



MIDWIFE OPPORTUNITY JOB DESCRIPTION

Company Profile

Pend Oreille Midwifery is located in Sandpoint, Idaho and specializes in home birth, birthing education, and natural birthing support. The busy practice and birth center are owned and operated by Idaho Licensed Midwife, Denise Midstokke and a small but essential team of education and birth professionals.

POM is a relationship-centered practice that places high value on providing personal, supportive midwifery care while maintaining an impeccable medical reputation through appropriate community resourcing, family education, and professional excellence.

Opportunity Description

We are looking for a Certified Professional Midwife to join our team in serving the community with midwifery services. This person will be an ambitious, enthusiastic, and dedicated midwife who is committed to both their professional career and our business development. The role involves full-time employment and on-call duty, in addition to some rural travel requirements.

Specific Job Requirements

1. Prenatal, birth, and postpartum care
2. Medical charting of clients and newborns
3. Basic accounting, record keeping of payments
4. IV placement, suturing, and
5. Laboratory skills (blood draws, results interpretation, etc.)
6. Emergency medical response to acute situations
7. Adherence to OSHA and medical health and safety regulations
8. Newborn assessment
9. Birth Center pre and post-delivery operations (sterilization, supply management, cleaning, redressing birthing suites, etc.)
10. On-call duty including weekends and nights when scheduled as primary midwife
11. Other responsibilities, tasks, and duties that are required upon time-to-time as the situation permits

Candidate Description

The ideal candidate is a midwife committed to the midwifery philosophy, families, and the childbirth process. This person has extensive midwifery experience and feels comfortable working diverse families from diverse religious, political, and ethnic backgrounds. The candidate is skilled and familiar with professional presentation, communicating with doctors and clients with ease, able to maintain medical excellence and focus in demanding or stressful situations. In particular we are looking for someone who is as excited about serving our community and developing our business as much as we are.

Candidate Prerequisites

- NARM Certified Professional Midwife
- Possessing or able to apply for Idaho Midwifery License
- Minimum of 5 years midwifery experience
- Basic computer and word-processing skills
- Medical charting knowledge and skills
- Driver's license and registered, insured vehicle
- 24 hour phone accessibility
- Residence within 20 minute response radius to birth center

If you are an experienced CPM looking for an incredible opportunity to live and work in North Idaho, then please send us a motivational letter, the completed application form and your professional/educational résumé so that we may get to know you better! Application deadline is April 15th, 2012.