OBA Update 2017 Activities

Jennifer Foster, BSN, RN, IBCLC
OLCA Member at Large
OBA Leadership Board- Chair
• Hosted 1 Membership Meeting
• Continued to respond to individual nursing in public situations and presented a toolkit to educate about nursing in public at a museum
  – Presented this education several times last year too
  – Toolkit is available free on website
• Sent 2 representatives to USBC Coalitions meeting
• Initiated work on Childcare Project R/T revised Ohio regulations (pilot in Cuyahoga County)
• Interactive Breastfeeding Resources Database on website
• Ohiobreastfeedingalliance.org
• Please update as appropriate
• Ohio Chronic Disease Collaborative-disbanded
• BF work in Ohio under the Early Childhood Health Network
• Continue as one of the lead organizations for Ohio First Steps for Healthy Babies
• http://www.odh.ohio.gov/OhioFirstSteps
2016 OBA Leadership Board

- Mary Burton, RNC-BSN, IBCLC, employer: Akron General Medical Center; Region 6 Representative & Leadership Board Vice Chair.
- Stephanie Carroll, IBCLC, CLC, CLS, employer: Mommy Xpress; Region 7 Representative.
- Ann Davis, Dayton, Ohio; La Leche League of Ohio Member at Large, Leadership Board Secretary.
- Michelle Catersino, BS in Maternal Child Health: Human Lactation, ALC, employer: Nationwide Children’s; Region 4 Representative.
- Sylvia Ellison, MA, MPH, employer: Wright State University School of Medicine; Region 2 Representative.
- Jennifer Foster, BSN, RN, IBCLC, employer: Summa Health Systems; OLCA Representative at Large & Leadership Board Chair.
- Lori Nester, RD, LD, IBCLC, Allen County WIC Breastfeeding Coordinator; Region 3 Representative, Leadership Board Treasurer.
- Terri Rutz, RN, BSN, IBCLC, employer: Cincinnati Children's Hospital, Cincinnati, Ohio; Region 1 Representative.
- Mary (Libby) Svoboda, MEb, BSN, RN, IBCLC, FACCE, CKC, employer: University Hospitals of Cleveland, Ohio; Region 5 Representative.
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• $10

Get Involved!
• Alternates for many regions needed
• Representatives need for regions: see exhibit
• Committee Members needed: see exhibit