_

## FAMILY HISTORY

**Does anyone on either side of the baby's family have any of the following?**

- Allergies to food; list food: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Environmental allergies     Asthma     Eczema  
 Hay fever     Diabetes     Genetic disease  
 Thyroid disease     Other \_\_\_\_\_

**What age were you when you had your first menstrual period?** \_\_\_\_\_

- Regular  Irregular

**Do you smoke?**  Yes  No If yes, how often? \_\_\_\_\_

**Was this your first pregnancy?**  Yes  No

If no, how many pregnancies have you had? \_\_\_\_\_

How many children? \_\_\_\_\_

**How long did you breastfeed your other child(ren)?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Any difficulties getting pregnant?**  Yes  No

If fertility medications used, name of medication: \_\_\_\_\_

**If you are using hormonal birth control, what are you taking and how old was your baby when you started?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you currently on maternity leave?**  Yes  No

**Will you be returning to work/school?**

- No  Not sure  Yes, full time  Yes, part time

Profession: \_\_\_\_\_ Returning to work when baby is \_\_\_\_\_ weeks old

## PREGNANCY AND BIRTH HISTORY

**Are you taking any of the following?**

- Prenatal vitamins     Iron     Antihistamines  
 Cold remedies     Antibiotics     Birth control pills  
 Pain medication; name, dose, frequency: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Supplement to increase milk supply; name, dose, frequency: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Have you ever had any of the following problems or procedures related to your breasts?**

- Biopsy (side and year \_\_\_\_\_)  
 Lumpectomy (side and year \_\_\_\_\_)  
 Implants (year \_\_\_\_\_)  
 Breast surgery (year \_\_\_\_\_)  
 Nipple problems: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other surgeries or injuries to the chest area \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you presently have or have you ever had any of the following?**

- Anemia     Diabetes     Thyroid disorders  
 Depression     Sexual abuse     Eating disorder  
 Polycystic ovarian syndrome  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Did you have any of the following during this pregnancy?**

- Premature labor     Gestational diabetes     High blood pressure  
 Severe nausea/ vomiting     Anemia     Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Did you have any of the following during this labor and delivery?**

- Premature rupture of membranes  
 Medications to control pain  
 Medications to control high blood pressure  
 Epidural  
 Antibiotics  
 Medications to induce or speed labor (if so, how long during labor was this drug administered? \_\_\_\_\_ hours)  
 Hemorrhage or excessive blood loss requiring transfusion (if so, how much blood was lost? \_\_\_\_\_)  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**What type of delivery did you have with this birth?**

- Vaginal     Forceps     Vacuum  
 Unplanned cesarean birth; reason: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Planned cesarean birth; reason: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Induction; reason: \_\_\_\_\_

**Did you have any of the following with this birth?**

- Total labor longer than 30 hours     Episiotomy or tear  
 Pushing stage longer than 2 hours     Breech presentation  
 Tear that involved the rectum (3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> degree laceration)  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Did you experience postpartum complications?**

- Urinary/ other infections
- High blood pressure
- Excessive bleeding or hemorrhaging
- Other \_\_\_\_\_
- Low blood pressure
- Retained placenta

**Gestational age of your baby at birth?** \_\_\_\_\_ weeks

**Did your baby have any of the following after birth?**

- Breathing difficulties
- Suctioning for meconium
- Other \_\_\_\_\_
- Low blood sugar
- Jaundice (highest bili level \_\_\_\_\_)

**BREASTFEEDING HISTORY**

**Does your baby have any known health problems?**  Yes  No

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**Is your baby currently on any medications?**  Yes  No

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**What is your baby's most common state?**

- Sleeping/ sleepy
- Fussy
- Quiet alert/ calm
- Crying

**Is your baby waking on his/ her own for feeding?**

- All feedings
- Some feedings
- Most feedings
- Must wake for all feedings

**Pacifier use:**

- None
- Rarely
- Sometimes
- Often

**Number of diapers in the last 24 hours:** \_\_\_\_\_

Wet: \_\_\_\_\_ Stools: \_\_\_\_\_ Color of stools: \_\_\_\_\_

**Where is your baby sleeping at night?**

- His/ her own room
- Co-sleeper
- On top of my chest while I sit/ lie in my \_\_\_\_\_ bed  couch  recliner
- Crib/ bassinet next to my bed
- In my bed

**Did you take a prenatal breastfeeding class?**  Yes  No

If yes, where? \_\_\_\_\_

**Bra size before pregnancy?** \_\_\_\_\_ Now? \_\_\_\_\_

**Breast changes since the birth?**

- Hard/ engorged
- No changes
- Heavy
- Day milk "came in:" \_\_\_\_\_ days postpartum
- Warm
- Leaking

**Did a lactation consultant assess breastfeeding before hospital discharge?**

- Yes
- No

If yes, please share what you were told about how your baby was breastfeeding  
\_\_\_\_\_

**How old was your baby when you first realized that you were having breastfeeding difficulties?** \_\_\_\_\_

**If your baby is not breastfeeding for every feeding, main reason why:**

- Nipple pain/ injury
- Other \_\_\_\_\_
- Baby can't latch
- Baby refuses breast

**In the past 24 hours, how many times has your baby been fed?** \_\_\_\_\_

**How many of these feedings were at the breast?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you letting your baby finish one breast before offering the second breast?**

- Yes
- No, I switch after \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

**Is your baby receiving supplements?**

- No
- Yes, breastmilk
- Yes, formula

**If so, how is your baby supplemented?**

- At breast with a feeding tube
- Bottle (type of bottle: \_\_\_\_\_)
- Finger feeding
- Cup feeding

**If you are pumping, what type of pump are you using?**

- Manual
- Hospital rental
- Electric double/ single: brand: \_\_\_\_\_

**How much milk are you expressing?** \_\_\_\_\_ oz. Per session

**Does one breast produce significantly more milk than the other?**

- Yes, right
- Yes, left
- No

**Has your baby ever had any formula?**

- Yes
- No

If yes, please describe when your baby was first given formula and why it was given: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**If your baby receiving is formula regularly:**

Brand \_\_\_\_\_ Amount given at each feeding: \_\_\_\_\_

Total ounces a day: \_\_\_\_\_

- Giving bottles instead of breast
- Using an at-breast supplementer
- Giving bottles after breastfeeding

**Do you have support at home with baby care?**  Yes  No

**Is your family supportive of breastfeeding?**  Yes  No

They claim to be but make negative comments; if so, how are you handling this situation?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Have you attended a La Leche League or hospital-based moms group meeting?**

- Yes
- No

**If you have received help from another lactation consultant or breastfeeding helper, please share any of the information already received; describe what helped and what did not:**  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**What are your breastfeeding goals?**  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Is there anything else you want me to know?**  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_