

# Belmont Midwifery Group Practice (BMGP) Information Sheet

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***‘Enriching lives  
through positive  
birth  
experiences’***



***Belmont  
Midwifery Group  
Practice***

***Providing care  
for well healthy  
woman and  
families since  
2005***



## ***Our philosophy***

- We believe in one woman – one midwife, placing you needs at the centre of care
- Childbirth & breastfeeding are a normal, healthy part of a woman's life.
- The transition to motherhood is sacred and life-changing experience for both the woman and her family.
- Midwives will hold you safely in your choice of birth space and be there for two weeks after birth to support you transition to motherhood.

## ***What we can offer***

- Belmont Midwifery Group Practice (BMGP) provides woman-centred care tailored to your needs through pregnancy, birth and postnatally.
- BMGP welcomes women and families identifying as Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander. Our team works closely with the AMIHS Birra-li program to provide culturally appropriate maternity care.
- Our service provides a warm, family-friendly, safe environment for your childbirth experience.
- Midwifery-led continuity of care is provided by a small team of midwives.
- You will have a known midwife who will coordinate care for you throughout your pregnancy, birth and for up to two weeks at home.

- You will have phone call support, 24 hours by the team of midwives for concerns
- Women experiencing a normal, healthy pregnancy, who live within a 35 minute drive from John Hunter Hospital, can choose to birth at home with the support of our midwives.

**Visit Facebook: Friends of Belmont for care & birth stories**

## ***Our location***

- Second floor of Belmont Hospital, Croudace Bay Road, Belmont.
- Pregnancy care at Belmont Hospital or your home.
- Postnatal care is provided in your home for two weeks.
- There is no on-site medical cover in the birthing unit. Our midwives work with the doctors at John Hunter Hospital to support your care should there be any concerns.

## ***How do I access this service?***

- Self-referral for Expression of Interest for care– just call us!
- GP referral is required for JHH first trimester ultrasound 10-12 weeks pregnant IMAP assessment

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***Consumer reviewed resource***

