



Breastfeeding Awareness Month

August 2019 is World Breastfeeding Month! Check out all New Jersey has to offer.



World Breastfeeding Week August 1-7

Chocolate Milk Screening
August 1, 5:00-7:30 pm
(5pm Dinner, 6pm Screening/Discussion)
Ferry Avenue Library
852 Ferry Avenue, Camden, NJ

Camden is among 200 locations across the US to host a special screening of the documentary *Chocolate Milk*. The film is a true portrait of African American women's breastfeeding experiences. Dinner provided. Discussion to follow.

** To attend, you must reserve your seat by calling 856-668-4435. Space is limited. Admission on first come, first served basis.

Empower Parents Enable Breastfeeding

August 1, 11:00 am-2:00 pm
University Hospital Cafeteria
150 Bergen St, Newark, NJ 07103

Interactive education, resource information table, prizes!

** For more information please call 973-972-6868.

Camden Celebrates Breastfeeding Festival

August 3, 2:00-5:00 pm
DARE Academy
1656 Kaighn Avenue, Camden, NJ

A fun and free celebration for the entire family. Enjoy refreshments, raffles, kid friendly activities and mini-workshops. Learn the truth behind breastfeeding myths, self-advocacy skills and how family members play an important role in breastfeeding success.

** For more information please call 856-365-0302.



The Global Big Latch On!

August 3, 9:00 am-10:30 am
672 Martin Luther King Blvd,
Newark, NJ 07103

Come join us for the *Leaguers Annual Breast Fest* in combination with our wellness and recruitment fair.

Overcome. Nourish. Empower. Photoshoot.

August 3, Noon-3:00 pm
Wiggins Waterfront Park,
Riverside Drive, Camden, NJ

Join a group photograph to show the vast support for breastfeeding moms. Women of color who are breastfeeding or have breastfed in the past 3 years are invited to be part of this exclusive O.N.E. photograph. To instill unity, please wear earth toned or skin toned clothing. Refreshments provided. Transportation help available. Text 856-236-8822 to confirm participation.

** We will meet next to the Camden Children's Garden.



Empower Parents Enable Breastfeeding

August 6, 10:00 am-12:00 pm
Ambulatory Care Center
140 Bergen St, Newark, NJ 07103

Panel discussion with community leaders and interactive patient education.

** For more information please call 973-972-6868.

Chocolate Milk: The Documentary

August 24, 1:00-4:00 pm
Shani Baraka Women's Resource Center, 300 Clinton Ave,
Newark, NJ 07108

Chocolate Milk examines how the socioeconomic factors of race and sex influence breastfeeding rates for black mothers in America. The film is a true portrait of African American women's breastfeeding experiences.

** For more information please call 973-757-7377.



Breastfeeding Celebration

August 21, 11:00 am-2:00 pm

The Children's Home Society Anchor Family Success Center, 101 Prosper Way, Unit 10, Brick, NJ 08723

Come and celebrate breastfeeding month! Enjoy education materials and support, refreshments, raffles and so much more! Don't miss out on this free event!

** For more information please call 609-695-6274.

CJFHC Healthy Women, Healthy Families: Chocolate Milk Screening

August 23, Noon-2:00 pm

2 King Arthur Court B, North Brunswick Township, NJ 08902

Join Central Jersey Family Health Consortium for a free screening of *Chocolate Milk*.

** RSVP to Rarthur@cjhc.org by August 20.



Black Breastfeeding Week August 25-31

Black Breastfeeding Week Newark

August 31

The Priory, 233 W Market St, Newark, NJ 07103

Celebrate your breastfeeding success with a community that gets you! This year's theme is #loveontop. This event will empower black families with the tools necessary to be successful in their breastfeeding journey from start to finish! Highlights of the event include breastfeeding friendly fashion show, games, prizes, kids station, giveaways and more!

** Visit blackbreastfeedingweek.org for more information.

For more information visit our website nj.gov/health or call 609-984-1384.

