

Educational Topic 2: Examination

Rationale:

An accurate physical examination complements the history, provides additional information, helps determine diagnosis and guides management. It also provides an opportunity to educate and reassure the patient. Interpersonal communication skills to establish rapport and trust between a patient and provider are essential to performing a thorough gynecologic exam.

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 the recommendations for screening breast and pelvic examinations in women's health care maintenance, with consideration of population health and value-based care	K	AL, CE, DT, IL, S	CDR, DO, MCQ, OE, OSCE	MK, PC, SBP	PH, VBC	E	BCS, EP, OTC, uW	1, 3
B. Demonstrate interpersonal communication skills to establish trust and cooperation between patient and provider and assure patient's comfort and dignity	D	AL, CE, DT, IL, S	CDR, CP, DO, OSCE	ICS, P, PC	HP, IP, L		BCS, EP, M1	1
C. Perform accurate examinations in a sensitive manner, including: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Breast examination Abdominal examination Complete pelvic examination 	D	AL, CE, DT, IL, S	CDR, CP, DO, OSCE	ICS, MK, P, PBLI, PC	PS		BCS, EP, M1, OTC	1

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D. Describe the: 1. Normal female anatomy across the life span 2. Appearance of common pathology of the female urogenital tract 3. Appearance of common breast changes and disorders	KH	AL, CE, DT, IL	MCQ, OE	ICS, MK, PC			BCS, EP, M1	
E. Produce well-organized written and oral reports to communicate findings of the examination	D	AL, CE, DT, IL, S	CDR, CP, DO, OSCE	ICS, MK, PC	IP, QI		BCS, EP, M1	5, 6
F. Communicate examination findings with the patient using language commensurate with level of health literacy	D	AL, CE, DT, IL, S	CDR, CP, DO, OSCE	ICS, MK, P, PBLI, PC	HP, QI, PS		BCS, EP, M1	1