

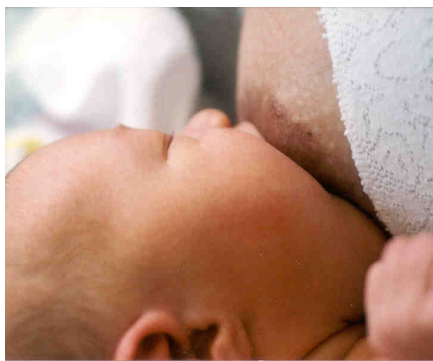
HISTORY

Dr. Jack Newman established the first breastfeeding clinic in Canada in 1984 at The Hospital for Sick Children. Soon other clinics were opened in several Toronto hospitals as the need for his expertise grew.

The Newman Breastfeeding Clinic & Institute, founded in 2005 by Dr. Jack Newman and Edith Kernerman, is now based in the Canadian College of Naturopathic Medicine.

NBCI is staffed by a team of healthcare professionals including International Board Certified Lactation Consultants (IBCLC) and physicians. The clinic offers support and treatment for mothers experiencing challenges and presents prenatal breastfeeding classes for expectant families.

The clinic has always welcomed observers and students from around the world and from many varied disciplines.



Our facility is completely World Health Organization (WHO) International CODE compliant.

We no longer receive government funding for our clinic. Please consider a donation to the Canadian Breastfeeding Foundation (it is a registered charity) and earmark the donation for the Newman Breastfeeding Clinic & Institute. Donations may be made through their secure website:

www.canadianbreastfeedingfoundation.org

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For more information about the Institute or to arrange an appointment for patients at our clinic please email breastfeeding@ccnm.edu.



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INSTITUTE PROGRAMMES



Empowering Mothers
To Achieve their Own
Breastfeeding Goals

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MISSION STATEMENT

To promote the profession of the International Board Certified Lactation Consultant (IBCLC). To maintain professional consistent standards in lactation medicine. To raise public and professional awareness of the importance of the IBCLC as an integral part of the health-care team. To increase the level of educational standards for the IBCLC and to encourage continuing education and standards of excellence in clinical practice.

INSTITUTE

The Institute is situated in the Canadian College of Naturopathic Medicine in Toronto, Canada. Our faculty consists of a multi-disciplinary team including guest lecturers who are specialized in their respective areas of lactation medicine.

*A critical element of the Institute is the **practical component** (included in all programmes) that fosters a unique level of competency when caring for the breastfeeding dyad. This practical component of the programme is held at the Newman Breastfeeding Clinic under supervision of the Institute faculty.*

INSTITUTE PROGRAM

OBJECTIVES

- Provide preparation for the IBLCE exam
- Facilitate excellence and consistency in caring for the breastfeeding mother and infant
- Ensure competency in dealing with breastfeeding challenges
- Instill a basic concept: ***By enabling the mother to manage her own breastfeeding experience, she will be empowered to reach her own breastfeeding goals.***
- Disseminate current and evidence-based research and practice
- Create a forum for discussion of current social issues around breastfeeding and their effects on the breastfeeding dyad
- Provide opportunities for observation, enabling the students to both shadow and mentor.



The Institute offers 3 levels of education.

The Path to IBCLC: Our basic programme is designed to help our students fulfill the requirements of the IBLCE examination blueprint. We will provide the solid foundation for practitioners to help breastfeeding mothers achieve their own breastfeeding goals. Our students will be able to identify breastfeeding challenges and implement any appropriate and early interventions. **The Path** is suitable for candidates following Pathways A,B and E. (Refer to IBLCE.org for explanation of Pathways). Courses within this programme include: 20-Hour Intro to Lactation Management (Based on WHO course); Anatomy & Physiology, Ethics, Social Sciences, Child Development & Nutrition, Medical Terminology & Practice.

Clinical Path: is suitable for IBLCE pathways C & D, includes Medical Terminology & Practice.

Advanced Clinical Path (NBCI Diploma Programme): This advanced programme is designed for IBCLCs, MDs, NDs, RMs, includes Medical Terminology & Practice, Care of Special Babies, Feeding the Non-Latcher, Ethics; The Cruelty of Breast is Best, Maternal Challenges, HIV & other Controversial Issues.