# **Postpartum Care**

# "After the birth of a new life, the mother's well-being is very important"

### Importance of This Class

The postpartum period is a crucial phase that brings many changes to the mother's body and mental state. In our Postpartum Care Class, mothers are provided with the necessary knowledge and practical advice:

✓ Body & Mental Health Maintenance – Physical recovery, nutritious food, adequate rest ✓ Complication Prevention – Awareness about postpartum bleeding, infections, depression ✓ Child Welfare – Proper methods of breastfeeding, child care knowledge ✓ Family Support – Assistance that family members should provide to the mother ✓ Self-Confidence – Mental strength to face motherhood with confidence

# Why is This Class Necessary?

✓ Lack of Knowledge – Many lack clarity about postpartum care ✓ Increase in Nuclear Families – Fewer elders to share experiences ✓ Rise in Mental Health Issues – Postpartum depression is common ✓ Limited Access to Healthcare Services – Basic care knowledge is essential ✓ Social Pressure – Modern lifestyle adds pressure to mothers

In Summary: This class helps mothers be physically and mentally healthy, fully prepared to raise their child.

#### **Breastfeeding Classes**

"Breast Milk - The First Nutrient of Life" Breast Milk is Best Milk (Liquid Gold)

Objective: V Nutritional value and importance of breast milk Ensuring the baby drinks milk correctly (Position & Latch) V Common problems and solutions Mother's diet & mental state maintenance

## Class Details

✓ Duration: 4 hours (1 hour per day) ✓ Location: Hospital / PHC / Health Center ✓ Methods: Explanation + Practical Demonstration + Q&A

Main Topics: ✓ What is breast milk? Why is it important? ✓ Importance of Colostrum ✓ WHO & UNICEF Recommendation – Exclusive breastfeeding for 6 months ✓ Correct position & latch for feeding (Live Demo) ✓ Solutions for breast engorgement, blocked milk ducts, low milk supply ✓ Milk storage methods ✓ Mother's diet, yoga to reduce stress

#### **Human Milk Donation**

✓ Lifesaving service for babies who cannot receive breast milk ✓ Practice recommended by WHO, UNICEF ✓ Collection, testing, pasteurization, distribution through Milk Bank

Eligibility: 

Healthy mothers 

Those without infectious diseases

World Breastfeeding Week (WBW) 77 August 1–7 Objective: Awareness about breastfeeding Key Message: ✓ Exclusive breastfeeding for 6 months ✓ Breast milk + nutritious solid food up to 2 years ✓ Health benefits for mother and child