



Community Doula Training Scholarship Application

1555 Indian River Blvd, Suite B241
Vero Beach, FL 32960
772-563-9118
www.irhealthystart.org

The Indian River County Healthy Start Coalition (IRCHSC) is pleased to be offering community member's scholarships for training to become a community based Doula, and the opportunity to become a per diem certified Doula for IRCHSC.

What is a Doula: A Doula, also known as a birth companion or post-birth supporter, is a trained professional who provides continuous physical, emotional and informational support to a mother before, during and shortly after childbirth to help her achieve the healthiest, most satisfying experience possible. Birth doulas help support new families through the life changing experience of having a baby!

If interested, please complete the following information. You will also interview with a Coalition staff member.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

County of Residence: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Do you have children? (Yes) _____ (No) _____ if yes, how many: _____

Highest Level of Education Completed: _____

List of community activities/engagements and previous volunteer work in the community:

How long have you lived in this community? _____ Do you plan on relocating? _____

Do you have any maternal and child health experience? _____

If yes to the previous question please explain: _____

Tell us why this training is important to you?

Do you know anyone who works for Indian River County Healthy Start Coalition? (Yes) _____ (No) _____

If yes, who? _____

Are you interested in becoming a Certified Doula? _____

Are you willing and able to commit to assist women in the community with 3-5 births per year? _____

Are you currently employed? (Yes) _____ (No) _____

If yes, where?

Employer: _____

Job Title: _____ Dates of Employment: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Phone: _____

I certify that my answers are true and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signature: _____ Date: _____