SURVEY DATA HIGHLIGHTS NEED FOR

Increased Access to Breastfeeding Support

Findings from a July 2022 survey by Aeroflow Breastpumps suggest that broadened access to lactation services through insurance coverage and employer benefits would enable moms across the country to more easily meet or exceed their breastfeeding goals.

IN THE WORKPLACE

For employed new and expectant moms...



62%

were provided access to lactation services as part of company benefits

would consider changing jobs for a company that offers better breastfeeding resources and services



LACK OF AWARENESS

The percentage of new and expectant moms who believe there is not enough awareness surrounding the existence of lactation support services.

RESOURCES & CONSULTING

63%

of new moms believe that increased access to breastfeeding resources would've allowed them to breastfeed longer

47% of new and expectant moms surveyed reported that their health insurance provides coverage for lactation consulting (less than half)

Survey findings from pregnant women who are planning to breastfeed (n=804) and new moms with children under two (n=856) who were or still are breastfeeding. Survey conducted by a third-party administrator, Survey Monkey.

OBSTACLES

Among new moms who are no longer breastfeeding...

50%

quit due to preventable breastfeeding complications

24%

had to stop breastfeeding when they returned to work

LOOKING FORWARD

Now, due to the ongoing nationwide formula shortage...



of new moms are planning to breastfeed for a longer period of time



of new moms are more motivated to use lactation support services



