

BREAST LATCH DANCER HAND



- **The DanCer hand position is useful to support the chin of a baby:**
 - premature
 - lacking muscle tone
 - with a neurological problem
- **By stabilizing the jaw, the weight of the breast puts no pressure on the baby's chin, allowing him to suckle well and keep the breast in his mouth**



Technique

- Coat the breast with the hand, sliding three fingers forward, including the thumb and forefinger.
- Position the fingers on either side of the baby's jaw, forming a "U" shape and supporting it
- When the baby approaches the breast, his chin is at the bottom of the "U"
- Mother's fingers hold baby's cheeks during feeding