

Rapid Site Assessment

This tool has been developed for use by non-experts to identify facility-level preparedness for infant feeding needs rapidly and accurately in emergency settings. Note what can be learned by observation/signage & what requires staff assistance.

Completed by:

Date/time:

Location:

Organization: Site Contact:

Site Type: Services available:

Reception Centre Campsite/Outdoor Temporary Group Lodging

Hotel/Motel

Shelter/Residence

Other

Health Services/First Aid

Breastfeeding Space

How many toilets are available? Are there "family" washrooms?

Where are the diaper change stations? Are shower/bathing facilities available?

If there is a breastfeeding space, describe and take photos if possible. Is there a priority line for pregnant people/young children? Is there a child-friendly or parent-baby or other child-focussed space? If there is a formula prep area, describe and take photos if possible.

Hand-washing sink Potable water source Dish soap Bottle brushes Posted instructions Paper towels

Fridge Staff support

Microwave

Surface cleaner

Sterilizer bags

Registration

Outhouses

Indoor Bathrooms

Overnight Lodging

Longer-term lodging (>72h)

24/7 Access

Is there a family area in group lodging?

Are cribs/safe sleep spaces available?

Are the following items being distributed for children? (indicate self-serve or by request)

Diapers Wipes

Blankets Clothes

Packaged snacks Packaged toddler snacks

Fresh food Hot meals

Hand sanitizer Bottled water

Cow's Milk: Fresh Powdered UHT (shelf-stable)

Infant Formula (suitable from birth): Powder

Liquid (small)

Liquid (large)

Concentrate

Commercial Kitchen (hot food)

Kitchen/Kitchenette Access

Potable Water Source

Food Distribution (no on-site prep)

Child-Friendly/Parent-Baby Space

Speciality Formulas:

Other milk-based drinks:

Are donations being received?

Do they include infant/young child foods?

Who is responsible for managing donations?