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School of Health, Community & Social Justice
Paramedic Academy

Documentation and Submission of Obstetrical Placement Competencies

Documentation:

1. Complete one *ACP Obstetrical Placement Competencies Form* (Obstetrical Form) per patient contact during your obstetrics placement. See sample forms below.
2. At the end of the shift, ensure the Obstetrical Form is fully completed and signed by the supervising staff member. Each competency must be marked with either successful (S), unsuccessful (U) or not observed (NA).

Submission:

3. Complete a patient record (E-CWS) for patient contact with attached competencies for every patient contact (include all S and U attempts) and submit to your Practice Education Lead (PEL) through CompTracker. Ensure your E-CWS number is referenced on the Obstetrical Form under the *E-CWS #* reference section.
4. Scan all completed and signed Obstetrical Forms and email them to your PEL with a Cc to ACP@jibc.ca. Your PEL will review your E-CWS documentation and competencies against the Obstetrical Forms and sign-off the submissions. Your approved competencies will then be reflected towards your overall progress.

ACP Obstetrical Placement Competencies			
Student: (Print Name)	Cohort:		
Date:			
Obstetrical Facility:			
Staff Member: (Print Name)			
Signature:			
Legend: check one S = Successful, U = Unsuccessful, NA = Not Observed			
	S	U	NA
Conduct obstetrical assessment and interpret findings (4.3.f)			
Provide care to obstetrical patient (6.1.q)			
See reverse for full competency details			
Comments:			
*One card per patient contact E-CWS #:			

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Competency Descriptions
Conduct obstetrical assessment and interpret findings (4.3.f)
Explain the pathophysiology of specific illnesses and injuries to the female reproductive system listed in Appendix 4C. Apply assessment techniques specific to the obstetrical patient. Evaluate findings related to the etiology, pathophysiology and manifestations of the illnesses and injuries of the female reproductive system listed in Appendix 4C. Perform assessment techniques for obstetrical-related illnesses and injuries. Adapt assessment techniques to obstetrical history findings.
Provide care to obstetrical patient (6.1.q)
Explain the approach to a patient presenting with psychiatric crisis. Discuss disease processes that interfere with the labour and delivery. Discuss complications of labour and delivery. Analyze how patient history relates to patient presentation. Analyze how age and health status relate to patient presentation. Discuss indications that suggest the need to prepare for imminent delivery. Adjust care based on fetal and maternal presentation. Adapt care to manage an imminent delivery. Integrate the approach, assessment, treatment and transport of a patient. Justify approach, assessment, care and transport decisions.

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