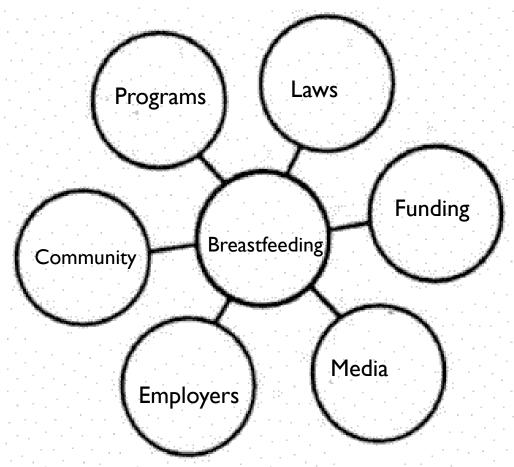
## Breastfeeding State Update

What's popping up?



### Breastfeeding Awareness Month

Mother Baby Summits (Mt. Pleasant and Detroit)

Breastfeeding Summit- Creating a plan for

Breastfeeding in MI





# The excitement for breastfeeding in bubbling over

- More organization are recognizing the importance of breastfeeding
- Its more about the community and less about teaching "benefits"

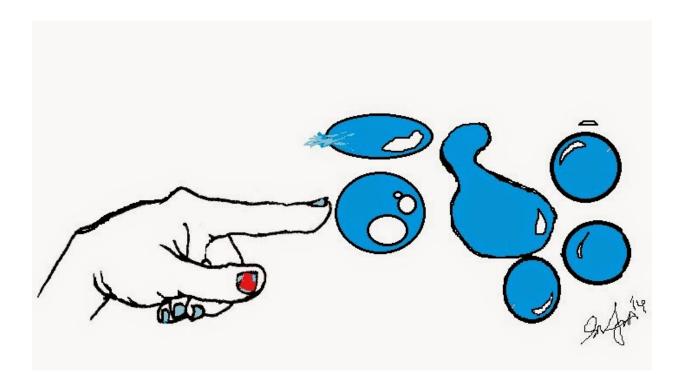


## We can help

- Talking to moms and families
- Talking to employers, doctors and the community members
- Create consistent messages



#### Don't burst the bubble



## Building up

- Having moms prepared
- Hospital practices
- Family support
- Work place support
- Community support



#### I want to blow bubbles

- How do I start
  - Start at home, in the program where you work.
  - What are your current practices?
  - What questions do I ask?
  - What is the initiation & duration rate of your clients?
  - Do I contact them at high need times?
  - Do I need more training?

## Working together we can make a difference

