

Breastfeeding Assessment Algorithm
A Public Health Nurse and Primary Care Physician Partnership



Public Health Nurse (PHN) or Lactation Consultant (LC) identifies need for physician assessment.

Complete referral form

Where does the family live?

Fax referral form depending on where family lives or access preference.

Book emergent/urgent/semi-urgent, Monday – Friday.
 (Saturday, Westglen Medical)

CFPCN
North West

Mosaic PCN
North East

SCPCN
South East

CWCPCN
South West

Riley Park Maternity Clinic
 F: 403-284-7977
 P: 403-284-3711 ext 6
 # 130, 1402 8 Ave NW

Well Fed Breastfeeding Clinic
 F: 587-387-2918
 P: 403-513-7415
 M009 2675 36 St NE

Circle Medical Clinic
 F: 403-726-0579
 P: 403-726-0524
 #123, 15566 McIvor Blvd SE

Westglen Medical Center
 F: 403-240-4670
 P: 403-240-2221
 #108, 30 Springborough Blvd. SW

Medical clinic to book mom and baby for emergent/urgent/semi-urgent consult appointment, and clinic to fax appointment confirmation (date & time) to Public Health
 Use fax number provided on referral form

Baby seen by medical clinic.
 If anterior frenotomy required, please hand out
 Does My Baby Have a Tongue Tie?
 (#608138)

YES

NO

Physician completes report of visit with follow-up recommendations. Fax report to family physician and Public Health. Please indicate in Recommendations section of PHN/LC if follow-up visit is required.

Report faxed back to referring Public Health indicating reason why:

- Client no-show
- Other

PHN/LC phone mother to follow-up if physician has indicated the need to do so. Book appointment, if needed.