



Michelle Clausen

Certified Nurse-Midwife

As a Certified Nurse-Midwife, Michelle Clausen provides comprehensive medical, gynecological and reproductive care to those in the DMV. She is passionate about advocating for the field of midwifery and believes that everyone should have access to high quality midwifery care. She is also committed to protecting physiological birth in both hospital and out-of-hospital settings. Michelle is active in health policy work and is a member of the DC Board of Nursing Committee and is the current Legislation Representative to the DC Affiliate of the American College of Nurse-Midwives (ACNM).

Michelle completed her undergraduate studies in Public Health at the George Washington University in 2009. She then graduated from GW's accelerated nursing program in 2013 and received her MSN with a concentration in Nurse-Midwifery in 2015. She is currently completing her third year in the GW School of Nursing's PhD program, and her current research is focused on understanding how maternal factors such as spiritual well-being and early childhood adversity influence bonding in the perinatal period.