## BREASTFEEDING & COVID-19

## Breastfeeding protects babies when they are sick and when others around them are sick

Wash hands before and after holding or feeding your baby



Wear a mask if you are sick



Give your baby a healthy start; hold your baby skin-to-skin



**Breastfeed often** 



If expressing milk, wash your breast pump, parts, and feeding equipment carefully each time



Breastfeed as much as possible and get the support you need



More information:

www.bccdc.ca www.healthlinkbc.ca

