

## Marie Biancuzzo's Lactation Éducation Course

### Goal

To obtain the lactation education required to be eligible to sit for the IBLCE Exam and to be successful as a lactation consultant.

### Objectives

- Demonstrate knowledge about established and evolving biomedical, clinical, and cognate (e.g. epidemiological and social-behavioral) sciences and the application of this knowledge to roles for promoting, protecting, and supporting breastfeeding.
- Use interpersonal and communication skills that result in effective information exchange and teaching with patients, patients' families, and professional associates.
- Contribute to care that is compassionate, appropriate, and effective in promoting, protecting and supporting the initiation and continuation of exclusive and extended breastfeeding.
- Show a commitment to carrying out professional responsibilities, adherence to ethical principles and legal mandates, and using information and technology for leadership activities.
- Develop an awareness of and responsiveness to the larger context and system of health care and the ability to effectively call on system resources to provide care that is of optimal value.

### Materials Required to Complete Course

- *Counseling the Nursing Mother: A Lactation Consultant's Guide* (7<sup>th</sup> edition)
- Online Course Materials
- Online Post-tests
- Online Evaluation

### Credits

This learning program is approved for 95.0 L-CERPs and 95.0 contact hours.

- Breastfeeding Outlook is approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, provider # CEP15628.
- Breastfeeding Outlook is accredited as a long-term provider by the International Board of Lactation Consultant Examiners.

### Requirements for Obtaining Credits

- Complete all required assignments in the course.
- Complete all Unit Post-tests with 100% accuracy.
- Complete the Course Evaluation.
- If the course is done in units, no credits will be awarded until all five (5) units have been completed.

### Expiration

- Full Course: You will have a maximum of 18 months from the date of purchase to complete your program and earn credits.
- Units: You will have 18 months from the date of purchase of Unit 1 to purchase and complete all 5 units.

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