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SPECIAL SESSION AND LIVE Q&A: Celebrating Midwives: The Answer to Quality Maternal and Newborn Care

Keywords:

Midwife-led, outcomes and quality

Description/Overview:

It is 25 years since the first randomised controlled trials demonstrated the value of midwife-led care. Covid-19 has raised the profile of midwives and nurse-midwives, and the importance of the care they give. This session will look at the contribution of midwife-led care to quality maternal and newborn care.

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