

Intuitive Doula offers complete birth and post partum doula training. We encourage potential doulas to tap into their intuitive and perceptive nature. Coursework is offered as self-directed distance learning. Each student is individually mentored while they are taught the art of caring for pregnant women and their families. A look at Intuitive Doula compared with other training organizations.

	Intuitive Doula	ALACE	Childbirth International	Birthing From Within	Birth Works	Birth Arts	DONA
Total Cost	\$500	\$425-795	\$430	\$1450	\$770	\$350-450	\$430
Training Materials	Guidebook and Texts	Manual	Program Text	Unknown	Guidebook	Yes	Not Known
# Of Births Required	3	6	2	10	2	5	3
Time Limit	18 mons flexible	None	3 years	2 years	1 year	Open	2 years
Assignment Required	Yes, to mentor confidence	Yes	Yes, 1 essay	Yes	Yes, Journal	Yes	Yes, 1 essay
Full Distance Learning	Yes	No	Yes	No	No	Yes	No
# Books Required	6	5	3	2	4	2	5
Childbirth Class	Yes, audit 1 series	1 series	1 class				1 series
Continuing Education	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
List Your Services on Web Site	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Credit for Prior Education or Experience	Yes	Unknown	Yes	Unknown	Unknown	Yes	No
Student Support	Yes, online group, email	Yes	Yes	Unknown	Yes	Yes	Yes
Workshop Required	No	Yes, 3 day	No	Yes, 3 day	Yes	No	Yes
Course taught by CNM	Yes	No	No	Unknown	No	No	No