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### **Australian National 24-hour breastfeeding helpline**

The Federal Minister for Health and Ageing, Nicola Roxon, recently launched a national toll-free 24-hour helpline to provide support with breastfeeding information. The Commonwealth Government has provided \$2.5 million to help establish and run the service, as well as a further \$1.8 million to help train breastfeeding counsellors. The helpline - 1800 MUM 2 MUM - is staffed by volunteers for the Australian Breastfeeding Association (<http://www.breastfeeding.asn.au/>)  
<http://www.health.gov.au/internet/ministers/publishing.nsf/Content/mr-yr09-nr-nr032.htm>

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### **Legislation on parental leave and breastfeeding break.**

<http://www.ers.dol.govt.nz/parentalleave/infantfeeding.html>

<http://www.ers.govt.nz/relationships/breaks.html>.

*from Jim Akre...*

### **Infant and young child feeding: Model Chapter for textbooks for medical students and allied health professionals**

The Model Chapter on Infant and Young Child Feeding is intended for use in basic training of health professionals. It describes essential knowledge and basic skills that every health professional who works with mothers and young children should master. The Model Chapter can be used by teachers and students as a complement to textbooks or as a concise reference manual.

<http://www.who.int/nutrition/publications/infantfeeding/9789241597494/en/index.html>

The latest **Medications and More** monthly e-zine can be found at

<http://www.ibreastfeeding.com/currentnewsletter.pdf>

*from the journals...*

### **[Guidelines to improve maternity practices and support breast-feeding are readily available.](#)**

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**The relationship between infant-feeding outcomes and postpartum depression: a qualitative systematic review.**

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Pediatrics. 2009 Apr;123(4):e736-51.

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**Mothers' infant feeding experiences: constraints and supports for optimal feeding in an HIV-impacted urban community in South Africa.**

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