



**Natalie Jones**  
Registered Midwife  
Expert Witness



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## **General Background**

Senior Midwife since 2004 working within a high-dependency inner city hospital.

Main areas of expertise include:

- Providing and supporting intrapartum care to both low and high-risk women within the Central Delivery Suite and Midwifery Led Units.
- Providing antenatal and postnatal care within the community and hospital settings.
- Providing induction of labour care.
- Providing caesarean section care.
- Providing high dependency care to women and neonates.
- Cardiotocograph (CTG) and fetal monitoring, interpretation, management and education.
- Teaching the management of obstetric emergencies and working as an emergency responder.
- Perineal repair and lead facilitator on teaching.
- Antenatal and postnatal education.
- Reviewing clinical incidents and RCA investigations and report writing.
- Caring for high-risk neonates within a Transitional Care setting
- Assessing suitability, counselling and consenting women in the postnatal period regarding contraceptive choices.
- Insertion of subdermal contraceptive implants.

## **Education and Qualifications**

September 2001 to August 2004 – University of the West of England, Bristol

- BSc (Hons) Midwifery
- Facilitating learning and Assessment 2007 (post graduate module to enable the mentoring of student midwives)
- High dependency Care 2012 (post graduate module)

Additional Training – Regular in-house training within UHBW Trust; Obstetric Emergencies, Advanced Neonatal Resuscitation, Advanced Adult Resuscitation, High Dependency Care and Co-morbidities, Mental Health and Fetal Monitoring. FINE course for neonatal developmental care (2024). FSRH Contraceptive choices course (Sept 2023). FSRH Contraceptive counselling course (Nov 2023). FSRH competence in subdermal contraceptive insertions (June 2024).

## **Employment History**

October 2012 to present – St Michael's Hospital, Bristol

Band 7 Midwife, delivery suite coordinator and manager of the Midwifery Led Unit.

Since March 2023 – Managing the Transitional Care ward as the Band 7 Ward Sister. Caring for families with complex needs and vulnerable neonates, including prematurity, maternal diabetes, maternal substance misuse, complex social needs, and extensive feeding support.

Roles and responsibilities -

Reporting to the Head of Midwifery, managing and leading a department comprising of up to 80 staff, with 16 direct reports.

- Effective leadership involving the setting, monitoring and maintenance of professional standards.

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- Ensuring highest levels of patient care, both personally and through all staff.
- Complaint resolution.
- Managing staff recruitment and selection.
- People management and development.
- Conducting regular staff appraisals and reviews.
- Implementing human resource policies to manage staff both positively and through difficulties.
- Operating within a multidisciplinary panel investigating compliance to standards and guidelines.
- Working within tight budgetary constraints.
- Ensuring concise data collection and record keeping, confirmed by regular formal audits.
- Analysis of collected data to ensure continuous operational improvement.
- Ensuring industry set standards of professional behaviour.
- Shift workforce planning and organisation.
- Lead on the development and updating of Trust and local policies, guidelines and standards.
- Conducting risk assessments and ensuring compliance of health and safety management.
- Ensuring all staff have the ability and resources to provide the highest level of patient care at all times.
- Nurturing, supporting and teaching staff to ensure constant, safe, patient-centred care.
- Leading on the update and transformation of the transitional care ward.

October 2004 to 2012 – St Michael's Hospital, Bristol

Rotational Midwife.

Roles and responsibilities -

Providing care, supervision and advice to women and their families during pregnancy, intrapartum and the postnatal period, as set out by The Midwives Rules and Standards 2012.

- Effective and regular communication with patients.
- Maintaining a safe environment; identifying potential hazards to patients and staff with regards to equipment and premises and managing accordingly.
- Participating in the departmental risk management system.
- Maintaining accurate and contemporaneous documentation in compliance with the Data Protection Act.
- Liaising and communicating effectively with other departments and professions via written documents, telephone or email.
- Contributing to meetings, multidisciplinary ward rounds, hand overs and case conferences as required.
- Disseminating professional and clinical knowledge to colleagues.
- Taking responsibility for own professional development and standards.

## Memberships

- Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC)

## Expert Witness Background

Associated with AMG Consultancy Services Limited since 2022, acting in the capacity of expert witness in midwifery. Able to utilise professional skills and experience to facilitate report writing, and the development of skills to prepare expert witness reports.

Bond Solon Certified Legal Training Course: "Excellence in report writing" Completed Nov 2024.