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Get inspired by
“The Mother of
Modern Midwifery” and

Support birth options
in your community!

May 29th:

A Place for Birth Workshop 1:00 pm

A two-hour session with Ina May; relish in her wit & wisdom as we explore the power & beauty of birth, especially where it happens, how it happens, and how birth experiences can be enriched in our neighborhoods and lives. A workshop for the whole birth community – not just health professionals! Babes in arms welcome, however childcare is not provided.

\$50 per person – pre-registration is recommended, as space is limited!

Book Signing of *Birth Matters* 4:00 p.m.

Hear Ina May speak about her new book *Birth Matters* - a work guiding us to trust women, to value birth, to nurture families, and to reconcile modern life with a process as old as humankind. Books will be available for purchase for \$15 per book. Cash and checks only please.

Free and open to the Public!

May 30th:

“Brunch for Birth” a Womenscare Fundraiser with Ina May!

A rare opportunity with Ina May; nourish your soul with intimate conversation, and feed your body with a delicious catered meal. Includes a signed copy of her newly-released signed book *Birth Matters: A Midwife's Manifesta* (Seven Stories Press).

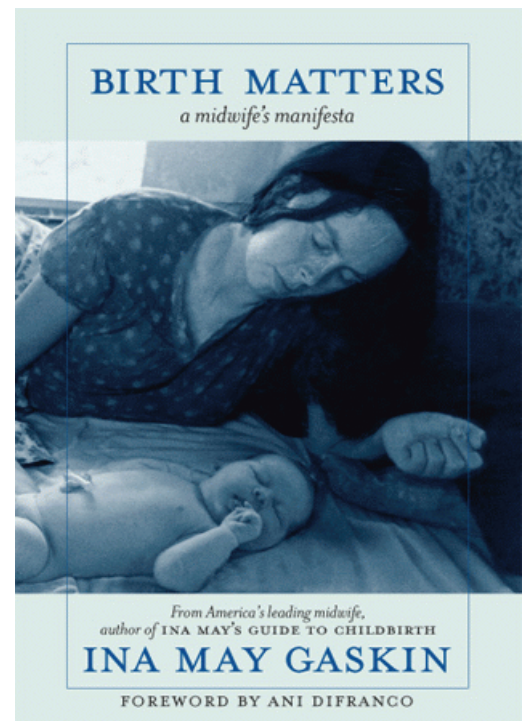
\$100 per person Space is very limited!

Workshop and Book Signing Location:

**Tuttleman Auditorium ~ Philadelphia University
Henry Avenue and Schoolhouse Lane
Philadelphia, PA 19144**



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Womencare
is proud to join with our friends at
**The Midwifery Institute of Philadelphia University &
Penn School of Nursing Graduate Midwifery Program**

to announce...

Birth Matters, Philadelphia - with Renowned Midwife Ina May Gaskin!

Womencare is honored to join with The Midwifery Institute of Philadelphia University, and the Penn School of Nursing, Graduate Midwifery Program, to host an inspiring day with Ina May Gaskin in support of birth options for Philadelphia Communities! We invite everyone ~ mothers, daughters, expecting couples, women's health professionals and advocates, family & friends of all ages ~ all who are interested in the relevance and importance of birth in our area, to gather with us!

Ina May Gaskin has been called "the most important person in maternity care in North America, bar none" by Marsden Wagner, M.D., M.S., former Director of Women's and Children's Health, World Health Organization. Join us as we welcome "the world's most famous midwife" to share a lively day of education, inspiration, and fellowship with this legend of modern midwifery and women's health.

Sunday, May 29th 2011

Workshop 1:00-3:00

Lecture and Book Signing 4:00-6:00

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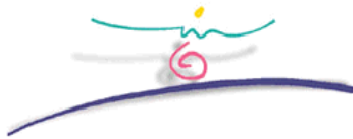
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Online Pre-Registration: www.womencarepa.org

Information: inamayinphilly@gmail.com | 267.243.9764

Proceeds will benefit Womencare



**Birth Matters, Philadelphia
Program of Events:**

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Registration/Check-in 12:00

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We also encourage attendees to browse our Birth Fair: delve into organizations and businesses relating to birth in our community!

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Directions and Parking Information are available at:

<http://www.philau.edu/directions/index.html>

About Us:

Womencare

Womencare is a community based non-profit organization in Philadelphia, born in 2007. Our purpose is to create a health and maternity care center in Philadelphia where all women can get OB/GYN health care services, equal access, safe, quality and inclusive care. We are parents, Midwives, Doulas, birth advocates and researchers, working to bring birth back to Philadelphia communities. Find us online at:

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Sponsors:

The Midwifery Institute of Philadelphia University:

The Midwifery Institute of Philadelphia University is committed to the development of the profession of midwifery. We believe that midwives provide a distinctive type of care that benefits women and families. The Midwifery Institute's mission statement is “to promote midwifery for the betterment of women's health.” That mission is realized through consulting, research, and both continuing and basic midwifery education.

To learn more, visit our website: www.philau.edu/midwifery

The Penn School of Nursing, Graduate Nurse-Midwifery Program

The mission of the Penn Nurse-Midwifery Program is to create leaders in the field of midwifery whose practice and life's work reflect the highest standards of care for women and newborns within their families and communities everywhere. To this end, midwifery education is a process whereby students and faculty engage and grow in an environment conducive to inquiry, learning, and critical thinking. Scholarship, research, education and practice are guided by an ethical commitment to women and their families, the public “good,” and the profession of midwifery.

Online at www.nursing.upenn.edu/whcs/Pages/MidwiferyProgram.aspx

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For More information about Ian May Gaskin, visit www.inamay.com

Renowned Midwife Ina May Gaskin Speaks in Philadelphia

"A Place for Birth" Workshop Registration and Book Ordering Form

Sunday May 29th, 2011

"A Place for Birth" Workshop: 1:00 to 3:00pm (Check-in begins at noon)

Book Signing of "Birth Matters": Free to the public: 4:00 to 6:00pm

at

The Midwifery Institute of Philadelphia University

Tuttleman Auditorium

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Phila. PA 19144

Name: _____

Today's Date: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

I am registering and/or paying for:

Please check all that apply.

___ Workshop: "A Place for Birth," Cost: \$50

___ Book: "Birth Matters" by Ina May Gaskin; Cost: \$15

How many copies of the book would you like? _____

Total _____

Payment Options:

All payments must be received by Friday May 27th

___ I have enclosed my check or money order made out to "Womencare" in the amount of _____
OR

___ I am making payment via the PayPal payment to womencarepa@gmail.com in the amount of _____

If paying by check or money order, please mail to:

Womencare

P.O. Box 18175

Philadelphia PA 19116

Please direct all questions to inamayinphilly@gmail.com or visit www.womencarepa.org for FAQs

Books may also be purchased at the event or by contacting inamayinphilly@gmail.com

Registration and payment for the "Brunch for Birth" Fundraiser is **NOT** available with this form. Please contact Ally McDonagh at inamayinphilly@gmail.com to register for the brunch.

All proceeds benefit Womencare

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“Brunch for Birth – A Womenscare Fundraiser with Ina May”

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Monday May 30th, 2011

1124 Beverly Road, Jenkintown, PA 19046

Name: _____

Today's Date: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

I am registering and/or paying for:

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