

In Progress

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MDWF11002 *Professional Midwifery Practice 1*

Term 1 - 2027

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General Information

Overview

This unit is the first in a series of six Professional Midwifery Practice units offered in the Bachelor of Midwifery program. It introduces you to the midwife's role in supporting normal physiological processes throughout pregnancy, childbirth, and the postnatal period, and prepares you to undertake Midwifery Professional Experience (MPE) placements in future units. Through both theoretical study and simulated clinical practice, you will develop the essential knowledge and skills required to provide safe, effective care to women and their families. The unit explores key midwifery philosophies, models of maternity care, and the professional scope of practice, with a strong emphasis on delivering evidence-based, high-quality, woman-centred care. Attendance at a five-day in-person residential school is mandatory. Successful completion of the Objective Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE), conducted during the residential school, is required to pass this unit.

Details

Career Level: *Undergraduate*

Unit Level: *Level 1*

Credit Points: 6

Student Contribution Band: 7

Fraction of Full-Time Student Load: 0.125

Pre-requisites or Co-requisites

Co-requisites: Legal, Ethical and Professional Midwifery Practice Introductory Human Anatomy & Physiology 1 Evidence-based Practice in Health Care

Important note: Students enrolled in a subsequent unit who failed their pre-requisite unit, should drop the subsequent unit before the census date or within 10 working days of Fail grade notification. Students who do not drop the unit in this timeframe cannot later drop the unit without academic and financial liability. See details in the [Assessment Policy and Procedure \(Higher Education Coursework\)](#).

Offerings For Term 1 - 2027

- Bundaberg
- Cairns
- Mixed Mode
- Rockhampton

Attendance Requirements

All on-campus students are expected to attend scheduled classes – in some units, these classes are identified as a mandatory (pass/fail) component and attendance is compulsory. International students, on a student visa, must maintain a full time study load and meet both attendance and academic progress requirements in each study period (satisfactory attendance for International students is defined as maintaining at least an 80% attendance record).

Website

[This unit has a website, within the Moodle system, which is available two weeks before the start of term. It is important that you visit your Moodle site throughout the term. Please visit Moodle for more information.](#)

Class and Assessment Overview

Information for Class and Assessment Overview has not been released yet.
This information will be available on Monday 11 January 2027

CQUniversity Policies

All University policies are available on the [CQUniversity Policy site](#).

You may wish to view these policies:

- Grades and Results Policy
- Assessment Policy and Procedure (Higher Education Coursework)
- Review of Grade Procedure
- Student Academic Integrity Policy and Procedure
- Academic Progression Policy and Procedure
- Student Refund and Credit Balance Policy and Procedure
- Complaints Policy and Procedure
- Information and Communications Technology Acceptable Use Policy and Procedure

This list is not an exhaustive list of all University policies. The full list of University policies are available on the [CQUniversity Policy site](#).

Unit Learning Outcomes

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Alignment of Learning Outcomes, Assessment and Graduate Attributes

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Textbooks and Resources

Information for Textbooks and Resources has not been released yet.
This information will be available on Monday 15 February 2027

Academic Integrity Statement

Information for Academic Integrity Statement has not been released yet.
This unit profile has not yet been finalised.