



**Australian
Breastfeeding
Association**

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**Australian Breastfeeding Association congratulates the
University of Western Australia**

The Australian Breastfeeding Association congratulates the University of Western Australia on the establishment of a Chair for Human Lactology in Biochemistry. This and other new research roles are thanks to a donation from the Family Larsson-Rosenquist Foundation.

“Breastfeeding is important – for babies, for their mothers and for all Australians and an investment of this calibre, that enables a dedicated discipline in lactation will ensure mothers and babies receive the best support when experiencing difficulty breastfeeding” said Rebecca Naylor CEO of the Australian Breastfeeding Association.

“Independent funding for breastfeeding research is commendable, and the significance of this donation that sees human lactation as a dedicated discipline will lead to better outcomes for mothers and their babies”, said Naylor.

“We congratulate Emeritus Professor Peter Hartmann and acknowledge his long-term dedication to the research of human lactation.”

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Links:

<https://www.breastfeeding.asn.au/bfinfo/health-outcomes-associated-infant-feeding>

About the Australian Breastfeeding Association

The Australian Breastfeeding Association (ABA) is Australia's largest breastfeeding information and support service, providing assistance to more than 80,000 mothers each year. ABA also provides up-to-date information and continuing education for thousands of health professionals working with mothers and babies. It is our vision that breastfeeding is recognised as important by all Australians and is culturally normal. As Australia's leading authority on breastfeeding, we support, educate and advocate for a breastfeeding inclusive society.