

UCI Campus Lactation Support Program

UCI Lactation Room Standards

As of January 2020, UCI will be working directly with each location to implement new minimum standards that takes into account all current legal requirements and the Lactation Facility Standards for the UC Community, developed by the UC Systemwide Advisory Committee on the Status of Women (SACSW), which reflects University goals and indicates practices for providing exceptional support to nursing mothers.

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Minimum Standards

To be implemented by July 2020.

- Private Space: Shielded from view and free from intrusion from co-workers, students, and the public. With a door and lock.
- Sanitary Space: Safe, clean and free of hazardous materials. Cleaned on a regular schedule. Sanitizing wipes in room.
- Adequate Lighting: Employee can easily navigate their way around the space
- Accessible Outlet: Outlet within reach and available. Extension cord/power strip if needed.
- Table: Large enough to hold employee's belongings and a breast pump
- Chair: Ideally made of easy to clean material
- Signage: Room labeled, Use/Vacant Signage, Access information posted
- Access to refrigeration to store milk: Refrigerator or cooler
- Access to sink with running water
- Trashcan
- Sanitizing Wipes
- Policies Posted:
 - Accommodations for Nursing Mothers California Law (SB 142, Labor Code Section 1030)
 - UC-Wide Accommodations for Nursing Mothers (PPSM 84)

For more information about room locations including accessibility and contact information, visit: <http://www.wellness.uci.edu/LactationRoomsUCIcampus.pdf>

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