
1. Why did you chose to have a home birth?

Very disappointed with hospital experience inspite of all being very straight forward. No real caring or encouragement when one showed initiative

2. Where did you get your first information - Citizens' advice, Family Planning, G. P. etc.

Friends & books.

3. Was your home birth all you had hoped for?

First one (2nd child) yes
different - 2nd one (3rd " .) yes except for midwife from 1st.
the midwife insisting on pulling on the cord after my repeatedly asking her not too.
Just waiting on 3rd (4th child) any day
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and really looking forward to having everything just right this time. I think apart from the actual delivery it is vitally important for to have help in the home which can be quite difficult when one is without family or friends who can help at this time. This is not to be confused with the follow up care from the midwives.

