## Midwife First Assistant Case Evaluation Form

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### Diagnosis:  
### Procedure:

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<th>2 - Not demonstrated</th>
<th>3 - Demonstrated</th>
<th>4 - Skilled</th>
<th>5 - Proficient</th>
<th>6 - Able to teach</th>
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### Skills to be Evaluated / Demonstrated

1. Pre-op care/History & Physical
2. Demonstrates knowledge of surgical procedure
3. Applies principles of aseptic technique
4. Assists with positioning, draping, and equipment set-up
5. Anticipates needs of surgeon
6. Demonstrates safe tissue handling
7. Utilizes safe suctioning techniques
8. Provides effective retraction with:
   a. Techniques appropriate for tissue and anatomy
   b. Appropriate instrumentation
9. Provides hemostasis utilizing:
   a. Electrosurgery
   b. Clamps/ties
   c. Pressure/sponging
   d. Collagens/cellulose
   e. Other
10. Performs safe dissection of tissue and layers
11. Demonstrates suturing skill, “following”, and cutting of suture
   a. Knot tying
      i. Two-handed tie
      ii. One-handed tie
      iii. Instrument tie
   b. Ligation of vessels
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12. Exhibits manual dexterity

13. Offers suggestions based on clinical & theoretical knowledge

14. Works effectively as part of the perioperative team

15. Effective in emergency or stressful situations
    - a. Provides appropriate action
    - b. Provides direction to team members
    - c. Provides assistance to team members

16. Provides post-op care
    - a. Post-op orders
    - b. Post-op rounds
    - c. Post-op instructions and discharge
    - d. Office-based post-op follow-up

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Mentor Validation: __________________________________________________________