

In Progress

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MDWF29006 *Complexities of the Childbearing Continuum*

Term 2 - 2027

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All details in this unit profile for MDWF29006 have been officially approved by CQUniversity and represent a learning partnership between the University and you (our student). The information will not be changed unless absolutely necessary and any change will be clearly indicated by an approved correction included in the profile.

General Information

Overview

This unit extends your foundational knowledge to prepare you to provide care to mothers and babies experiencing complexities across the childbearing continuum. You will gain the knowledge and skills required to conduct comprehensive assessments, develop midwifery care plans, provide safe, evidence-based care, and evaluate health outcomes. You will be introduced to a range of physiological, psychosocial, and sociocultural risk factors that affect health and wellbeing, enabling you to provide holistic, woman-centred care tailored to individual needs. Reflective and accountable practice is a core focus, as is the development of advanced skills in teamwork, communication, and continuity of care in complex situations. Throughout the unit, you will demonstrate proficiency in midwifery principles through critical analysis, integration of evidence-based knowledge, and practical application of theoretical frameworks. You will also enhance your leadership, clinical judgment, and reflective skills to navigate multifaceted challenges in maternity care. By engaging with the Australian College of Midwives (ACM) National Midwifery Guidelines for Consultation and Referral (2021), you will learn to apply policy and referral processes in culturally responsive, collaborative contexts. This prepares you to lead confidently within dynamic clinical environments and contribute to continuous improvements in midwifery practice.

Details

Career Level: *Postgraduate*

Unit Level: *Level 9*

Credit Points: 6

Student Contribution Band: 7

Fraction of Full-Time Student Load: 0.125

Pre-requisites or Co-requisites

Prerequisites: The Childbearing Continuum Corequisite: Midwifery Professional Experience 2

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 2 - 2027

- Online

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 17 May 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

Information for Unit Learning Outcomes has not been released yet.
This information will be available on Monday 17 May 2027

Alignment of Learning Outcomes, Assessment and Graduate Attributes

Information for Alignment of Learning Outcomes, Assessment and Graduate Attributes has not been released yet.
This information will be available on Monday 17 May 2027

Textbooks and Resources

Information for Textbooks and Resources has not been released yet.
This information will be available on Monday 21 June 2027

Academic Integrity Statement

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