

Contraception

The resident will be able to describe:

1. Effectiveness of common contraceptive methods
2. Side effects, risks and benefits of each method in various age groups
3. Contraindications for hormonal contraceptives
4. Counseling patients with side effects of oral contraceptives
5. Approach to counseling women and men from young teenagers to middle aged adults
6. Appropriate History/questions
7. Appropriate physical exam
8. Controversies including ethical issues

The presenter will use a series of cases addressing the following:

1. Contraceptive counseling for challenging patients (young teens, those with multiple partners)
2. Demonstration of various methods and devices

Feedback and suggested modifications for these objectives are encouraged after each session. Please direct your comments to your site Curriculum Coordinator.