



CLERKSHIP INFORMATION SHEET

Title of Clerkship: Obstetrics-Gynecology

Academic Year: 2018-2019

Duration of Clerkship (# of weeks): 5 weeks

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Mission Statement of Clerkship:

To see that all medical students acquire the basic knowledge, skills and attitudes that physicians practicing in the 21st century must have to provide the best in women's health care.

Goals of Clerkship:

The goals of students in the Ob-Gyn Clerkship are to:

- Learn the content outlined in the APGO (Association of Professors of Gynecology and Obstetrics) objectives
- Enhance their medical education by learning about the general and unique features of obstetrics, gynecology, and primary and preventive care of women's health



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- Become acquainted with the variety of types of practice, both general and subspecialized, available to obstetricians and gynecologists
- Learn and have fun

Objectives of Clerkship:

- Perform medical interview and physical examination of patients and incorporate ethical, social, and diversity perspectives to provide culturally competent health care.
- Apply recommended prevention strategies to patients throughout the life-span.
- Demonstrate knowledge of preconception care including the impact of genetics, medical conditions and environmental factors on maternal health and fetal development.
- Explain the normal physiologic changes of pregnancy including interpretation of common diagnostic studies.
- Describe common problems in obstetrics.
- Demonstrate knowledge of intrapartum care of the mother and newborn.
- Demonstrate knowledge of postpartum care.
- Describe menstrual cycle physiology, discuss puberty and menopause and explain normal and abnormal bleeding.
- Describe the etiology and evaluation of infertility.
- Understand contraception, including sterilization and abortion.
- Demonstrate knowledge of common benign gynecological conditions.
- Formulate a differential diagnosis of the acute abdomen and chronic pelvic pain.
- Explain concepts of perioperative care and become familiar with gynecological procedures.
- Describe gynecological malignancies including risk factors, signs and symptoms and initial evaluation.
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