

Breastfeeding Log for the First Week

- The goals in this log represent the guidelines for mom and baby in the first seven days of baby's life.
 - Birth Date: _____ AM PM
- Circle the time of day to the nearest hour each time your baby begins to nurse. (i.e. Whether your baby was born at 3 AM or 3 PM you would start with the first "3" if your baby nurses at birth).
- The goal number of wet or soiled diapers for each day is shown by the letters (W) or (S).
- Circle a (W) every time your baby has a wet diaper.
- Circle an (S) every time your baby has a soiled diaper.
- It is OK for your baby to have more wet diapers or more soiled diapers than shown. You show the extra diapers by circling the "+" symbol.

Day One (First 24 hours of life)	Goal
12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11	6-8
Wet Diaper: W + + + +	One (1)
BLACK Tarry Soiled Diaper: S + + + +	One (1)
Day Two (Second 24 hours of life)	Goal
12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11	6-8
Wet Diaper: W W $+$ + + +	Two (2)
BROWN Tarry Soiled Diaper: S S + + + +	Two (2)
Day Three (Next 24 hours of life)	Goal
12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11	8-12
Wet Diaper: W W W + + + +	Three (3)
GREEN Soiled Diaper: S S + + + +	Two (2)
Day Four (Next 24 hours of life)	Goal
12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11	8-12
Wet Diaper: W W W W + + + +	Four (4)
YELLOW Soiled Diaper: S S S + + + +	Three (3)
Day Five (Next 24 hours of life)	Goal
12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11	8-12
Wet Diaper: W W W W W + + + +	Five (5)
YELLOW Soiled Diaper: S S S + + + +	Three (3)
Day Six (Next 24 hours of life)	Goal
12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11	8-12
Wet Diaper: W W W W W W + + + +	Six (6)
YELLOW Soiled Diaper: S S S S + + + +	Four (4)
Day Seven (Next 24 hours of life)	Goal
12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11	8-12
Wet Diaper: W W W W W W W W + + + +	8 to 8+
YELLOW Soiled Diaper: S S S S $+ + + + + + + + + + + + + + + $	4 to 12