

STEPPING UP YOUR BABY FRIENDLY GAME







Building Momentum
Through Partnerships



AAP STATEMENT

"Breastfeeding and human milk are the normative standards for infant feeding and nutrition. Given the documented short~ and long-term medical and neurodevelopmental advantages of breastfeeding, infant nutrition should be considered a public health issue and not only a lifestyle choice"



Lactation Care Center - Dallas

WIC Lactation Resource and Training Center

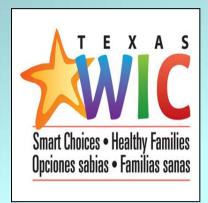
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Baby-Friendly USA
The gold standard of care

HOSPITAL PEER COUNSELOR PROGRAM

| 1994 | Parkland Memorial | Parkland |
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| 2000 | Methodist Dallas | Methodist DALLAS MEDICAL CENTER |
| 2000 | Methodist Charlton | Methodist CHARLTON MEDICAL CENTER |
| 2006 | Mesquite Community | Mesquite Community Hospital |
| 2007 | Baylor Irving | BAYLOR Medical Center at Irving |
| 2009 | Doctors Hospital | DOCTORS HOSPITAL at white rock lake |
| 2014 | Clements Hospital | William P. Clements Jr. University Hospital |



Challenge Defined

Baby Friendly Hospital Initiative – Step Two

"Train all health care staff in skills necessary to implement policy."



Planning

Goal:

- ☐ To provide at least 3 hours of hands on experience for staff that met the requirements for *Baby Friendly*
- ☐ Workshop format
- ☐ Initially ~ 1000 nurses targeted
- ☐ Share resources



Timeline

Spring 2013

- Initiated Planning
- WIC, PHHS, MHS

Sept 2013

- Started trainings
- 4 sessions/month

Lessons Learned

Summer 2013

- CEU approval
- Create DVD
- Meeting 2~3 times/month

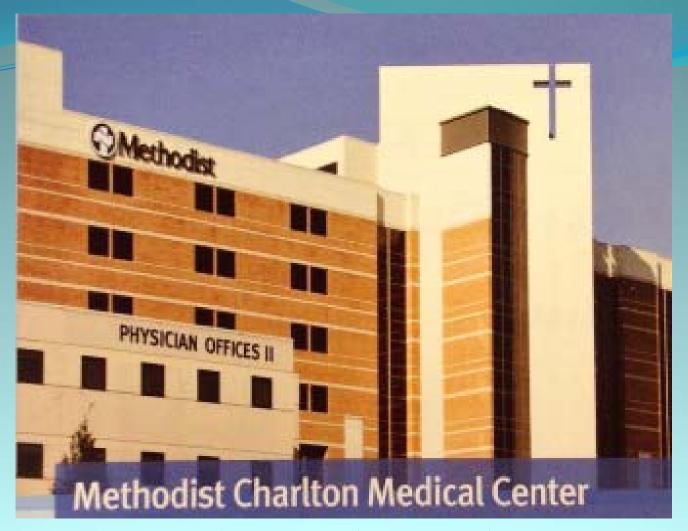
Since then

- Presentations at: USBC, TX Star Achiever, NICHQ
- Replication of training modules in other states!



Six Content Areas

- ☐ Safe skin to skin care
- ☐ Hand expression
- ☐ Use of breast pumps
- ☐ Position and latch assessment
- ☐ Supplementation
- ☐ Positive messaging



Where Life Shines Bright



Mentoring Facility



Dissemination Phase

WIC Peer Counselors



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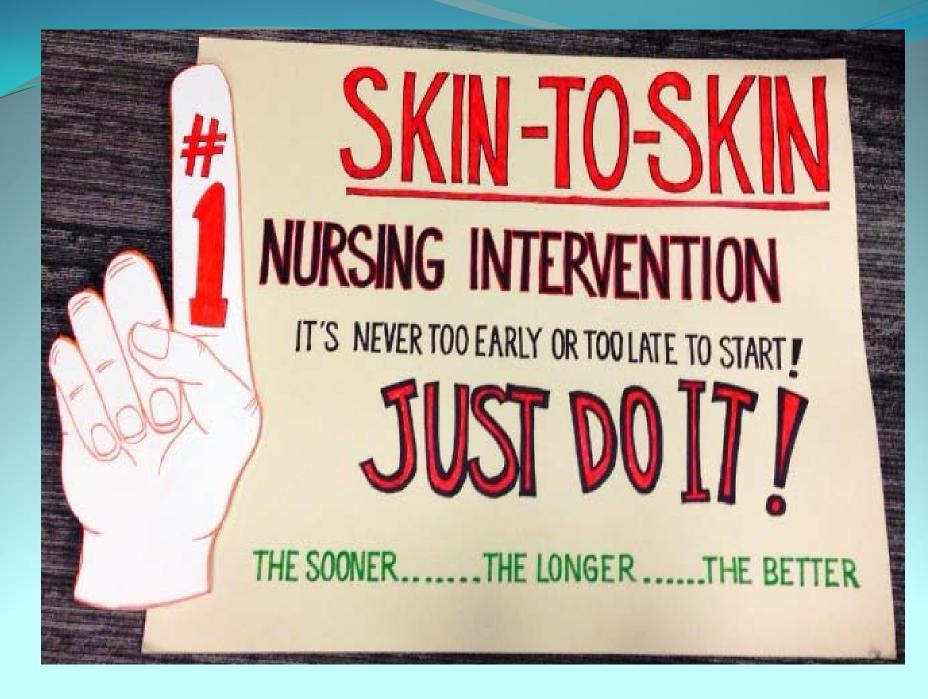














