



**Birthingway College of Midwifery
Labor Doula Scholarship Program
Application**

Name: _____ Date: _____

I am applying as a member of the _____ traditional community.

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone #'s and E-mail: _____

Describe why you are interested in becoming a doula. What kind of commitment do you have to supporting women in your traditional community during childbirth?

How do you plan on bringing doula work into your community?

This program is for bilingual (fluent in English plus another language) persons who wish to serve as Labor Doulas in their traditional communities. If you are awarded this scholarship, you will be notified and scheduled to attend one of Birthingway's Labor Doula Workshops. If you commit to this scholarship, you agree to complete the workshop, and attend and document five births serving women in your traditional community as a volunteer during your Birthingway Doula training. Additionally, you must create a presentation on the birth traditions &/or special circumstances women from your community might face during pregnancy, labor, and postpartum at some point during the 3 years you have to complete the program. Your certification is good for 4 years. The scholarship covers the cost of Birthingway's Labor Doula workshop (minus the cost of class materials), the Labor Doula Practicum Program application fee, and the Certification fee. You are responsible for attending the workshop, the workshop materials fee, and serving as a volunteer Doula for 8 births (as mentioned above). By signing below, you agree to these conditions.

Signature

Date

Character References: (No family members, please)

Name and address	Phone #'s	Relationship
1. _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____
2. _____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____	_____ _____ _____

Work Experience (most recent first):

Employer	Job Description	Dates
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Educational Background:

Institution (including High School)	Dates attended	Degree/Diploma
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I verify that the above information is true: _____
Signature of Applicant

Please submit this application to: Birthingway College of Midwifery
12113 SE Foster Rd.
Portland, OR 97266
503.760.3131 or stacey@birthingway.edu