

Vancouver Coastal Health Newborn Resources

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Baby and Toddler Care Handbooks Baby's Best Chance Parent's Handbook of Pregnancy and Baby Care Toddler's First Steps Guide to Parenting your 6-36 month old SmartParent Texting Resources SmartParent SmartParent is an evidence-based text messaging program that sends you information timed to your weeks pregnancy and then baby's age to support you as you care for your child in the first year of life 8-1-1 HealthLink BC (811 Phone Line) Free-of-charge provincial health information and advice phone line, available 24/7. Connect directly with a registered nurse, a registered dietitian, a qualified exercise professional, or a pharmacist.	
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qualified exercise professional, or a pharmacist.	
Breastfeeding	
<u>https://vch.eduhealth.ca/media/VCH/GK/GK.560.B74</u>	
A guide to help you decide if your baby is getting	
enough milk	
Breastfeeding and Vitamin D https://www.healthlinkbc.ca/pregnancy-	
Supplements for babies in their first year <u>parenting/parenting-babies-0-12-months/feeding-your</u>	ır-
baby/vitamin-d-supplements-babies	
Immunizations	
<u>Immunize BC</u> <u>https://immunizebc.ca/</u>	
Evidence-based Immunization and tools for BC	
Residents	
BC Vaccine Schedule https://immunizebc.ca/sites/default/files/graphics/vaccine	ccine
Routine Childhood Immunizations in British Columbia <u>-schedule-infants-children-2019-screen.pdf</u>	
Book your baby's immunization appointment in Vancouver online through JaneApp:	
https://vancouverchildimmunization.janeapp.com/	

Jaundice	
Newborn Jaundice	https://www.healthlinkbc.ca/pregnancyparenting/parenting
How to recognize the signs of newborn jaundice and	babies-0-
when to see your doctor	12months/newborns/jaundicenewbornshyperbilirubinemia

Sleep		
Sleep and Your Infant	https://www.healthlinkbc.ca/healthlinkbcfiles/safesleepingf	
Information about your child's sleep needs	orbabies#:~:text=Put%20your%20baby%20to%20sleep,from	
information about your crima's sieep needs	%20sleeping%20on%20their%20backs.	
Safe Sleep Guidelines	https://www.healthlinkbc.ca/sites/default/files/safer-sleep-	
Helping parents and caregivers create a safe sleep	for-my-baby.pdf	
plan for their baby	101 Tily Subytput	
Postpartum Depression and Anxiety		
Pacific Post-Partum Support Society	https://postpartum.org/	
Telephone and text services, videos, podcasts, and		
ZOOM group sessions	Instagram: @pacificpostpartum	
<u>Crisis Resources</u>	https://vch.eduhealth.ca/en/viewer?file=%2f	
Crisis lines, counselling, emergency housing, and	media%2fVCH%2fCE%2fCE.350.D66.pdf#sea	
domestic violence	rch=domestic%20violence%20card&phrase= false	
Your Baby's Dental Health		
Mouth Care for Infants and Toddlers	https://www.healthlinkbc.ca/healthlinkbcfiles/dentalcare-	
	<u>your-infant-and-toddler</u>	
Tummy Time		
What is Tummy Time	https://www.healthlinkbc.ca/pregnancyparenting/parenting	
For head shape and improving muscle strength	babies-0-12-months/babygrowth-	
	anddevelopment/importance-tummy-time	
Screen Time		
Screen Time and Young Child	https://www.healthlinkbc.ca/pregnancyparenting/keepingy	
The Canadian Pediatric Society's screen time	our-child-safe/bullying-andonline-safety/media-and-	
recommendations	yourchild-making	
Infant Crying		
The Period of Purple Crying	http://purplecrying.info/	
Frustrated by your baby's crying?		
A new way of understanding your baby's crying		
<u>Infant Mental Health</u>	https://www.ementalhealth.ca/Toronto/Infant-Mental-	
Comforting Your Baby	Health-Comforting-Your-	
	Baby/index.php?m=article&ID=8913	
Can Cast Information		
Car Seat Information		
BCAA https://www.bcaa.com/community/child-car-seat-safety		
ICBC https://www.icbc.com/road-safety/safer-drivers/Pages/Child-car-seats.aspx		