FEEDING PREMATURE AND SICK BABIES



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Babies can be breastfed as soon as they are strong enough.



When babies are not strong enough, the mother can **express her milk** and feed it to her baby in different ways.

During **kangaroo care**,

bring your baby closer to the breast when you notice he's alert.





You can advance on oral feeding with **sensitivity and motor stimulation**.

CUP FEEDING

With the cup leaning on the baby's lower lip and the milk barely touching the lips



SYRINGE FEEDING

Placing the syringe in the corner of the mouth (not inside) without injecting the milk

TUBE FEEDING

Using a **tiny tube** that goes through nose or mouth into the baby's stomach



FINGER-SYRINGE FEEDING Introducing the tip of a clean finger that stimulates the baby to suck