

Blue Cross Complete of Michigan Doula Registry

The Blue Cross Complete of Michigan Doula Registry provides information regarding doulas who have been verified as completing a Michigan Department of Health and Human Services-approved doula training, including area served, doula specialty, and ability to serve Medicaid beneficiaries. Contact the doulas listed below to find out if they're accepting new clients.

Southeastern Michigan

Jasmine Alexander

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- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth
- **Areas served:** Washtenaw county

Katelyn Beall

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- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth
- **Areas served:** Jackson, Lenawee and Washtenaw counties
- **Specialties:** LGBTQIA+

Exie Buehler | **Tranquil Touch for Women**

734-751-3475 | exie@tranquiltouchforwomen.com | tranquiltouchforwomen.com

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, other
- **Areas served:** Oakland, Washtenaw and Wayne counties
- **Specialties:** Childbirth Educator, Perinatal Mental Health Coach



Maraia Cochran | Lenawee Birth and Doula Services, LLC

O: 517-260-2693 | C: 517-270-6867

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- **Doula practice:** WIC Peer Counselor
- **Areas served:** Hillsdale, Ingham, Jackson, Lenawee, Monroe, and Washtenaw counties
- **Special population:** LGBTQIA+, Black, Indigenous, Latinx, Neurodivergents

Lakeshia Grant | Health Connect One

313-957-9610 | lakeshia84@gmail.com

- **Doula practice:** Community based
- **Areas served:** Wayne County
- **Specialties:** Childbirth Educator
- **Special population:** Black Communities

Khalifah Green | Womb Wise Co

wombwiseco@gmail.com | wombwiseco.com

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, postpartum
- **Areas served:** Genesee, Livingston, Macomb, Monroe, Oakland, Washtenaw and Wayne counties
- **Specialties:** Placenta Encapsulation, Belly Binding, Herbalist, Community Breastfeeding & Babywearing Educator, Culturally Competent Care
- **Special population:** All populations but most commonly Black and/or Muslim
- **Bilingual:** AAVE

Yasmine Hicks | Yasmine Hicks Doula Services, LLC

501-454-2443 | yasminehicks@hotmail.com | yasminesdoulaservices.com

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, postpartum
- **Areas served:** Wayne and Oakland counties
- **Specialties:** Certified Lactation Counselor
- **Bilingual:** Arabic

Meghan Jansen

248-494-6183 | seedoflifedoulaservices@gmail.com | seedoflifedoulaservices.com

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, postpartum
- **Areas served:** Lake, Macomb, Oakland and Wayne counties

Sandy Kalek

313-701-9038

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth
- **Areas served:** Wayne county
- **Specialties:** Childbirth Educator, Body Ready Method Pro., Peri steam Hydrotherapist Facilitator, Narcan Certified, SMC Trauma trained
- **Bilingual:** Some Arabic

Lorenda Lewis | Healing with Dignity, LLC

313-254-5464 | lorendal@healingwithdignity.com | healingwithdignity.com

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, postpartum, community based, other
- **Areas served:** Metro Detroit and Oakland, Washtenaw and some of Macomb counties
- **Specialties:** Nutritional Doula, Full Circle, CLC, CBE, CPR/First Aid Instructor
- **Special population:** Black, Indigenous, Middle Easter and Muslim communities
- **Bilingual:** Some Arabic

Shekita Long

313-495-1993 | shekita.wimberly@gmail.com | shekitalong.IntakeQ.com/booking

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, Community-Based
- **Areas served:** Lapeer, Livingston, Macomb, Monroe, Oakland, St. Clair, Washtenaw and Wayne counties
- **Special population:** Black, Indigenous, Veterans and Economically-disadvantaged

Suzanne Marshall | Nanny On Wheels

313-790-0051 | nannyonwheels@gmail.com

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, postpartum
- **Areas served:** Oakland and Wayne counties

Nisha Mason | Doula for ManKind

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- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, postpartum
- **Areas served:** Jackson, Washtenaw and Wayne counties
- **Special population:** All humans

Morgan McCurry | Mother Moon Birth & Postpartum Services

O: 517-939-9494 | C: 517-877-2435 | mothermoondoulas@gmail.com

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, postpartum
- **Areas served:** Branch, Calhoun, Hillsdale, Jackson and Lenawee counties
- **Specialties:** Certified Lactation Counselor (CLC), Childbirth Educator, Certified Perinatal Nutrition Educator (CPNE)

Janell Morse | Calming Breath Doula Services

314-620-8710 | janell@calmingbreathdoula.com | calmingbreathdoula.com

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, community based
- **Areas served:** Branch, Hillsdale, Jackson and Lenawee counties
- **Specialties:** Rabozo Certified, Childbirth Educator, CMA
- **Bilingual:** ASL

Lorrie Murrel | C.A.R.E Doula Services, LLC

313-505-7700 | caredoulaservicesllc@gmail.com | caredoulaservicesllc.com

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth
- **Areas served:** Metro Detroit and surrounding areas

