



UNIVERSITÀ
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

COURSE SYLLABUS

Introduction To Midwifery

2425-1-I0102D901-I0102D901M-T1-T5

Aims

Provide the knowledge elements related to the historical, professional and disciplinary background of midwifery care

Contents

The historical evolution of the Midwifery in relation to socio-cultural development

Detailed program

Historical evolution of the midwifery profession.

Definition of Internal History and External History.

Definition of Historical Ages.

Philology and primary/original and secondary/derived historical sources.

The history of midwifery education.

History of the object of study: a new "Category" of assisted persons; the unborn; the "Wheel of St. Catherine";

Hospitalization, Pestilence.

History of methods/methods: Semmelweis, the scientific and technological breakthrough, "Extraordinary" Birth and Medicalized Birth (Caesarean section)

Prerequisites

None

Teaching form

Remote lectures (consistent with the schedule of lectures in Teledidactics)

Textbook and teaching resource

S.Pairman, S. K. Tracy, H. Dahlen, L. Dixon, P. Peart, B. Pulis, Midwifery Preparation for Practice, Elsevier Health Sciences, 2023, 5nd edition

GUILLILAND K, PAIRMAN - S., The Midwifery Partnership. Un modello per la professione ostetrica, SEU, 2012.

Apologia della storia, o Mestiere di storico / Marc Bloch - 2. ed - G. Einaudi - 2009

Didattica delle scienze : epistemologia / Dario Antiseri - 2. ed - Armando - 1999

La disciplina ostetrica : teoria, pratica e organizzazione della professione / Miriam Guana ... [et al.] ; presentazione del Prof. Umberto A. Bianchi - 2. ed - McGraw-Hill - 2011

WHO (2008) Classificazione Internazionale del funzionamento, della Salute –ICF- Erickson.

Semester

First semester

Assessment method

Written test with multiple-choice quizzes and discussion interview on the course syllabus.

Office hours

On appointment.

Sustainable Development Goals

GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING | REDUCED INEQUALITIES
