



KBC General Membership Meeting Minutes

June 8, 2018 11:30 am – 1:00 pm

Meeting held online – Recording available [here](#)

Welcome & Introduction to GoToMeeting: 27 attendees: Brenda Bandy, Allison Barkus, Barbara Moses, Becky Reid, Brenda Moffitt, Carol Hix, Cary Allen, Clarissa Sents, Elizabeth Hainke, Jill Rozean, Julie Fields, Kathy Leeper, Kathy Walker, Kelly Cain-Swart, Linda K., Linda Unruh, Lisa Martin, Melissa Wachendorfer, Melody Ward, Stephanie, Stephanie Henry, Stephanne Rupnicki, Suzanne Bentley, Tanya Lorenzo, Gwen, Cathleen Kroeger, Amy Trollinger

Approval of previous meeting minutes and additions to current agenda: Motion for approval was made by Stephanne Rupnicki and seconded by Stephanie Henry. No objections were made and the minutes were approved. Motion to approve the agenda was made by Stephanne Rupnicki and seconded by Kathy Leeper. There were no additions to the current agenda.

Introduction of KBC's NEW "Member Sections" – Brenda Moffitt presented the new KBC Member Sections: Child Care, Hospitals, Local Breastfeeding Coalitions and Public Health. KBC members may join sections to increase involvement and further networking. All members are encouraged to join at least one section. The link to join a section will be resent to KBC members June 11th. Member section meetings will begin in July and one of the first tasks of the Sections will be to identify potential chairs. A meeting scheduler poll will be sent to all section members the week of June 18th. If you would like to change the section you have signed up for, please contact Brenda Bandy at bbandy@ksbreastfeeding.org.

Breast pump insurance coverage – Stephanie Henry, IBCLC shared a slide presentation about helping Medicaid patients receive breast pumps. She discussed the various makes and models available through different providers. The slides and handout of Medicaid representatives are available on the KBC ["Insurance & Resources"](#) webpage.

Overview of changes in NEW "Ten Steps to Successful Breastfeeding" – Brenda Bandy discussed the basic changes to the revised "Ten Steps" from the World Health Organization. She also discussed Baby-Friendly USA's two-year plan to review the revised Ten Steps and indicates there will be no changes in the immediate future.

KBC Project Updates – Brenda Bandy presented the results of the 2018 Employer Survey that had a 24% response rate from 1561 unique employers. She discussed the new two-day Breastfeeding Conference that will be held November 1 and 2 in Wichita. The first day of conference will focus on building local

coalitions and creating communities supporting breastfeeding. The second day will feature speakers presenting “hot topics” such as social media for the breastfeeding community and marijuana use during breastfeeding. Brenda also discussed three new counties that are working toward becoming *Community Supporting Breastfeeding*.

Congratulations to KU Hospital! Kansas's 4th Baby-Friendly Hospital — Brenda Moffitt congratulated and introduced Suzanne Bentley who coordinated the effort at KU to achieve their recent Baby-Friendly designation. Suzanne presented a slide show that illustrated the ups and downs of their three-year journey and some of the processes that worked and didn't work for them.

Next meeting – August 10, 2018, 11:30 – 1:00 via GoToMeeting