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# Obstetric

CASE STUDY

### **REBECCA POTTER**

#### Course:

POET (Pre Obstetric Emergency Training)

Referred: Kathy Boardman Date of course: July 2017

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### WHAT IS YOUR CURRENT ROLE?

Community midwife and Specialist midwife for Clinical Education.

### WHERE DO YOU WORK?

Fast 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.