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Wendy Stefiuk

Baby Friendly Initiative Coalition Human Milk Bank Sub-Committee

Saskatoon Health Region

Saskatoon, SK

Dear Mrs. Stefiuk:

Re: Expression of support for establishing a human milk bank in Saskatchewan and intent to use donor human milk when available

With this letter we express our support for establishing a donor human milk bank in Saskatchewan. Currently, our facility does not have access to donor human milk, mainly because of supply and logistical limitations of other available facilities in Canada and North America. We are very interested in having this resource available in our health region and will welcome such a facility.

Sincerely,

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