

Educational Topic 14: Lactation

Rationale:

Knowledge of the physiology and function of the breast during lactation allows appropriate counseling to the pregnant and postpartum patient.

Student should be able to:

Intended Learning Outcomes	Level of Competence	Instructional Method	Assessment Method	ACGME Competency	HSS	Emerging Topics	APGO eResources	EPA
A. List the normal physiologic and anatomic changes of the breast during pregnancy and postpartum	K	AL, CE, DT, IL	MCQ, OE	MK		BSR	BCS, BSV, OTC, uW	
B. Diagnose and recommend treatment for common postpartum abnormalities of the breast, with consideration of value-based care	KH	AL, CE, DT, IL, S	MCQ, OE, OSCE	ICS, MK, P, PC, SBP	IP, VBC		BCS, BSV, OTC, uW	1, 2, 3, 4, 7
C. List the benefits of breastfeeding, with an understanding of social, economic, ethnic and racial disparities in health outcomes for breastfeeding patients and their infants, and opportunities for advocacy	K	AL, CE, DT, IL	MCQ, OE	MK	HP, IP, PH, QI, SD	E, GH, N	BCS, BSV, OTC, uW	11
D. Describe the resources and approach to determining medication safety during breastfeeding with a framework for interprofessional teamwork	KH	AL, CE, DT, IL, S	MCQ, OE, OSCE	ICS, MK, P, PC, SBP	HP, IP, PH	RX	BCS, BSV, OTC, uW	7, 9

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E. Describe common challenges in the initiation and maintenance of lactation, recognizing social and structural determinants of health that may affect breastfeeding	KH	AL, CE, DT, IL, S	MCQ, OE, OSCE	ICS, MK, P, PC, SBP	HP, IP, PH, QI, SD	GH	BCS, BSV, OTC, uW	11

