

## ***CHALLENGE EXAMINATIONS FOR THE MIDWIFERY PROGRAMME***

In recognition of the varied educational and experiential backgrounds of students, the program has adopted a challenge examination process in some courses. This is a test of the individual's level of knowledge and functioning in relation to the course objectives. If successful, the student is given credit and not required to take a course. A challenge examination is not a course given through independent study but an opportunity for the student to demonstrate previous mastery of the course material.

Students may not challenge any course in which they have been registered for auditing or credit purposes. They may challenge a course only once and may not challenge after having enrolled in or taken the course.

Students are permitted to challenge: MIDW 1406

The program administers the course challenges and verifies the eligibility of each applicant. To challenge a course, a student must apply to the program and pay the appropriate fee, then complete any required work and submit it to the program for assessment prior to the challenge examination, which is supervised by a program representative. Students receive relevant course outlines and objectives after applying for a challenge examination.

Transfer or challenge credits do not shorten the study period required to complete the program.

Approved by Senate

See page 145 of the 2002-2004 Academic Calendar