

WomanCraft Midwifery Education Program

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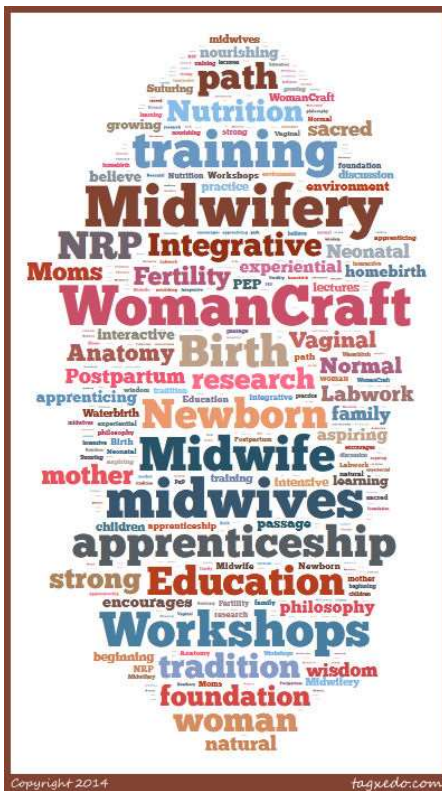
2-day Midwifery Assistant Workshop

Amherst, MA June 3 and 4 2017

Saturday 10am to Sunday 7pm

Thank you for interest in the WomanCraft 3-Day Midwifery Assistant Workshop. This is an opportunity to spend a weekend immersed in Midwifery and Birth, learn and practice valuable clinical skills. This workshop is ideal for anyone considering studying to be a midwife, apprentice and student midwives who are looking to gain valuable assisting skills and doulas who would like to learn more about midwifery and birth.

Get started on your journey towards midwifery today!



THE COURSE:

2 intensive days of midwifery knowledge and hands-on practice

Cost: \$250.00 per participant and includes the options to “camp” in our yurt classroom and vegetarian meals. (does not include books, basic supplies). There is a wood stove and electricity. Nursing babies under age 1 are welcome at the workshop. Class sponsor and location: Beth Anne Moonstone, 37 Thayer St Amherst, MA 01002 beth@womancraft.org

WomanCraft's Mission Statement:

- To provide a nourishing interactive learning environment for women to study holistic midwifery including midwifery art, academic, technical and clinical knowledge.
- To preserve the apprenticeship model of training and the age old tradition of woman to woman, mother to mother passage of knowledge
- To provide affordability, structure and a format that allows women from diverse backgrounds, ages, family status and financial status a route to study midwifery.

TO REGISTER: There is a \$100. non-refundable deposit required to reserve your spot in the workshop. This must be paid via Paypal, cashiers check or money order. The remainder of your fee, \$150. is payable the day of the workshop via Paypal, cashier's check, money order or cash. No personal checks please.

Please log on to www.womancraft.org and click on the link of upcoming dates for registrations and deposit. You are not officially considered registered until your deposit is paid and you have received a confirmation email. You may contact me at beth@womancraft.org

Required books and supplies:

Heart and Hands by Elizabeth Davis

WomanCraft Beginning Midwifery Kit available at <http://www.midwifesupplies.com/WCMEPNSP-p-A1.html> (optional)

Topic to be covered:

- The Life of a Midwife
- Routes to Midwifery training
- Apprenticeships and Opportunities
- NARM PEP Process and State Regulations
- Assisting a Midwife
- Anatomy for Pregnancy, Labor and Birth
- Leopold's Maneuvers
- Fetal Heart Tones
- Prenatal Care Skills

Skills to be covered:

- Physical exam skills including blood pressure, pulse, respirations, reflexes, heart, lungs, CVAT, edema
 - Universal Precautions
 - Nagele's Rule
 - Gestation Wheel
 - Feto-Pelvic Relationships
 - Physiology of Normal Birth
 - Complication Q&A
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About the Instructor: *Beth Anne Moonstone, CPM*

My midwifery practice and my style of teaching are based on the knowledge that birth is a sacred and natural process. Women already have the wisdom within them to give birth. Women can become empowered through birth. It is my belief that women give birth with their hearts and bodies NOT with their head. Birth works!

I am a Midwife, a Certified Professional Midwife (CPM), Midwifery Instructor, Certified American AquaNatal Instructor, Reiki Master/Teacher, lay homeopath and Children's Yoga Instructor (RCYP). I have been attending homebirths since 1994 and in private practice in the Pioneer Valley since 2001. You can get more info on my midwifery work and my background at www.amherstmidwifery.com

Midwifery Education

For the last 17 years I have been the director and lead teacher of the WomanCraft Midwifery Education Program. This program offers academic study programs and workshop for aspiring midwives. This program offers academic study programs and workshop for aspiring midwives. I have had the honor of helping many student midwives on their path to becoming midwives. I believe the first goal of each midwifery student, regardless of certification, legal status, or their particular path of training, should be to be the best midwife they can be.

To register please visit womancraft.org and use the workshop registration link on the right side of the page.