

Join the *Think Babies* in calling on Congress to pass the *Build Back Better Act*. Your phone call can make a big difference for babies!

## To make your call(s):

- Fill out this short form.
- You will receive a phone that call that will connect you directly with the office of your Senators or Representative.
- Use the sample script to share your message with staff. This script will also appear once you submit the form.

## Use this sample script to share your message:

- Hello, my name is [Your Name] and I am a constituent who lives in [City/Town]. I'm calling today to urge the [Senator or Representative] to support and pass a Build Back Better Act that:
  - Establishes a permanent paid family and medical leave program for all families, giving them paid time
    off to bond with new or newly adopted babies, or care for their babies if they have a serious health
    issue;
  - Builds our country's child care system by making sure no family pays more than 7 percent of their income for child care, early educators receive higher wages, and that we build a supply of the highquality child care babies and toddlers need; and
  - Makes the expanded Child Tax Credit permanent.
- Right now, babies' brains are being built with over one million new neural connections being formed every second. Babies' needs are non-negotiable. Their growing brains need the full package of care essentials so they can have strong, healthy development now and success in the future.
- This is of particular importance to me because [describe why this is important to you].
- For crying out loud, it's time to invest in our babies TODAY.
- Thank you for your time and all the work you do to support families with young children.

Remember to hang up once you've completed your call or have left a voicemail **OR** press \* (star key) to be connected with another Member of Congress.