The right type of breast pump

A hospital-grade electric breast pump is the best choice for a mother who needs to express her breastmilk frequently. For example:

- To express breastmilk preterm or unwell baby
- To build up a low milk supply
- To maintain the milk supply during long periods where a baby can't feed from the breast
- Full- time working and breastfeeding
- If the mother prefers to express and bottle feed full time.

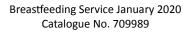
If you require any information about hiring, buying or using a breast pump please ask your Midwife, Nurse or Lactation Consultant.

Notes

Hospital-Grade Electric Breast Pump Hire









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Hiring Costs

There are some costs involved in hiring a hospitalgrade electric breast pump.

- **Deposit.** You get this back when you return the pump
- Hire cost. Weekly or monthly
- Milk collection kit. These attach to the pump and cannot be hired - you must buy your own available from wherever you hire the pump.

Pharmacies have limited supplies and costs vary, so consider phoning around first.

What about buying a breast pump instead of hiring?

Mini - electric and hand pumps can be purchased, but they are only suitable if your milk supply is well established and/or you only need to express 1- 2 times each day, 3 - 4 days per week.

Please speak to your Midwife, Nurse or a Lactation Consultant about the right type of breast pump for your current needs.

BHS hires hospital-grade breast pumps ONLY if your baby is currently admitted to our Special Care Nursery. Hospital-grade breast pumps can be hired from the following places:

Australian Breastfeeding Association

Hire includes support from a volunteer breastfeeding counsellor Member discounts are available [™] 53376315

Hire for Baby

90010487
www.hireforbaby.com

UFS Dispensary 40 Bridge Mall Ballarat [∞] 53270400

UFS Dispensary 717 Sturt St Ballarat 73319811

Regional pharmacies

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