Curriculum Vitae Caroline Paster, CM, LM, MS.

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Education

08/2010-05/2012 SUNY Downstate Medical Center

M.S. Midwifery with academic distinction

05/2008-08/2010 New York University

Post-Baccalaureate studies for NYU School of Medicine

08/2002-05/2006 Syracuse University

B.A. Psychology with concentration in neuroscience B.A. Women's Studies with academic distinction

Employment

11/2014-Present Boro Park OB/GYN & Midwifery

- Licensed midwife in full scope, high volume private and autonomous midwifery practice.
- Prenatal, intrapartum, postpartum care along with family planning and gynecology.
- Nexplanon insertion and removal certified
- Medical abortion care
- Midwifery administrative liaison
- Admitting and delivery privileges at Maimonides Medical Center

04/2013-11/2016 Coney Island Hospital Brooklyn, NY

- Licensed midwife practicing full scope midwifery including antenatal care, labor and delivery, first assist at cesarean section and bilateral tubal ligation, postpartum care, antenatal fetal surveillance for high risk obstetrical patients (including biophysical profiles), well woman gynecology (adolescence

through menopause) and family planning.

- Professionally, I was the leader and founder of the midwifery journal club at Coney Island and a member of the new-hire orientation committee.

06/2012- 06/2013 Garden OB/GYN Private practice New York, NY

- Licensed midwife in a high volume private practice.
- Cared for antenatal, postpartum, family planning and gynecology patients from adolescence through menopause.

01/2007-05/2008

The Mount Sinai School of Medicine

- Grants manager and clinical research assistant investigating inflammatory risk factors for mild cognitive impairment.

06/2006-01/2007

Columbia University/The New York State Psychiatric Institute

- Brain image analyst and research assistant investigating maternal cocaine abuse and effects of neonatal whole brain volume using fMRI.

Academic Affiliations & Awards

- 2017 American College of Nurse-Midwives (ACNM) Outstanding Preceptor Award
- 2012 Class Representative, SUNY Downstate Medical Center
- Allport Scholar in Psychology & Research, Syracuse University
- Suzanne Reddick Spirit of Midwifery Award 2012: "To a student who, in the judgment of the faculty, embraces the care of women with special passion, warmth, and kindness." (received upon graduation from SUNY Downstate)
- 2012 Award for clinical and academic excellence upon graduation from SUNY Downstate Midwifery Program

Professional Affiliations & Pertinent Certifications

- American College of Nurse-Midwives (ACNM)
- New York State Perinatal Association
- International Confederation of Midwives (ICM); Attending 2011 ICM conference in Durban, South Africa which focused on improving maternal morbidity in developing nations.
- Certified First Assistant at Cesarean section through Philadelphia University 11/2013

Neonatal resuscitation, fetal heart monitoring, BLS References available upon request.