



## CONTRACT FOR INDIVIDUAL CHILDBIRTH ASSISTANCE

Rīga, (date) \_\_\_\_\_

Rīga Municipality limited liability company “Rīga Maternity Hospital”, represented by its authorized person (position, name, family name) \_\_\_\_\_ hereafter “Maternity Hospital” and patient (first name, family name) \_\_\_\_\_

residing at \_\_\_\_\_

personal code \_\_\_\_\_ passport \_\_\_\_\_ Nr. \_\_\_\_\_ issued in \_\_\_\_\_ or a legal representative of a person requiring legal guardianship \_\_\_\_\_

(name, family name, personal code,

number of legal document, address of residence, telephone, e-mail)

hereafter “Patient” conclude the following contract for individual childbirth assistance.

### I. Subject of the Contract

1. The subject of the contract is a paid service of the Rīga Maternity hospital – individual childbirth assistance, provided by the chosen specialist, further in the contract called as “Individual Childbirth Assistance”.
2. Individual Childbirth Assistance is provided by a certified specialist of the Maternity hospital, chosen by the patient. In the case of unavailability of the chosen specialist patient has rights to choose another specialist or discontinue the contract, Maternity Hospital is offering another specialist or discontinuing the contract.
3. Individual Childbirth Assistance is provided by the following certified specialist:  
midwife \_\_\_\_\_  
obstetrician gynecologist \_\_\_\_\_  
(first name, family name of the specialist and the amount of the agreement in EUR)  
Other paid services, chosen by the patient (if present) \_\_\_\_\_
4. The present Contract is concluded additionally to the general Patient care contract foreseeing state warranted medical care during childbirth in accordance with the legislation of the Republic of Latvia.

### Rights and Liabilities of the Patient

5. Patient undertakes liabilities:
  - 5.1. To appraise and agree to the plan of childbirth care, offered by the contracted Party, provider of the individual childbirth assistance;
  - 5.2. To inform immediately the contracted Party about the signs of the onset of labor as well as any unclear conditions and to follow recommendations of the contracted Party. To present the present Contract upon admission to the Maternity hospital,
  - 5.3. To comply with all the instructions from the care provider, related to the fulfillment of this Contract; to adhere to all the regulations from the medical personnel while in treatment; to observe the internal regulations of the Maternity Hospital.
  - 5.4. To cover payment for care and received services in amounts and payment terms stated in the Contract;
6. Patient has rights:
  - 6.1. To receive individual childbirth assistance from the contracted Party from the moment when Patient has informed contracted Party about the initiation of labor till complete fulfillment of the present Contract.
  - 6.2. To accept individual childbirth assistance of another specialist, offered by the Maternity hospital, if the chosen specialist happens to be unavailable or to cancel the present Contract.
  - 6.3. To change the provider of the individual childbirth assistance or cancel the present Contract, having informed the contracted Part of this Contract before the onset of labor.
  - 6.4. To receive other services of the Maternity hospital that are included in the general Patient contract of the Maternity hospital or additional services in accordance with the Price list of the Maternity hospital.

## Rights and Liabilities of the Maternity hospital

7. Maternity Hospital undertakes liabilities:

- 7.1. To provide individual childbirth assistance of the chosen certified specialist or another equal specialist, if the chosen specialist is unavailable (with an agreement of the Patient);
- 7.2. To provide other services stated in the Contract;
- 7.3. To deliver and require from the Patient all the information needed for a successful fulfillment of the present Contract;
- 7.4. To comply with the principles of medical ethics and protection of patient data.

8. Maternity hospital has rights:

- 8.1. To require Patient's commitment to the childbirth assistance and related medical care, provided by the contracted Part;
- 8.2. To expect fairness of childbirth assistance related information, provided by the Patient;
- 8.3. To offer individual childbirth assistance of an equal certified specialist if the chosen one happens to be unavailable.

## II. Prices and Conditions of the Payment

9. Prices

Individual Childbirth Assistance of a doctor obstetrician gynecologist	
Individual Childbirth Assistance of a midwife	

10. Patient covers all the payments prior to discharge from the hospital.

11. Payment can be performed by a direct payment at the cashier desk of the Maternity Hospital or bank transfer to the account of the Maternity Hospital (specifications in the homepage of the Maternity hospital: [www.dzemdibu-nams.lv](http://www.dzemdibu-nams.lv))

12. Any amount that remains unpaid to the Maternity Hospital will be treated as a Patient's debt and will be dealt with in accordance with legislation of the Republic of Latvia. A penalty of 1 % of the unpaid amount will be added to the balance for each overdue day.

### General conditions

13. The Contract is in legal force when signed by both Parties and until fulfillment of the obligations.

14. The present Contract must be signed prior to Maternity Hospital admission, and must be presented when entering the Maternity Hospital for childbirth.

15. The Patient has the right to void the contract prior to fulfillment of the contract obligations. In this case the Maternity Hospital must be informed.

16. Details can be added, and the contract can be changed, when it is mutually agreed upon by both Parties and changes are identified in a written form.

17. In all contract disputes, if agreement cannot be reached through discussion between parties the dispute will be settled through the Latvian court system.

18. Two copies of the contract are provided. Each party receives a copy, and both copies are of the same legal strength.

Patient or legal representative \_\_\_\_\_

Authorized Representative of the Maternity hospital \_\_\_\_\_