

Table 1 – Background of student midwives who participated in the focus groups

Pseudonym	Sex	Age (years)	Nationality	Care experience	Programme of Study
Graca	Female	25	European	1 SB	Pre-registered group (FG1)
Karima	Female	24	European	1 SB	
Arizona	Female	26	European	1 SB	
Jay	Male	31	European	5 SBs 1 TOP 1 miscarriage	Direct entry group (FG2)
Abby	Female	36	European	1 SB 1 miscarriage	
Mina	Female	21	Non-European	1 SB	
Fiza	Female	25	Non-European	1 SB 1 TOP	
Asma	Female	26	Non-European	1 Miscarriage	
Vicky	Female	23	European	1 SB 1 Miscarriage	
Maya	Female	32	European	2 SBs	