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Application for Recognition
Oklahoma Breastfeeding Friendly Worksite

Our worksite meets or exceeds the following minimum criteria required for recognition as an Oklahoma Breastfeeding Friendly Worksite (all criteria in this section must be checked).

- ☐ Flexible break times for expression of milk.
- ☐ A comfortable location allowing privacy for pumping, other than a toilet stall.
- ☐ Access to a nearby clean water source and a sink for washing hands and rinsing out any breast pump equipment.
- ☐ Written policy supporting breastfeeding that includes the above minimum requirements.

Describe how all staff are informed of this policy: and attach your written policy.

Additional options (3 necessary for designation as a Gold Star Employer – Please check all that apply)

- ☐ Access to a refrigerator for safe storage of milk
- ☐ Prenatal breastfeeding education
- ☐ Counseling by a lactation consultant as needed for employees to breastfeed successfully
- ☐ Referrals to public/private community resources for special situations
- ☐ Education for all employees on the benefits of breastfeeding and company services available to support breastfeeding employees
- ☐ Hospital-grade breast pump available for employee use

Worksite Name _____ Contact Person's name and e-mail (please print) _____

Physical Address _____ City, State _____ Zip _____

Date _____ Phone _____ Ext. _____

☐ If approved for Recognition as an Oklahoma Breastfeeding Friendly Worksite, I grant permission to include the name of our worksite on the Oklahoma State Department of Health Breastfeeding Information & Support website.

The recognition period is for five years initially, with the option to renew by checklist confirmation.

Signature of Authorized Business Representative _____ Title _____

Please fax, mail, or email a scanned completed application to:

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