

Table Shells

Table Shell 1: Indicators of practices that support breastfeeding in maternity care facility X compared to other maternity care facilities in the U.S.

	Score for maternity care facility X	Mean score for maternity care facilities with 301-1500 births in previous year	Mean score for all non-profit maternity care facilities	Mean score for all urban maternity care facilities	Mean score all state X maternity care facilities	Mean score all U.S. maternity care facilities
Mother's prenatal instruction						
Initiating breastfeeding after vaginal birth						
Initiating breastfeeding after c-section birth						
Breastfeeding instruction						
Supplementation						
Rooming-In						
Feeding schedules						
Pacifiers						
Hospital discharge						
Hospital policy						

Table Shell 2: Cardinal characteristics of hospitals

	Number of hospitals responding to question	Mean (95%CI)
Number of obstetric beds		
Number of live births		
Percentage of births that were delivered by c-section		
Percentage of laboring women given epidurals		
Percentage of laboring women receiving medication to speed up labor		

Table Shell 3: Nominal characteristics of hospitals

	Percentage of hospitals (95% CI)
Urban	
Rural	
<u>Hospital Ownership</u>	
Not for profit	
For profit	
Government owned	
Military	
Teaching hospital	
Not teaching hospital	
<u>Highest level of neonatal care</u>	
Healthy newborn	
Special care (Level 1 or Level 2 NICU)	
Intensive care (Level 3 NICU)	

Table Shell 4: Extent to which hospitals implement breastfeeding-related maternity care practices

	Mean Score	Percentage of hospitals (95% Confidence Interval)		
		Low	Medium	High
<u>Mother's prenatal instruction</u>				
<u>Initiating breastfeeding after vaginal birth</u>				
<u>Initiating breastfeeding after c-section birth</u>				
<u>Breastfeeding instruction</u>				
<u>Supplementation</u>				
<u>Rooming-In</u>				
<u>Feeding schedules</u>				
<u>Pacifiers</u>				
<u>Hospital discharge</u>				
<u>Staff instruction & Personnel</u>				
<u>Hospital policy</u>				

Table Shell 5: Indicators by state and region

<u>State & Region</u>	Mean score			
	<u>Mother's prenatal instruction</u>	<u>Initiating breastfeeding after vaginal birth</u>	<u>Initiating breastfeeding after c-section birth</u>	<u>Breastfeeding instruction</u>
Alabama				
Alaska				
Arizona				
Arkansas				
California				
Colorado				
Connecticut				
Delaware				
District Of Columbia				
Florida				
Georgia				
Hawaii				
Idaho				
Illinois				
Indiana				
Iowa				
Kansas				
Kentucky				
Louisiana				
Maine				
Maryland				
Massachusetts				
Michigan				
Minnesota				
Mississippi				
Missouri				
Montana				
Nebraska				
Nevada				
New Hampshire				
New Jersey				
New Mexico				
New York				
North Carolina				
North Dakota				
Ohio				
Oklahoma				

<u>State & Region</u>	Mean score			
	<u>Mother's prenatal instruction</u>	<u>Initiating breastfeeding after vaginal birth</u>	<u>Initiating breastfeeding after c-section birth</u>	<u>Breastfeeding instruction</u>
Oregon				
Pennsylvania				
Rhode Island				
South Carolina				
South Dakota				
Tennessee				
Texas				
Utah				
Vermont				
Virginia				
Washington				
West Virginia				
Wisconsin				
Wyoming				
<u>American Samoa</u>				
<u>Micronesia</u>				
<u>Guam</u>				
<u>Northern Mariana Islands</u>				
<u>Midway Islands</u>				
<u>Puerto Rico</u>				
<u>U.S. Virgin Islands</u>				
<u>U.S. Total</u>				
<u>Census Tract 1</u>				
<u>Census Tract 2</u>				
<u>Census Tract 3</u>				
<u>Census Tract 4</u>				
<u>Census Tract 5</u>				
<u>Census Tract 6</u>				
<u>Census Tract 7</u>				
<u>Census Tract 8</u>				
<u>Census Tract 9</u>				
<u>Census Tract 10</u>				

Table Shell 6: Content of hospital policies

	Percentage of hospitals (95% Confidence Interval)
formal in-service training programs for hospital staff	
prenatal classes informing mothers of the benefits of breastfeeding	
asking about mothers' feeding plans	
initiating breastfeeding within 60 minutes after uncomplicated vaginal birth	
initiating breastfeeding after recovery for births by uncomplicated cesarean section	
showing mothers how to express breast milk and maintain lactation should they be separated from their infants	
giving breastfed infants food or drink other than breast milk	
24-hour/day rooming-in	
breastfeeding on-demand and duration and frequency of individual feedings	
use of pacifiers by breastfed infants	
referral of mothers with breastfeeding problems to appropriate resources (e.g. lactation consultant/specialist, community support group, medical provider, WIC Program)	
referral of mothers to appropriate community breastfeeding resources upon discharge	

Table Shell 7. Extent to which hospitals implement breastfeeding-related maternity care practices by number of births in previous year

Extent to which hospitals implement breastfeeding-related maternity care practices:			
	Percentage of hospitals (95% Confidence Interval)		
	Low	Medium	High
<u>Mother's prenatal instruction</u> < 300 births in previous year 301-1500 births in previous year >1500 births in previous year			
Initiating breastfeeding after vaginal birth < 300 births in previous year 301-1500 births in previous year >1500 births in previous year			
Initiating breastfeeding after c-section birth < 300 births in previous year 301-1500 births in previous year >1500 births in previous year			
Breastfeeding instruction < 300 births in previous year 301-1500 births in previous year >1500 births in previous year			
Supplementation < 300 births in previous year 301-1500 births in previous year >1500 births in previous year			
Rooming-In < 300 births in previous year 301-1500 births in previous year >1500 births in previous year			
Feeding schedules < 300 births in previous year 301-1500 births in previous year >1500 births in previous year			
Pacifiers < 300 births in previous year 301-1500 births in previous year >1500 births in previous year			
Hospital discharge < 300 births in previous year 301-1500 births in previous year >1500 births in previous year			
Staff instruction & Personnel < 300 births in previous year 301-1500 births in previous year >1500 births in previous year			
Hospital policy < 300 births in previous year 301-1500 births in previous year >1500 births in previous year			

Table Shell 8 Percentage of hospitals (95%CI) providing training to new maternity care staff nurses by geographic location of hospital

Geographic location of hospital	Extent of training provided to new maternity care nurses		
	<4 hours	5-18 hours	18+ hours
Urban			
Rural			
Size of hospital			
<300 births in previous year			
301-1500 births in prev. year			
>1500 births in previous year			
Hospital ownership			
Not for profit			
For profit			
Government owned			
Military			
Teaching hospital			
Yes			
No			