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## Employment/contract opportunity:

### Norfolk Roots Midwives seeks a Second Birth Attendant

*~ Starting summer/fall of 2020*

*~ Pay is \$45/day of on call, plus \$216/birth attended*

#### **About Norfolk Roots Midwives:**

Founded in 2015 in the town of Simcoe, ON, near Lake Erie, Norfolk Roots Midwives is currently a practice of four registered midwives. We are searching for a second attendant to join our current on-call rotation of second attendants. This will be a one-year contract with the possibility of extension. We have a home birth rate of approximately 50-60% and it is at these births that the second attendant acts as an assistant to the midwife (currently our second attendants do not provide back-up for hospital births).

#### **Candidates must have or be willing to obtain Certificates in:**

- Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (Health Care Provider Level) in person course
- Association of Ontario Midwives Emergency Skills Program or SOGC's ALARM
- Neonatal Resuscitation Program by the Canadian Pediatric Society (course available through Norfolk Roots Midwives)

#### **Assets in the Second Attendant candidate:**

- Comfortable with homebirth, including water birth and vaginal birth after cesarean
- Capable of working efficiently and calmly in emergency situations
- Comfortable taking direction and implementing instructions as well as taking the initiative to fulfill the duties of the second attendant
- Proficient in medical documentation
- Valid driver's license and access to a vehicle at all times when on call
- Experience working in health and/or maternity care
- See the [College of Midwives of Ontario](http://www.collegemidwives.org) website for more information on Second Attendants roles and responsibilities (Standard on Second Attendants)

Please forward your resume and email of interest to: info@norfolkrootsmidwives.ca

We look forward to hearing from you. All submissions will receive a reply.

Thank you for your interest!