



The ACA's Effect on Breastfeeding

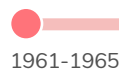
In 2020, only 40% of women had access to both break time and private space to breastfeed.

The ACA requires large employers to provide reasonable break time and private place for expressing milk, and the ACA mandates insurance coverage for lactation support services and equipment at no cost.

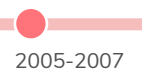
Breastfeeding has increased from 74% in 2008 to over 80% in 2018.

74% of women of childbearing age are in the labor force

16.8% of first time moms returned to work within a year



63.8% of first time moms returned to work within a year



Women who returned to work postpartum reported...

had access to adequate break time to express milk

59%

45%

had private space

40%

had both

With adequate break time and private space, moms are...

2.3x

times as likely to breastfeed for 6 months

1.5x

times as likely to continue with each passing month

Breastfeeding Rates

The CDC tracks our nation's progress on achieving the Healthy People 2020 goals. 83.2% of babies born in 2015 started to breastfeed, but only 24.9% of babies were exclusively breastfed through 6 months. - The American Academy of Pediatrics recommendation

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There has been an astounding 1000% more moms that have received a breast pump in 2018 compared to 2014.

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