

MS. JUSTINA APPIAH

SENIOR STAFF MIDWIFE

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Experienced, compassionate and self-motivated midwife with passion for delivering quality health care to clients and their families.

Diligent with extensive experience in community health nursing, mentors and motivates nursing teams to develop safe, effective and efficient facility operations.

SKILLS & ABILITIES

Antenatal and postnatal care |labour management| neonatal resuscitation |fetal monitoring |breastfeeding support | patient advocacy| infection prevention and control| record keeping |medication administration| family planning| health education| child welfare clinic management|

EXPERIENCE

2013 – 2016

Community Health Nurse

- To organize and provide community health (nursing) services to meet the health needs of a defined catchment population including; immunization programs, health education activities, home visits, disease control services, community engagement, liase with other agencies and stakeholders to assist clients in need of support.

2016- 2020

Senior Community Health Nurse

- To organize and provide community health (nursing) services to meet the health needs of a defined catchment population including; immunization programs, health education activities, home visits, disease control services, community engagement, liase with other agencies and stakeholders to assist clients in need of support.

- Assist in the deliveries in the hospitals and during home visits when the need arises (i.e. with respect to Community Health Nurse Midwife).
- Ensure all equipment used in the community, syringes, needles etc. are returned to base and destroyed according to the GHS infection control policy and guidelines.

2022- 2024 **Staff Midwife**

- **To assess, plan, implement and evaluate midwifery care.**
- Anticipate and recognize deviations from normal infant deliveries and carry out laid down procedures to safeguard the well-being of mothers and babies such as resuscitation of newborns, treatment of hemorrhage and shock, fetal distress, prolapsed cord, and other life-threatening conditions.
- Assist with the organization and conduct of prenatal classes for expectant parents to help ensure safe pregnancy, childbirth and puerperium.

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EDUCATION

2004- 2007 West African Senior Secondary Certificate Examination

United Pentecostal Senior High School,
Ashaiman

2010- 2012 Certificate in Community Health Nursing Nursing and Midwifery Training School, Adansi Fomena

2018- 2020 Diploma in Midwifery

Presbyterian Nursing and Midwifery Training College,
Dormaa Ahenkro

COMMUNICATION

Strong verbal and written communication skills, including the ability to provide constructive feedback and collaborate effectively with colleagues, clients and family and other stakeholders

LEADERSHIP

Leads and manage Bokruwa CHPS Compound as facility in charge in the Ahafo Ano South East District.

PERSONAL INNOVATION/COLLABORATIONS

1. Construction of a battery powered wooden radiant warmer to provide warmth for newborns.
2. Initiated and constructed a placenta pit for the CHPS Compound
3. Collaborated with Global Meds laboratory services to provide free ultrasound scan and laboratory services using the NHIS to clients due to the long distance from the CHPS compound to a secondary facility.
4. Collaborated with Margaret Afriyie Mother and Child Care Initiative (MAMCCI) to provide two sachets of milo, a tin of milk and two pieces of diapers to mothers after delivery.

REFEREE

1. Ms. Priscilla Sarkodie

District Director of Health Services, Ahafo Ano South East

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2. Mrs. Irene Idi

Public Health Nurse, Ahafo Ano South East

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