

**Cultural Safety and the Birth Culture of Māori**  
Self-Directed Learning Activity

Wepa, D & Huia, J. (2006). Cultural Safety and the Birth Culture of Māori. *Social Work Review*

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**Identify new te reo terms within the article and research their meaning**

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**Taonga tuku iho**

Describe six Māori values or beliefs that this article discusses as important to Māori

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**Kawa Whakaruruhau Cultural safety**

Reflect on your own experiences of when you found difficulties around engaging with Māori and consider how this might be improved

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**Kaupapa Māori services**

Identify Māori services are their available within in community that could support women with breastfeeding?

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**Māori traditional healing**

When Māori want to use their own traditional healing practices within the hospital setting (karakia, use of wairakau rongoa, mirimiri) how might this be responded to?