Centre for Midwifery, Child and Family Health Research Framework

	For all childbearing women, children and infants			For childbearing women, children and infants with complications	
Midwifery, Child and Family Health Practice categories	Education Information Health promotion	Assessment Screening Care planning	Promotion of normal processes, prevention of complications	First-line management of complications	Midwifery, medical, obstetric, neonatal, paediatric services
Organisation of care	Available, accessible, acceptable, good-quality services – adequate resources, competent workforce Continuity, services integrated across community and facilities				
Values	Respect, communication, community knowledge, and understanding Care tailored to women's, children's and families' circumstances and needs				
Philosophy	Optimising biological, psychological, social and cultural processes, strengthening women's, children's and families' capabilities Expectant management, using interventions only when indicated				
Care providers	Practitioners who combine clinical knowledge and skills with interpersonal and cultural competence Division of roles and responsibilities based on need, competencies and resources				

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