Breastfeeding Buzz

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Champs 2019 Conference
CHAMPS invites all Mississippi CHAMPS hospitals and their community partners to learn, collaborate, network, and share experiences at its annual conference. This year’s CHAMPS conference will take place October 30, 2019 from 8:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. at the Clyde Muse Center in Pearl, MS. The conference will feature keynote presentations by Janet Calvert, Health and Social Wellbeing Improvement Manager at the Public Health Agency; Dr. Blayne Sayed, Associate Professor at the University of Toronto; and Casey Bland, Provider Quality Coordinator at BlueCross BlueShield of Mississippi. Reaching Our Sisters Everywhere will host a parent panel. Breakout sessions will help facilities attain Baby-Friendly Designations and beyond! CHAMPS will provide a limited number of hotel waivers to facilities traveling from significant distances. For those who do not qualify, but need to reserve a room, use the code CMP at the Home 2 Suites in Flowood for a discount. CHAMPS is awarding a free hotel room to the first hospital to register.

The Milk Run 5K
The Mothers’ Milk Bank of Mississippi’s Sixth Annual Milk Run 5K Run & Walk will be September 21, 2019 with check-in and walk-up registration from 7:00 a.m. to 7:45 a.m. at the Flowood Nature Park. The 5K begins at 8:00 a.m. and the walk begins at 8:05 a.m. More information and pre-registration are available at https://raceroster.com/events/2019/22115/2019-milk-run-5k-run-and-walk?fbclid=IwAR3MrCpB97xzK2mxuRHIjZwDusRNgVK9vnpT75-OKnqH-YBRQgZsNaSA. Dogs, infants, and children are welcome. Sponsors include: Raising Cane’s #019, Kendra Scott, Fleet Feet Jackson, Time 4 Toys, The Little Gym of Jackson, Mississippi Children’s Museum, and Mangia Bene Restaurant Management Group Inc.

Free Education
September 16
1:00 – 2:30 p.m. NAACHO Webinar: Knitting a Lactation Safety Net: Marshaling Resources to Serve Communities. Register at https://naccho.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_M38C_TUWSTmj/9mK2Yiozg

September 18
1:00 – 2:00 p.m. Medela Webinar: Own Mother’s Milk Economic Calculator: Quantifying the Value of Own Mother’s Milk for Very Low Birth Weight Infants. Register at http://www.medelabreastfeedingus.com/professionals/Education/Programs/List/Format/2

September 19
1:00 – 2:00 p.m. USBC Power Tools for Coalitions’ Webinar Series. Register at https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/1354496437132101122

September 24
1:00 – 2:30 p.m. USBC Racial Equity Webinar Series. Register at https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/81755473508246130

Breastfeeding Classes

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Breastfeeding Support

WIC’s Breastfeeding Program
601-981-2304

Mississippi Lactation Services, Dr. Christina Glick, M.D.
601-932-6455

The Infant Risk Center
806-352-2519 Dr. Thomas Hale’s helpline for medications information

Merit Health Woman’s Hospital Lactation Center
601-933-6180 or 601-933-6493

Group Support

SIPPS Baby Café - Thursdays
11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at Mississippi Urban League

Mother & Baby Time - Tuesdays
10:00 a.m. to 12:00 a.m. at Merit Health River Region Hospital

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