



PLACENTA CEREMONY

*"Carry me deep in your heart as you bury me in the soil of our home,
for I am the earth of your making"*

Traditionally, we make sure that we take the placenta home with us after delivery. There are many ceremonies surrounding the placenta but one that seems to be the most common among the Anishnabe from this area is to bury the placenta in the earth somewhere close to home or a place that is sacred to the family. This way the child always has a place to go for guidance or to a call home. It is said that a child will not get lost as long as they are grounded to their home.

