



# HEALTHIER BABIES BEGIN WITH HEALTHIER PREGNANCIES



# Get your baby off to a good start

Having a baby can be an exciting time — it can also be overwhelming.

That's why there's the Maternity Management program. The Maternity Management program provides parents one-on-one support from a maternity case manager during and after a pregnancy.

You'll get helpful personalized advice from a knowledgeable expert to answer all the questions that come with being pregnant. In addition, you'll get:

- Guidance for having a healthier pregnancy
- Online tools and resources about prenatal and infant care
- Help preparing for your baby's arrival
- Tips on staying happy and healthy after your baby is born

## CONSIDERING BREASTFFFDING?

Breast pumps are covered by most health plans, with a prescription from your doctor. If it's covered by your plan, you will need to buy or rent it from an in-network durable medical equipment (DME) supplier. Here are a few things to keep in mind when buying a breast pump:

- The type of pump you choose, manual or electric, will determine your cost and coverage
- Additional breast pump supplies, including bottles, tubes, shields and freezer packs, are not covered by your health plan
- Not all DME suppliers sell breast pumps.
   If you need help finding one, contact the customer service number on the back of your member ID card or log in to your bluecrossmn.com/3M account and search for "durable medical equipment."

# A HEALTHY START

Take the first step to getting your child off to a good start in life. If you're expecting, call now to get started.

#### 1-866-489-6948

Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Central Time



### **Preparing for baby checklist**

Prenatal care is the most important thing you can do for your health and the health of your baby. Schedule regular prenatal visits with your doctor throughout your pregnancy.

#### **Before delivery**

☐ Use the Find a Doctor tool at

bluecrossmn.com/3M to find an in-network
hospital at which your doctor provides
services. You can also start your search for
an in-network pediatrician for your child.

#### **During your hospital stay**

- ☐ A lactation support visit is covered when received during the hospital delivery and subsequent inpatient stay to answer questions you may have on breastfeeding
- ☐ If you already have your breast pump, bring it to the hospital and ask questions you may have about how to use it

#### After delivery

- ☐ Enroll your baby in your health plan within 30 calendar days
- ☐ Schedule your baby's first well-baby appointment with an in-network pediatrician
- ☐ Schedule your postpartum visit for the sixth week after giving birth
- ☐ Talk with your doctor or maternity case manager if you're feeling down, stressed or overwhelmed