



CASE STUDY

REBECCA POTTER

Course:

POET (Pre hospital Obstetric
Emergency Training)

Referred: Kathy Boardman

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WHAT IS YOUR CURRENT ROLE?

Community midwife and Specialist
midwife for Clinical Education.

WHERE DO YOU WORK?

East Sussex Healthcare Trust.

HOW WAS THE COURSE USEFUL TO YOUR ROLE?

Extremely. As a Community Midwife it
is vital to have a good knowledge of
emergency procedures within a
non-clinical setting, as my role is about
regularly visiting expectant mothers.

As such, it's imperative I spot any early
signs of things not going accordingly and
be able to take preventative action and
this course gave me new insights whilst
brushing up on long-standing skills.

I also found it very useful to work
alongside the paramedics and have a
better understanding of their role, their
training and their guidelines. This allows
all the clinicians to dovetail and support
one another which ultimately is best for
the patient.



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