



## CAPPA Labor Doula Certification Programs TRADITIONAL CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

### Course Requirements

- Be at least 18 years of age.
- Attend a CAPPA Labor Doula training.
- Read selected books from the CAPPA Labor Doula [Required Reading List](#).
- Read the CAPPA Labor Doula Training Manual (received at training).
- Complete all requirements below within 2 years of the training class.
- Become a [Member](#) of CAPPA.
- Enroll in the [Labor Doula Traditional Course in CAPPA Academy](#) and complete the items below.
  - Pass the Scope of Practice Pretest. A 100% passing grade is required.
  - Read and watch the video clips from the [Understanding Birth Booklet](#).
  - Read and watch the video clips from the [Understanding Breastfeeding Booklet](#).
  - Attend a minimum of 3 labors/births as a doula. You will be required to obtain 3 total evaluations from parents and 6 total evaluations from healthcare providers. Details/forms are provided within CAPPA Academy.
  - Create a Resource List with information on local support for parents. A guide for creating this list is found in CAPPA Academy.
  - Sign and agree to the following:
    - Code of Conduct
    - Social Media Policy
    - Grievance Policy
    - CAPPA Mission
    - CAPPA Approach
    - CAPPA Vision
    - Scope of Practice
  - Pass the multiple-choice exam. A passing grade is 85% or higher. If a student does fail an exam, resubmission fees may apply.
  - Pass the essay exam. The essay exam is graded on a pass-fail basis. If a student does fail an exam, resubmission fees may apply.
- Mail all completed materials to:  
PO Box 340  
Hoschton, GA 30548
- Please view all of [CAPP A's Policies and Procedures](#).