



## Job Description Form

HSS Registered

# Registered Nurse - Midwifery Student Edith Cowan University

**Nurses and Midwives Agreement; RN Level 1.2**

**Position Number: 00006983**

**Corporate and Executive Services Directorate**

**Department of Nursing and Midwifery Education and Research**

**Women and Newborn Health Service**

### Reporting Relationships

Director of Midwifery,  
 Nursing and Patient Support Services  
 Position No: 00006195



Coordinator of Nursing and Midwifery  
 Staff Development  
 RN SRN Level 7  
 Position No: 00007937



Clinical Facilitation Midwife,  
 Award Level 2  
 Position No: 00007192



**This Position**



Also reporting to this supervisor:

- Nurse Educator-Post Graduate SRN4
- Nurse Educators SRN 3 & 4
- Midwife Educators SRN 3
- Clinical Facilitation Nurse
- Clinical Facilitation Midwives
- Administrative Assistant

Directly reporting to this position:

Title	Classification	FTE
Nil		

Other positions under control

- Nil

**Prime Function / Key Responsibilities:** Responsible and accountable, under the supervision of a registered midwife, for the midwifery care of allocated women and babies.

Responsible for achieving theoretical course objectives and clinical competence at a beginning midwife practitioner level.

**Brief Summary of Duties (in order of importance)**

As a Registered Nurse entering midwifery, you are required to demonstrate progress in the achievement of the Midwife standards for practice (2018).

Standard 1: Promotes health and wellbeing through evidence-based midwifery practice

Standard 2: Engages in professional relationships and respectful partnerships

Standard 3: Demonstrates the capability and accountability for midwifery practice

Standard 4: Undertakes comprehensive assessments

Standard 5: Develops plans for midwifery practice

Standard 6: Provides safety and quality in midwifery practice

Standard 7: Evaluates outcomes to improve midwifery practice

**NMHS governance, safety and quality requirements**

1. Ensures as far as practicable, the provision of a safe working environment.
2. Participates in an annual performance development review.
3. Supports the delivery of safe patient care and the consumers' experience including participation in continuous quality improvement activities in accordance with the requirements of the National Safety and Quality Health Service Standards and other recognised health standards.
4. Completes mandatory training (including safety and quality training) as relevant to role.
5. Performs duties in accordance with Government, WA Health, North Metropolitan Health Service and Departmental / Program specific policies and procedures.
6. Abides by the WA Health Code of Conduct, Occupational Safety and Health legislation, the Disability Services Act and the Equal Opportunity Act.

**Undertakes other duties as directed.**

## **Work Related Requirements**

### **Essential Selection Criteria**

1. Eligible for registration in the category of Registered Nurse by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia.
2. Ability to achieve academic standard appropriate for midwifery course.
3. Evidence of ongoing professional development.
4. Clinical skills applicable to midwifery, appropriate for Level 1 Registered Nurse.
5. Ability to work and communicate effectively with other members of the health care team.

### **Desirable Selection Criteria**

1. Knowledge of current clinical governance systems.
2. Knowledge of role of the Midwife.
3. Current knowledge of legislative obligations for Equal Opportunity, Disability Services and Occupational Safety and Health, and how these impact on employment and service delivery.

### **Appointment Prerequisites**

Appointment is subject to:

- Evidence of current registration by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia must be provided prior to commencement.
- Working With Children (WWC) Check, compulsory check for people who carry out child-related work in Western Australia.
- Completion of 100 Point Identification Check.
- Successful Criminal Record Screening Clearance.
- Successful Pre-Employment Integrity Check.
- Successful Pre-Employment Health Assessment.

### **Certification**

The details contained in this document are an accurate statement of the duties, responsibilities and other requirements of the position.

#### **Manager/Supervisor**

Name:

Signature/HE:

Date:

#### **Dept./Division Head**

Name:

Signature/HE:

Date:

#### **Position Occupant**

Name:

Signature/HE:

Date:

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