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Prior to her role as a cofounder of MilkWorks in 2001, Dr. Kathy Leeper was a pediatrician in private practice. For 12 years, as MilkWorks’ Medical Director, Dr. Leeper led a busy clinical practice with a team of IBCLCs (Internationally Board Certified Lactation Consultant) and Breastfeeding Educators. In 2009, Dr. Leeper was honored as a Fellow of “The Academy of Breastfeeding Medicine,” an international organization of physicians dedicated to the promotion, protection and support of breastfeeding. She has served on their board of directors and as Chair of their Education Committee.

In 2013, Dr. Leeper moved to Kansas City where she focused on providing education for healthcare professionals via the Kansas Breastfeeding Coalition and IABLE (the Institute for the Advancement of Breastfeeding and Lactation Education- [www.lacted.org](http://www.lacted.org) ). As Vice President of IABLE, a non-profit based in Wisconsin, Dr. Leeper assists in curriculum development for various programs providing education to healthcare professionals, and is Co-Editor of Galactopedia- a continuously up-dated source of information related to breastfeeding and human lactation, to be released in 2021.

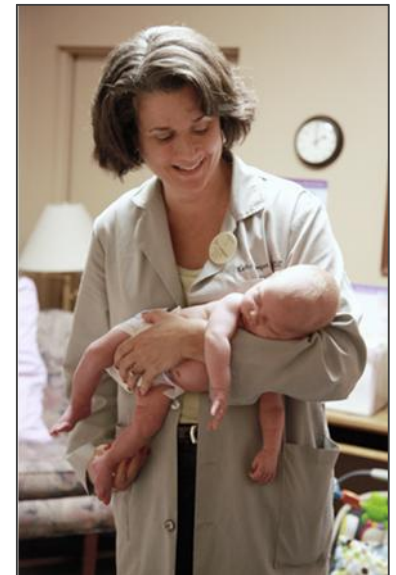
Dr. Leeper returned to Nebraska in 2018 and re-established her clinical practice hours to see mothers and babies in both Lincoln and Omaha. She accepts referrals for mothers and babies with breastfeeding problems within and beyond the scope of an IBCLC. Examples include:

- ) Low milk supply
- ) Poor milk removal by baby
- ) Poor weight gain
- ) Acute and chronic breast or nipple pain
- ) Breast and nipple infections
- ) Food intolerances
- ) Evaluation and treatment of tongue-tie.

Dr. Leeper accepts referrals from IBCLCs and welcomes direct referrals from providers. MilkWorks is in-network with all major private insurance plans and all three Nebraska Medicaid managed care plans. Mothers without insurance may take advantage of a reduced out of pocket fee. As a non-profit community breastfeeding center, MilkWorks does not deny services based on ability to pay.

\* Please contact Dr. Leeper if you are interested in a complimentary one-hour in-service for your providers or office staff. Presentations can be tailored to your needs or areas of interest within Breastfeeding Medicine.

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