

Instructions for midwives completing the Examination of the Newborn Practical Assessments

1. Once you have successfully completed the examination of the newborn theoretical module then you are required to complete a minimum of five practical examinations for which you must be assessed as competent
2. Please print off the attached assessment guide, include your name and Midwifery Council registration number in the appropriate spaces
3. Arrange for a suitably qualified midwife to attend the examination with you. This can be a midwife educator, midwife lecturer or a midwife colleague who holds a current New Zealand Midwifery Council Annual Practising Certificate. It cannot be a midwife with an interim practising certificate or another midwife who is required to complete the Examination of the Newborn course. The assessments must be completed in New Zealand.
4. Ask your colleague to assess you as you complete the examination
5. Once completed you must both sign and complete the assessment sheet
6. We would prefer that you provide scanned and emailed copies of each of the five assessments to andy@midwiferycouncil.health.nz. If you are sending original documents by post, please make a copies of the completed assessment sheets for your own records and return the originals to the Midwifery Council secretariat as follows:

Midwifery Council of New Zealand
PO Box 9644
Marion Square
Wellington 6141
7. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the Secretariat 04 499 5040 or info@midwiferycouncil.health.nz