Kentuckiana Lactation Improvement Coalition, Inc.

Mission:
To protect, promote, and support breastfeeding in Kentucky and Southern Indiana.

To empower, support, and educate our membership, health care providers, and the general public, enabling them to be articulate breastfeeding advocates.

Benefits of Membership:
- Network with other breastfeeding health care providers.
- Share problems and successes through case studies.
- Maintain expertise in breastfeeding issues and practices with updates on current research and products.
- Participate in promotion projects.
- Earn free Continuing Education Credits (CEU and CERP).
- Learn how to support and protect breastfeeding in an evolving healthcare environment.
- Bi-Monthly e-Newsletter
- Membership Roster
- Discounts on breastfeeding conferences sponsored by KLIC
- Special mailings and information

KLIC membership is only $25!

KLIC is a Chapter Member of the United States Lactation Consultant Association (USLCA) and collaborates with the International Lactation Consultant Association (ILCA).

KLIC honors the Code of Marketing of Breastmilk Substitutes and does not accept funding from corporations who are not in compliance.

Who Should Join KLIC?
- Lactation Consultants
- Nurses
- H.A.N.D.S. and Breastfeeding Peer-Counselors
- Nutritionists
- Childbirth Educators
- Physicians
- Midwives
- WIC Staff
- Home Visitors
- La Leche League members and Leaders
- Community-based breastfeeding counselors

Recent KLIC Activities:
- Annual full-day fall conferences featuring Dr. Jack Newman, Dr. Nils Bergman, Karen Gromada, Diana West, Lisa Marasco, and Nancy Mohrbacher.
- Quarterly continuing education offerings on:
  - Bariatric Surgery and Breastfeeding
  - Tongue-Tie indicators
  - Baby-Friendly Hospitals
  - Peer Counseling programs
  - Ethics for Lactation Consultants
  - Herbal therapies in lactation management
  - Premature infants and breastfeeding
  - Fathers as Breastfeeding Supports
  - Donor Human Milk
  - Facebook page and closed group
  - Website
The Kentuckiana Lactation Improvement Coalition, Inc. known as KLIC, is a non-profit, 501c 3 organization started in 1993. The organization provides:

- Quarterly continuing education presentations
- Online Newsletters
- Special mailings (standard and electronic on issues and activities)
- Annual Full-Day Breastfeeding Conference.

**Goals:**

- To promote knowledge, attitudes, and practices concerning breastfeeding that are evidence-based and consistent within and between various health care providers
- To promote, protect, and support breastfeeding in the private and public sectors.
- To facilitate the development of and referral to breastfeeding support networks and Lactation Consultants for clients and health care providers.
- To protect the rights of mother and child to establish and continue a breastfeeding relationship

For more information, contact: Barbara Ruedel, RD, IBCLC, KLIC President, President@klicbreastfeeding.org.

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**KLIC Membership Application**

Name__________________________________________ Title/Credential________________________

If you would like CEU's in addition to CERPS, RN Licensure #: ____________ RD #: ____________

Preferred Address______________________________________________________________

City________________________ State__________ Zip__________

Preferred Email________________________ Preferred Phone________________________

Workplace________________________ Would you be willing to be the point of contact? □ Yes □ No

- Add me to the KY/IN IBCLC resource list for public referrals □ Yes □ No

Use my contact information for: □ Above □ Other________________________

- I volunteer to serve on the following committee(s): □ Conference □ Nominations

- I would be willing to present an hour-long education for CERPs at a KLIC quarterly meeting:

  Topic or Case Study______________________________________________________________

- I recommend ________________________________ to speak at a meeting/conference.

  Suggested Topics______________________________________________________________

- I am a member of ILCA/USLCA    Yes_______    No_______

**PAYMENT:**

- Annual KLIC Membership Dues ($25) ________

Please make your check payable to KLIC. Send to KLIC, Attention Membership, c/o Laura Serke, 1705 Tyler Parkway, Louisville, KY, 40204. Email: treasurer@klicbreastfeeding.org

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