

IT TAKES A VILLAGE

LORAIN PUBLIC LIBRARY



About:

The Lorain County Public Library System recognized a need in their community and for visitors: a comfortable, safe place for mothers to breastfeed. Data from the Centers for Disease Control identifies the long-term health benefits of breastfeeding for both the child and mother, such as reduced risk for asthma and type 1 diabetes in the child and a lower risk of breast and ovarian cancer in the mother. To ensure equal access and opportunity for breastfeeding, the used the Healthy Places Grant to :

- Install a Mamava lactation pod in the Lorain Public Library System Main Branch

Along with providing regular maintenance and sanitation, the library staff will continue offering various wonderful programs to support healthy living.

2022 Grantee: Lorain Public Library Systems

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