A need for a private space to breastfeed/chestfeed or express milk was discovered through a service learning project in a Dietetics Program Professional Development Seminar taught by Dr. Alena Clark, RD, CLC. The service learning project completed an environmental scan of areas on campus that would be an appropriate place to have a private area for breastfeeding/chestfeeding/lactating or expressing milk. Alena is a Certified Lactation Counselor and lactation support is an area of her clinical practice and current research. Alena a Lactation Station in their workspace area based on the positive feedback received from the environmental scan that was completed in the service learning project.

Colorado currently has two laws which assist in supporting breastfeeding. The first, Colorado Breastfeeding in PublicAct (2004), recognizes the benefits of breastfeeding and encourages mothers to breastfeed. In addition, this law allows a mother to breastfeeding in any public place she has the right to be without being cited for indecent exposure. The second, Colorado Workplace

A: Essentially nothing but the donated space. Although we need a few items donated for the space as well as someone to upkeep it, if your department or program would be willing to donate the space and cannot donate anything more, we can find the other things we need elsewhere.

A: Enough for a chair, small table, a privacy screen if the space