Kathryn Schmidt | The Nurturing Doula

805-791-8325 | thenurturingdoula@hotmail.com | thenuturingdoula.com

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth
- **Areas served:** Huron, Macomb, Oakland, Saginaw, Sanilac, Shiawassee and St. Clair counties
- **Specialties:** Childbirth Educator, Rebozo and Spinning Babies
- **Special population:** All humans
- **Bilingual:** Some Sign Language

Raquel Singleton

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- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, postpartum
- **Areas served:** Wayne and Oakland

Keisha Watkins-Dukhie | Ebb & Flo Birthing Services

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- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, postpartum, community based, other
- **Areas served:** Macomb, Oakland, Wayne and Washtenaw counties
- **Special population:** Black and LGBTQIA+

Southwestern Michigan

Alyssa Kropewnicki | Amaryllis Doula Services

313-444-2861 | amaryllisdoulaservices@gmail.com | amaryllisdoula.com

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, other
- **Areas served:** Ionia, Kent, Mecosta, Montcalm, Muskegon and Ottawa counties
- **Special population:** LGBTQIA+, Military, Polyamorous, Pagan

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Macy Navarro | Great Lakes Graceful Birth

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- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, postpartum, community-based
- **Areas served:** Allegan, Berrien, Kalamazoo, Kent and Van Buren counties
- **Special population:** LGBTQIA+

Odunola Oladejo-Popoola | Anike Birth Doula

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- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth
- **Areas served:** Allegan, Barry, Berrien, Calhoun, Cass, Kalamazoo, St. Joseph and Van Buren counties
- **Special population:** Black, People of Color, Incarcerated Birthing People, African Community
- **Bilingual:** Yoruba

Kristen Schell

269-332-1022 | hello@kristenschellbirth.com | kristenschellbirth.com

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth
- **Areas served:** Allegan, Berrien, Cass, Kalamazoo, St. Joseph, and Van Buren counties
- **Specialties:** Body Read Method Pro, Childbirth Educator
- **Special population:** LGBTQIA+, D/Deaf/HOH and disabled communities

West Michigan

Holly Lindsey

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- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, postpartum, community-based
- **Areas served:** Benzie, Kent, Grand Traverse, Lake, Manistee, Mason, Muskegon and Wexford counties
- **Specialties:** CLC
- **Special population:** Black, Indigenous, Latinx

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Northwest Michigan

Courtney Holbrook

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- **Areas served:** Charlevoix and Emmet counties

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- **Areas served:** Benzie, Kent, Grand Traverse, Lake, Manistee, Mason, Muskegon and Wexford counties
- **Specialties:** CLC
- **Special population:** Black, Indigenous, Latinx

Northeast Michigan

Jennifer Smejkal | Nourish Me Naturally Lactation and Doula

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breastfeedingnorth.wixsite.com/breastfeednorthmi

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, community-based
- **Areas served:** Crawford, Ogemaw, Otsego and Roscommon counties
- **Specialties:** IBCLC
- **Special population:** Low-income, working class families

Mid-Michigan

Maraia Cochran | Lenawee Birth and Doula Services, LLC

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Julia Powers | Nurture and Connect Doula Services

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- **Doula practice:** Postpartum
- **Areas served:** Clinton, Eaton and Ingham counties

Central Michigan

Kathryn Schmidt | The Nurturing Doula

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- **Special population:** All humans
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Thumb Area

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Tiffany Kahofer | Black River Birth Services, LLC

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info@blackriverbirthservices.com | blackriverbirthservices.com

- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, postpartum, other
- **Areas served:** St. Clair County – McLaren Port Huron
- **Specialties:** Childbirth Educator, offering in-person and telehealth visits

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- **Specialties:** Childbirth Educator, Rebozo and Spinning Babies
- **Special population:** All humans
- **Bilingual:** Some Sign Language

Northern Lower Peninsula

Krystal Barnhart | Northern Sun Birth Services LLC

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- **Doula practice:** Labor and birth, postpartum
- **Areas served:** Northern Lower Peninsula
- **Specialties:** Lamaze Certified Childbirth Educator (LCCE), Peer Lactation Specialist
- **Special population:** LGBTQIA+

Jennifer Smejkal | Nourish Me Naturally Lactation and Doula

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- **Special population:** Low-income, working class families



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 - Qualified sign language interpreters
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 - Qualified interpreters
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- **Blue Cross Complete of Michigan Member Grievances**
P.O. Box 41789
North Charleston, SC 29423
1-800-228-8554
(TDD/TTY: **1-888-987-5832**)
- If you need help filing a grievance, Blue Cross Complete of Michigan Customer Service is available to help you.

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U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

200 Independence Avenue, SW
Room 509F, HHH Building
Washington, D.C. 20201
1-800-368-1019
(TDD/TTY: **1-800-537-7697**)

Complaint forms are available at:
hhs.gov/ocr/office/file/index.html.

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