**The Breastfeeding Network Breastfeeding Friendly Scheme –**

**Sign-up sheet**

(please keep one copy and return one copy)

Thank you for your interest in the Breastfeeding Network (BfN) Breastfeeding Friendly scheme. More and more we are seeing that it takes a whole community to support breastfeeding. This scheme aims to be something simple and easy that everyone can do to show they support breastfeeding families.

**The aims of the BfN Breastfeeding Friendly scheme are to -**

* Support and empower families to feel confident breastfeeding out and about
* Offer an easy way that communities and businesses can show they welcome and support breastfeeding
* Raise awareness about the benefit and barriers to breastfeeding
* Support businesses and organisations to be more breastfeeding friendly

**By signing up to the scheme you are agreeing to support the aims of the scheme and to take the following steps to raise awareness and support the scheme in your business/organisation/premises.**

1. Ensure all employees/volunteers (as appropriate for your organisation) are aware of the scheme and have read the ‘Information for staff and volunteers’ document provided as part of the pack
2. Display the breastfeeding friendly posters, certificate of commitment and stickers (optional) in your premises (if appropriate)
3. Make sure all staff are aware of the law in relation to mothers feeding in public and that they know a mother must never be asked to stop feeding her baby in a place she is legally entitled to be.

The BfN Breastfeeding Friendly pack contains all the information you should need to implement the scheme in your organisation. Please take time to read it and to discuss with staff/volunteers why you have joined and the difference it could make to families.

Please sign below to confirm that you wish to join the scheme

Organisation/business name.…………………………………………………………………………………………….

Signature……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

Date……………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

Print name………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….

Email address………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

(this will only be used to contact you about the Breastfeeding Friendly scheme)

If you wish to have your organisation listed in the online venue locator please complete the address and payment details below.

Please return this form via email to [breastfeedingfriendly@breastfeedingnetwork.org.uk](mailto:breastfeedingfriendly@breastfeedingnetwork.org.uk) or by post to Breastfeeding Friendly Scheme, The Breastfeeding Network, PO Box 11126, Paisley, PA2 8YB

For more information about the scheme email us on [breastfeedingfriendly@breastfeedingnetwork.org.uk](mailto:breastfeedingfriendly@breastfeedingnetwork.org.uk) or look on our website <https://www.breastfeedingnetwork.org.uk/bfn-breastfeeding-friendly-scheme/>

If you would like to have your organisation/business listed in our online venue locator please give the full address you would like included below. There is a £25 annual charge for this service. You can pay this via our online shop (<https://www.breastfeedingnetwork.org.uk/shop/> ) using your name or your business name as a payment reference. Once the payment has been made we will add you to the venue locator. Thank you.

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| Business/organisation name |  |
| Full address (including county and postcode) |  |
| Business phone number (if you would like this included) |  |
| Website details (if you would like this included) |  |
| Contact email (for BfN use only) | We will use your email address to contact you if there are any queries about your entry and to get in touch with you to share any feedback or with further information about the scheme |

Once you have joined the scheme we would invite you to share any feedback about the process using the link on our website. You are also welcome to use this link at any time during your membership of the scheme to share your feedback on any aspect of the scheme and we may email you from time to time to ask if you have any feedback to share. You can also email any comments to [breastfeedingfriendly@breastfeedingnetwork.org.uk](mailto:breastfeedingfriendly@breastfeedingnetwork.org.uk)

Please note, if we receive continued negative feedback about any business or organisation signed up to the scheme we will pass this on using the email address provided above. If we continue to receive negative feedback we reserve the right to remove your business details from the online venue locator and to ask you to remove the scheme materials (such as stickers and posters) from your premises.