

CHILDBIRTH EDUCATION

COURSE TITLE: MW 6325 CHILDBIRTH EDUCATION

Course hours: 20 hours (4 classes) each class is 5 hours

Course Description: This course is designed to teach the student midwife how to be an educator to clients. The education is specific to out of hospital settings. Organizing classes, teaching aids, devising client manuals, speaking in front of a group and content will also be covered.

Course Objectives: Given pertinent information, supported by instructional resources, the student will be capable of performing a variety of related skills. **In** order to demonstrate mastery of these objectives, the student must respond correctly on instructor revised evaluations, achieving a percentage of accuracy that meets the requirements for academic performance as published in the school catalog

Upon completion of the course, the student will be able to

MW 6325.01 demonstrate knowledge about the philosophy, history and development of childbirth education

MW 6325.02 describe the benefits and disadvantages of the different childbirth education methods

MW 6325.03 list the pros and cons of becoming certified as a childbirth educator

MW 6325.04 apply the principles of adult education and group instruction to the development and execution of a teaching plan

MW 6325.05 develop a teaching plan that meets the parents cognitive and experiential learning needs

MW 6325.06 recognize the right of the parents to accept or reject the material presented

MW 6325.07 Identify means of keeping current in the field of pregnancy and childbirth

MW 6325.08 describe what teaching aids would be helpful

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Required Text: Maternal Newborn Nursing, by aIds, Lundon and Ladewig
Education and Counseling for Childbirth Education, by Sheila Kitzinger and ICEA
reference materials

Course Outline:

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Introduction

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