



Evolution Insurance Brokers Helps Birth Professionals Meet Their Malpractice Requirements with Professional Liability Coverage

February 8, 2006, (Chicago, Illinois). Nurse midwives, direct entry midwives, students, birth centers, doulas, and their suppliers, consultants, and backup physicians can now turn to Evolution Insurance Brokers (“EIB”) to meet their insurance needs.

Even in a profession dedicated to safe birthing and providing the utmost care, situations do arise, and professional liability coverage is essential to practitioners in order to pursue this vocation as a business. In many states insurance is required for licensure or to participate in Medicaid and/or insurance plans.

EIB, a full service excess and surplus lines insurance brokerage has decades of experience finding coverage when others could not find market for insuring difficult risks. EIB understands the unique underwriting characteristics and needs of birth professionals. EIB can offer quick quotes, obtain coverage, and provide underwriting, claims, and risk management expertise.

EIB understands hospital standards vs. birth center standard, midwifery standards vs. obstetrical standards, patient choice and informed consent. This expertise is invaluable when defining and defending claims or disciplinary actions.

EIB quotes excess coverage with Prime Insurance Syndicate, Inc. (INEX). Many times a practicing midwife does not know where to turn in the event of a questionable outcome or disciplinary action. Prime has a unique partnership approach, which is of the utmost importance in keeping a stable insurance marketplace for birth professionals.

Prime has a team of claims specialists and in-house legal counsel to provide advice, assistance, and education in the event of an adverse situation.

Prime will also be proactive by working with and educating policyholders how to avoid claims.

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