Skin-to-Skin

- □Define various terms used for skinto-skin
- □Stress safe skin-to-skin positioning
- □ Define Sudden Unexpected Postnatal Collapse (SUPC)
- □5 Criteria for SUPC
- □Risk Factors for SUPC



Skin-to-Skin

- □Students demo safe STS
- □Critique pictures of babies STS
- ☐ Used principles of "The Magical Hour"
- "Growing Your Baby's Brain" by Dr.
 Nils Bergman
- □Dr. Susan Ludington & USIKC website

Practicing Safe Skin to Skin



SAFE POSITIONING FOR SKIN-TO-SKIN



- FACE CAN BE SEEN
 HEAD IS IN SNIFFING POSITION
 NOSE * MOUTH ARE NOT COVERED
 HEAD IS TURNED TO ONE SIDE
 NECK IS STRAIGHT, NOT BENT
 SHOULDERS ARE FLAT AGAINST MOM
 CHEST-TO-CHEST WITH MOM
 LEGS ARE FLEXED
 A LITTLE UPRIGHT, NOT FLAT, IN
 BED OR CHAIR
- ☐ COVER BACK WITH BLANKETS
 ☐ BOTH ARE WATCHED WHEN SLEEPING
 ☐ BABY IS BEING MONITORED

IF NO ONE CAN WATCH YOU AND YOUR BABY AFTER FEEDINGS AND WHEN SLEEP IS LIKELY, PUT YOUR BABY ON THEIR BACK IN THE BABY'S OWN FIRM BED



Hand Expression

- ☐ Describe benefits of hand expression
- ☐ Review literature citing increase in milk volume when using hand expression at the end of pumping session
- ☐ Describe effective steps to hand expression



Hand Expression

- ☐ Describe and demonstrate "hands~ on~pumping"
- ☐ Each participant performed hand expression with a hand expression model
- ☐ Provided links to video clips of Jane Morton's demonstration of hand expression and hand's-on-pumping

Hand Expression







Position & Latch





Position and Latch

- ☐ Define aspects of an asymmetrical latch
- ☐ Signs of successful milk transfer for infant/mother
- ☐ Review positive messaging for assisting breastfeeding couplet
- ☐ Discuss common latch challenges



Position and Latch

- ☐ Observe pictures of proper position and latch
- ☐ Demonstrate position and latch with a doll
- ☐ Role play with participants and dolls
- ☐ Review LATCHES documentation tool

Parkland Health & Hospital System





Supplementation Tools





Supplementation

Evidence-based care

- ☐ Step 5: Show mothers how ... to maintain lactation, even if they are separated from their infants
- ☐ Step 6: Give the newborn infant no food or drink other that breast milk, unless medically indicated
- ☐ Step 9: No artificial nipples



What to Use and How?

What?

- ☐ Mother's milk
- ☐ Banked milk
- Formula

Other Tools

- □ Nipple shields
- ☐ Breast shells

How?

- ☐ Supplemental nursing system (SNS)
- □ Cup feeding
- ☐ Finger feeding
- ☐ Syringe
- ☐ Finger~syringe feeding
- ☐ Spoon
- □ Bottle



Reasons to Supplement

Infant Issues

- Baby unable to achieve an effective latch
 - ☐ Prematurity
 - ☐ Poor tone
 - ☐ Anatomical abnormalities
 - ☐ Fussy/ Sleepy
- ☐ Medically baby cannot breast feed
 - ☐ Galactosemia

Maternal Issues

- Illness
 - ☐ Too sick
 - □ Radiation therapy
 - ☐ Certain medications
- ☐ Infectious diseases
 - ☐ Active or untreated TB, HtLV ~1, HIV
- ☐ Illicit drug use
- ☐ History of some breast surgeries
- ☐ Non~glandular breast development



Breast Pumps

- ☐ Verbalize reasons for mother/baby separation
- ☐ Reasons for the use of manual & electric breast pumps
- □ Review set~up and use of manual, single~user and hospital grade pumps



Breast Pumps

- ☐ Hands~on interactive practice assembling manual and electric pumps
- ☐ Participants identify proper uses for hospital grade, single~user and manual pumps
- □Shown various flange sizes and how to ensure proper fit

Hands-on Training















The Power of Positive Messaging





Positive Messaging

- ☐ Stress that change is hard for staff, patients and providers
- ☐ Use concrete examples
- ☐ Discuss "new" ways of talking to patients and peers
- ☐ Role Play/Problem Solve



LOVE Technique

- □ L ~ Listen
- □ O~ Observe
- □ V~ Validate
- □ E~ Educate,

Empower, Encourage







Baby-Friendly Designation February 10, 2015!!!



Successes

- □ 1500 participants
- ☐ Increased visibility of Hospital Peer Counselor Program
- ☐ Increased exclusive breastfeeding rates in the partnering hospitals
- ☐ Reaching beyond Dallas

















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