



# GIRL SCOUT PATCH BIRTH IN PLACE

*The Birth in Place Patch was released in conjunction with the 2018 annual meeting of the American College of Nurse-Midwives in Savannah, Georgia, the home of Juliette Gordon Lowe, the founder of the Girl Scouts USA.*

The Birth in Place Patch gives a scout the opportunity to learn enough about uncomplicated birth to provide emergency assistance. In learning about birth and immediate newborn care, the scout can also learn about careers in women's health. Any troop can use this patch. All readings, worksheets, instructions and videos for this patch are freely available online without charge at <https://advantagemidwifery.org/birth-in-place-patch>



**AdvantageMidwifery.org**

**Prepares girls  
ages 10+ to  
provide birth  
support during  
emergencies**

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**Hurricanes,  
floods,  
earthquakes may  
leave women  
separated from  
medical health**

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**Introduces  
immediate care of  
the newborn**

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**Career component  
introduces girls to  
nursing, midwifery  
and medicine**

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**Service  
component aids  
birth support  
organizations**