



UNIVERSITÀ
DEGLI STUDI DI MILANO-BICOCCA

COURSE SYLLABUS

Pregnancy - 5

2526-2-I0102D010-I0102D029M-T5

Aims

At the end of the course the student:

- understand the physiology of pregnancy
- understand the changes associated with normal pregnancy
- be able to plan evidence-based obstetric care for women with normal pregnancies

Contents

The course provides the students the essential elements to understand the physiology of the pregnancy and provides the elements to plan an evidence based midwifery care.

Detailed program

The students will be able to plan and to provide an evidence base midwifery care during pregnancy in accordance with the Midwifery Partnership Model, the Midwifery Management, the international Classification Functions and evaluation scales.

Prerequisites

Students will receive a detailed bibliography before lessons start. They will have to study the material in order to be

evaluated on the required basic skills.

Teaching form

Lectures, practice exercises and group work.

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.

J. Coad, K. Pedley, M. Dunstall, Anatomy and Physiology for Midwives, Elsevier, 2019, 4th Edition

SPANDRIO et al., Fisiologia della Nascita. Dai prodromi al post partum, Caroccio Faber, 1° ed, 2014.

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

NICE, Intrapartum Care, 2023, available <https://www.nice.org.uk/guidance/ng235/resources/intrapartum-care-pdf-66143897812933>

World Health Organisation, WHO recommendations on maternal and newborn care for a positive postnatal experience, 2022, available

<https://iris.who.int/bitstream/handle/10665/352658/9789240045989-eng.pdf?sequence=1>

Queensland Health, Normal Birth, 2022, available

https://www.health.qld.gov.au/__data/assets/pdf_file/0014/142007/g-normalbirth.pdf

Detailed information on teaching materials will be published on the e-learning page associated with the course.

Semester

I semester

Assessment method

The exam will consist of written TEST and oral interview that will focus on assessing knowledge of the bibliography and the ability to develop appropriate connections and interpretations across the texts and content developed in class.

Office hours

On appointment

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