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of hospitals  
& mothers*

# Preemie+ Symphony Initiation Card

## Bringing Human Milk to Babies who Need it Most

For premature infants, receiving higher amounts of human milk versus formula feedings during this time reduces the incidence and severity of prematurity-specific morbidities, with potential NICU (Neonatal Intensive Care Unit) cost savings.

Preemie+ assists initiating and maintaining lactation in breastpump-dependent mothers with premature infants in the NICU.

### ✔ More Efficient

Significantly greater milk output in fewer minutes pumping in the first 14 days post-birth without sacrificing comfort.

### ✔ Groundbreaking Technology – Research based

Symphony – The first and only breastpump capable of mimicking the sucking pattern of the full term infant during both the initiation and maintenance phases of lactation.





## Preemie+

Early and effective sucking from the baby is crucial to support milk initiation.

It is a challenge to establish and maintain milk supply for mothers whose non-sucking, premature infants are cared for in the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit.

The research based pumping program Preemie+ reflects the varying sucking and pausing rhythm of a newborn baby during the early post-birth period. In combination with the proven 2-Phase standard program, the Symphony hospital grade breast pump offers the ultimate solution.

### Greater average output – significantly more milk compared to the Symphony Standard 2.0 program alone

- | Day 5 – 43 % more milk output
- | Day 10 – 71 % more milk output
- | Day 14 – 36 % more mothers achieved the milk output target of  $\geq 350$  ml/d post-birth, which would be sufficient to exclusively feed human milk to their premature infants at NICU discharge

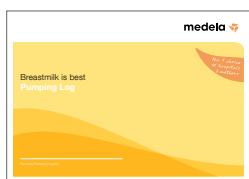


## The Ideal Combination

### Pumping Log

Medela's mother friendly breast pumping log is designed for the unique challenges a mother faces in the NICU. It provides a tool that nurses can use to support mothers and troubleshoot potential milk production issues before they become a major problem.

- | Helps to establish the appropriate pumping expectations
- | Includes benefits of providing breastmilk
- | Helpful tips and hints



### Colostrum Container

The unique 35ml colostrum container is designed with health-care professional and mothers in mind. The curved bottom minimizes loss of colostrum or breastmilk during transfer to a syringe. The smaller size helps keep mothers motivated to pump by setting proper expectations of initial milk production.

- | Compatible with any Medela Breastshield
- | Pumping capacity up to 20 ml/storage up to 35 ml
- | Sterile and ready to use (disposable)

