

ATM Midwifery Training Program Honor Code

- My answers to homework, quizzes and exams will be my own work (except for assignments that explicitly permit collaboration).
- I will not make solutions to homework, quizzes or exams available to anyone else. This includes both solutions written by me, as well as any official solutions provided by the course staff.
- I will not engage in any other activities that will dishonestly improve my results or dishonestly improve/hurt the results of others.

Important Definitions:

Help: Helping another person to find the answer without giving them the answer; assisting one to understand the answer he/she found

- Explaining a difficult concept to another student
- Say, "Look in Chapter 7 in Varney."
- Asking a confused student leading questions to provide direction for learning

Collaboration: The act of one or more people working together in order to achieve something; working with others to achieve shared goals; a joint effort of multiple individuals or workgroups to achieve a task or project; working together to find an answer

- Group projects
- Directions say collaboration is permissible, encouraged, or required

Generally, collaboration is not allowed on homework assignments. If you are unsure about any situation, ask the staff!

Plagiarizing: Representing the words, ideas or work of another person as one's own and not offering proper citation of the source

Cheating:

- Giving or receiving, prior to an examination, any unauthorized information concerning the content of that examination
- Referring to or displaying any unauthorized materials inside or outside of the examination room during the course of an examination; this would include looking up answers to questions during an online test if it has been designated a "closed-book" test
- Communicating during an examination in any manner with any unauthorized person concerning the examination or any part of it
- Giving or receiving substantive aid during the course of an examination
- Commencing an examination before the stipulated time or continuing to work on an examination after the announced conclusion of the examination period
- Taking, converting, or concealing any property related to the preparation or completion of assignments, research or examination
- Submitting the same written work to fulfill the requirements for more than one course.

The ATMMTP understands that sometimes there is a fine line between genuine discussion and help, which we encourage, and what might be considered cheating. *If you are unsure if the action you are considering is cheating or not cheating, ask!*