**Mission & Vision Statements**

Kansas Local Breastfeeding Coalitions

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| **Mission** | **Vision** | **Coalition** |
| Encourage and support women and families in Dickinson County who choose to breastfeed or provide breastmilk through education, outreach and collaboration. |  | Dickenson County |
| To promote, protect and support the breastfeeding culture in Douglas County, Kansas and meet the Healthy People Maternal, Infant and Child Health Breastfeeding Objectives. | Breastfeeding is normal and supported throughout Douglas County, Kansas. | Douglas County |
| Foster a network of breastfeeding support through empowerment and education to improve the health and wellbeing of the community. | There are no barriers to breastfeeding in our community. | Geary County |
| Promoting and protecting breastfeeding through education and collaboration with health professionals, breastfeeding advocates, and community members of Leavenworth County | Breastfeeding is supported and encouraged at all levels to promote optimal health for mothers and babies | Leavenworth County |
| To promote, protect, and support breastfeeding in Mitchell County through education and collaboration in our communities. | To create a community that supports and normalizes breastfeeding | Mitchell County |
| To create a more healthful Pawnee County through promotion and support of breastfeeding. | Healthy Breastfeeding Community | Pawnee County |
| Protect, support, & promote breastfeeding in our community |  | Pratt Area |
| Educate, support and motivate Breastfeeding families, help to normalize breastfeeding while fostering community and environmental support. | To create a community that supports breastfeeding families | Southwest Kansas Breastfeeding Friends |
| To empower all families in the Wichita area to reach their breastfeeding goals by working collaboratively to promote, protect, and support breastfeeding. | The Wichita area views breastfeeding as normal and provides a fully supportive breastfeeding culture. | Wichita Area |