

## Obstetrics & Gynaecology

### Teaching Hours:

	Lectures (Hours)	SGD/ Tutorials/ Intg. learning/ Practical (Hours)	Self directed learning (Hours)	Total (Hours)	Clinical Posting (Weeks)
Phase II	25	-	-	25	4
Phase III (Part I)	25	35	5	65	4
Phase III (Part II)	70	125	15	210	8+4

### Course Outcome:

#### (a) Competencies in Obstetrics: The student must demonstrate ability to:

1. Provide peri-conceptional counselling and antenatal care
2. Identify high-risk pregnancies and refer appropriately
3. Conduct normal deliveries, using safe delivery practices in the primary and secondary care settings
4. Prescribe drugs safely and appropriately in pregnancy and lactation
5. Diagnose complications of labor, institute primary care and refer in a timely manner
6. Perform early neonatal resuscitation
7. Provide postnatal care, including education in breast-feeding
8. Counsel and support couples in the correct choice of contraception
9. Interpret test results of laboratory and radiological investigations as they apply to the care of the obstetric patient
10. Apply medico-legal principles as they apply to tubectomy, Medical Termination of Pregnancy (MTP), Pre-conception and Prenatal Diagnostic Techniques (PC PNDT Act) and other related Acts.

#### Competencies in Gynaecology: The student must demonstrate ability to:

1. Elicit a gynaecological history, perform appropriate physical and pelvic examinations and PAP smear in the primary care setting
2. Recognise, diagnose and manage common reproductive tract infections in the primary care setting
3. Recognise and diagnose common genital cancers and refer them appropriately.

(b) Integration: The teaching should be aligned and integrated horizontally and vertically in order to provide comprehensive care for women in their reproductive years and beyond, based on a sound knowledge of structure, functions and disease and their clinical, social, emotional, psychological correlates in the context of national health priorities.

Examination Pattern: At the end of Phase III Part II:

Theory / Written	Theory Total	Practical	Practical Total	Internal Assessment
2 Papers of 100 marks each	200	200	200	100
Mandatory 50% marks separately in theory and practical (practical = practical + viva)			50% combined in theory & practical (not < 40% in each) for eligibility to appear in University Exams	