

Maryland Breastfeeding Law

A mother may breastfeed her child in any public or private location in which the mother and child are authorized to be. A person may not restrict or limit the right of a mother to breastfeed her child.

MD Code, Health—General, §20-801

If you experience a situation in which your right to breastfeed is challenged, you can file a report with the Maryland Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division at 410-528-8662, or online at www.oag.state.md.us.

Breastfeeding Resources

**MD Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
Maternal and Child Health Bureau**
410-767-6713

http://phpa.dhmh.maryland.gov/mch/SitePages/bf_home.aspx

Maryland WIC Program
1-800-242-4WIC
www.mdwic.org

**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Office on Women's Health**
Breastfeeding Helpline 1-800-994-9662
www.womenshealth.gov/breastfeeding