

# CARE NET OF DANE COUNTY

## POSITION DESCRIPTION

### JOB TITLE

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- **Title:** Volunteer Childbirth Educator
- **Reports To:** Assistant Nurse Manager
- **Date Analyzed:** 03/24/2010
- **Wage Category:** Volunteer
- **Hours:** Scheduled time as arranged with the Nurse Manager.

### JOB FUNCTION

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The Volunteer Childbirth Educator provides support to women and men who have made a carry-to-term decision by offering free childbirth education.

### DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES – ESSENTIAL FUNCTION OF JOB.

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#### A. Education:

1. Educates clients, one-on-one or in group settings, on information surrounding prenatal health, childbirth and newborn care.
2. Collaborates activities and efforts with other medical, nursing and auxiliary personnel.
3. May assist with training of staff and volunteers.
4. Maintains confidentiality.

#### B. Professional and Personal Development:

1. Increase knowledge of women's health, childbirth and newborn issues.
2. Participate in volunteer in-services and meetings to keep up with changes in policies and procedures and to increase knowledge.

### POSITION SPECIFICATIONS

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- A. Have training, experience and expertise in the area of maternal-child health and childbirth education.
- B. Must complete Care Net's volunteer training.
- C. Must believe in Jesus Christ, God's gift of eternal life and evidence a strong Christian life testimony.
- D. Be in full agreement with Care Net's Statements of Principles and Faith, Mission and Values Statements and Statement of Purpose.
- E. Attend church on a regular, weekly basis.
- F. Registered nurse, midwife, doula or certified childbirth educator.