

Educational Topic 13: Postpartum Care

Rationale:

Knowledge of normal postpartum physiology allows appropriate care, reassurance and early recognition of abnormal events to achieve a safe and healthy recovery for the mother.

Student should be able to:

Intended Learning Outcomes	Level of Competence	Instructional Method	Assessment Method	ACGME Competency	HSS	Emerging Topics	APGO eResources	EPA
A. Describe normal maternal physiological changes of the postpartum period	K	AL, CE, DT, IL	MCQ, OE	ICS, MK		BSR	ES, OTC, uW	
B. Describe the components of postpartum care, with consideration of value-based care and social, racial and economic disparities in postpartum outcomes	K	AL, CE, DT, IL	MCQ, OE	ICS, MK, PC, SBP	IP, PH, SD, VBC	E, PM	ES, OTC, uW	1, 2, 3
C. Describe postpartum patient counseling, including risk factors for medical and mental health complications	KH	AL, CE, DT, IL, S	OE, OSCE	ICS, MK, P, PC, SBP	PH, PS, QI, SD, VBC	RX	ES, OTC, uW	1, 2, 3
D. Describe postpartum contraception options, with consideration of value-based care and opportunities for advocacy	KH	AL, CE, DT, IL, S	OE, OSCE	ICS, MK, P, PC, SBP	HP, PH, QI, VBC	GH, RX	ES, OTC, uW	11