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## The Impact of Breastfeeding on Maternal, Child and Organizations Health

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The benefits of breastfeeding for mothers and babies are unquestionable, as shown by numerous reviews and research on the subject; however, due to the impact on the health of both mothers and babies, it is important to continue to assess these benefits for both. Moreover, situations such as the COVID-19 pandemic present the opportunity to obtain new scientific evidence of the impact of breastfeeding. The benefits of breastfeeding extend beyond solely mothers and babies; there is much discussion nowadays regarding its impact on the health of organizations, understanding organizational health in the broadest sense.

In addition, from a social justice perspective, working mothers must be supported by the organizations in which they work; their health may be affected by the need to work, but organizations can make efforts to improve their health, in the form of sick leave or requests for childcare days to ensure the health of breastfed children. As a result, mothers may be able to carry out their work more effectively, in turn benefitting the organizations in which they work.



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