

It fosters a network of like-minded organizations and individuals to further action to enable women to succeed in optimal infant feeding through attention to the family and the reproductive health continuum.

Emergency Nutrition Network (ENN): aims to improve the effectiveness of emergency food and nutrition interventions by providing a forum for the exchange of field level experiences between staff working in the food and nutrition sector in emergencies strengthening institutional memory amongst humanitarian aid agencies working in this sector helping field staff keep abreast of current research and evaluation findings relevant to their work better informing academics and researchers of current field level experiences, priorities and constraints thereby leading to more appropriate applied research agendas

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IBFAN: the International Baby-Food Action Network - consists of public interest groups working around the world to reduce infant and young child morbidity and mortality. IBFAN aims to improve the health and well being of babies and young children, their mothers and their families through the protection, promotion and support of breastfeeding and optimal infant feeding practices.

<http://www.ibfan.org/>

Protecting Infant Health: A Health Workers' Guide to the International Code of Marketing of Breastmilk Substitutes (available in a variety of languages)

The Code Handbook: A Guide to Implementing the International Code of Marketing of Breastmilk Substitutes

Infant and Young Child Nutrition

Managed by PATH, the Infant and Young Child Nutrition Program (IYCN) is USAID's flagship project in this area – expanding upon 20 years of program experience to increase optimal feeding practices among mothers and their infants. This includes promoting breastfeeding, complementary feeding, infant feeding and HIV, and maternal nutrition.

International Lactation Consultant Association (ILCA), <http://www.ilca.org>

International Board of Lactation Consultant Examiners (IBLCE),

<http://www.iblce.org/>

La Leche League International (LLLI), <http://www.lalecheleague.org/>

LINKAGES was a USAID-funded program providing technical information, assistance, and training to organizations on breastfeeding, related complementary feeding and maternal dietary practices, and the lactational amenorrhea method - a modern postpartum method of contraception for women who breastfeed. Website includes publications to download: <http://www.linkagesproject.org/>

Exclusive Breastfeeding: The Only Water Source Young Infants Need - Frequently Asked Questions: Discusses the nutritional and health consequences of giving infants water during the first six months, and the role of breastfeeding in meeting an infant's water requirements.

Languages Available: English (2004), French (2004), Spanish, Portuguese (2002).

Community-Based Strategies for Breastfeeding Promotion and Support in Developing Countries: WHO and LINKAGES examine the role of communities and community-based