

**Primary Care Ambulatory Rotation:
Office-Based Gynecology (one month)**

Goals:

The resident will demonstrate competence in the evaluation and management of gynecological problems commonly encountered by the general internist and in performing office-based gynecological procedures.

Objectives:

By the end of the Primary Care Ambulatory Rotation: Office Based Gynecology curriculum, PGY-1 residents are expected to expand and cultivate skills and knowledge learned during previous training and to achieve the following objectives based on the six general competencies. The resident should exhibit an increasing level of responsibility and independency as he or she progresses throughout the year.

Competency	Required Skill(s)	Teaching Method(s)	Formative Evaluation Method(s)	Frequency of Evaluation
Patient Care	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES			
	List the appropriate indications and perform the following procedures competently: pelvic examination, Pap smear acquisition and interpretation, endometrial biopsy, and wet prep and KOH prep examinations.	Clinical Teaching	Focused Observation ABIM Global Assessment Form Written examination Procedure Log	
	Diagnose and manage the following gynecological problems: pelvic pain, abnormal vaginal bleeding, amenorrhea, vaginal discharge, and contraception	Clinical Teaching	Focused Observation ABIM Global Assessment Form Written examination Procedure Log	
	Assess and manage the more common medical problems associated with pregnancy – hypertension, diabetes, urinary tract infections, and medication use in pregnancy	Clinical Teaching	Focused Observation ABIM Global Assessment Form Written examination Procedure Log	
Medical Knowledge	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES			

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Practice Based Learning and Improvement	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES			
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Interpersonal and Communication Skills	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES			
	See General Internal Medicine Objectives for a comprehensive list.			
Professionalism	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES			
	See General Internal Medicine Objectives for a comprehensive list.			
Systems-Based Practice	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES			
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By the end of the Primary Care Ambulatory Rotation: Office Based Gynecology curriculum, PGY-2 residents are expected to expand and cultivate skills and knowledge learned during previous training and to achieve the following objectives based on the six general competencies. The resident should exhibit an increasing level of responsibility and independency as he or she progresses throughout the year.

Competency	Required Skill(s)	Teaching Method(s)	Formative Evaluation Method(s)	Frequency of Evaluation
Patient Care	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES			
	List the appropriate indications and perform the following procedures competently: pelvic examination, Pap smear acquisition and interpretation, endometrial biopsy, and wet prep and KOH prep examinations.	Clinical Teaching	Focused Observation ABIM Global Assessment Form Written examination Procedure Log	
	Diagnose and manage the following gynecological problems: pelvic pain, abnormal vaginal bleeding, amenorrhea, vaginal discharge, and contraception	Clinical Teaching	Focused Observation ABIM Global Assessment Form	

			Written examination Procedure Log	
	Assess and manage the more common medical problems associated with pregnancy – hypertension, diabetes, urinary tract infections, and medication use in pregnancy	Clinical Teaching	Focused Observation ABIM Global Assessment Form Written examination Procedure Log	
Medical Knowledge	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES			
Practice Based Learning and Improvement	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES See General Internal Medicine Objectives for a comprehensive list.			
Interpersonal and Communication Skills	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES See General Internal Medicine Objectives for a comprehensive list.			
Professionalism	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES See General Internal Medicine Objectives for a comprehensive list.			
Systems-Based Practice	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES See General Internal Medicine Objectives for a comprehensive list.			

By the end of the Primary Care Ambulatory Rotation: Office Based Gynecology curriculum, PGY-3 residents are expected to expand and cultivate skills and knowledge learned during previous training and to achieve the following objectives based on the six general competencies. The resident should exhibit an increasing level of responsibility and independency as he or she progresses throughout the year.

Competency	Required Skill(s)	Teaching Method(s)	Formative Evaluation Method(s)	Frequency of Evaluation
Patient Care	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES List the appropriate indications and perform the following procedures competently: pelvic examination, Pap smear acquisition and interpretation, endometrial biopsy, and wet prep and KOH prep examinations.	Clinical Teaching	Focused Observation ABIM Global Assessment Form	

			Written examination Procedure Log	
	Diagnose and manage the following gynecological problems: pelvic pain, abnormal vaginal bleeding, amenorrhea, vaginal discharge, and contraception	Clinical Teaching	Focused Observation ABIM Global Assessment Form Written examination Procedure Log	
	Assess and manage the more common medical problems associated with pregnancy – hypertension, diabetes, urinary tract infections, and medication use in pregnancy	Clinical Teaching	Focused Observation ABIM Global Assessment Form Written examination Procedure Log	
Medical Knowledge	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES			
Practice Based Learning and Improvement	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES See General Internal Medicine Objectives for a comprehensive list.			
Interpersonal and Communication Skills	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES See General Internal Medicine Objectives for a comprehensive list.			
Professionalism	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES See General Internal Medicine Objectives for a comprehensive list.			
Systems-Based Practice	SPECIALTY SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES See General Internal Medicine Objectives for a comprehensive list.			

Learning Venues:

The following gynecologic clinics should be attended by the resident as his/her continuity clinic schedule permits:

Gyn (general gynecology patients) – VA – Tuesday a.m. and p.m. – Usually finished by 3:30 p.m.

Wednesday a.m. and p.m. – Usually finished by 3:30 p.m.

Thursday a.m.

Planned Parenthood –Monday and Tuesday (all day), Friday p.m.
Contact: Nurse Leah Smith – 725-1717

High Risk Obstetrics – Monday and Wednesday (all day)

Direct supervision is provided by qualified faculty.

Competency Evaluation:

ABIM Global Assessment Form – All six competencies must be rated as satisfactory or superior.

Written examination at end of rotation – to assess patient care and medical knowledge. A score of 80% should be attained.

Procedure Log

Outcomes Assessment:

Monthly resident evaluation of the experience, annual program evaluation by the residents, questionnaire sent to program graduates on an every three year basis.