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- Laparoscopic Surgery
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COURSE DESCRIPTION

Update in Obstetrics and Gynecology provides comprehensive reviews of the most important advances in obstetrics and gynecology and guidance to assimilate them into general practice. Education is practical and results focused, designed to help providers of women's health to optimize the management of the clinical situations that occur throughout the female lifecycle.

Lectures, interactive discussions, and skills advancement workshops are taught by the most respected leaders in OB/GYN. Attendees can customize their learning experience to align with their practice needs and have ample time for discussion and posing questions to faculty.

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WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- Physicians specializing in obstetrics and gynecology, including:
 - Obstetricians
 - Gynecologists
 - Perinatologists
 - Urogynecologists
 - Gynecologic Oncologists
 - Reproductive Endocrinologists
 - Infertility Specialists
- Family Physicians
- NPs and PAs

Participants come from across the United States, Canada, Europe, Africa, South and Central America, Oceania, and the Middle East.

2019 PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Dear Colleague,

Much has changed in the field of obstetrics and gynecology in the past 12 months, with significant implications for clinicians. To ensure you are current with these recent updates and advances and with state-of-the-art patient care, I invite you to attend Obstetrics and Gynecology 2019.

Unique to this program is the degree to which you can customize your learning experience for your specific practice. We offer problem-oriented lectures, case-based interactive discussions, and in-depth clinical skills workshops. These are led by the top clinical faculty at Harvard Medical School and Brigham and Women's Hospital — experienced practitioners all at the forefront of their respective subspecialties.

The 2019 program presents important practice updates for the following:

- Noninvasive Down syndrome screening
- Depression during and after pregnancy
- Genetic testing
- Obstetric emergencies
- Laparoscopic surgery complications
- Vaginal hysterectomy
- Fertility preservation in cancer patients
- Egg freezing to preserve fertility options
- Cost-effective infertility workups
- Long-acting, reversible contraception
- Menopause management
- Treatment of fibroids
- Sentinel nodes in endometrial and cervical cancer
- Gynecological care of women with *BRCA1*, *BRCA2*
- Gestational diabetes
- New ultrasound practices
- Difficult deliveries
- Safe tissue extraction
- Letrozole for ovulation induction
- IVF
- Abnormal uterine bleeding
- Overactive bladder
- Treatment of recurrent UTIs
- Reducing the risk of ovarian cancer
- Abnormal Pap smears
- Elagolix to treat endometriosis
- Combination mifepristone and misoprostol to treat incomplete miscarriage
- Treatment of anemic pregnant women with intravenous iron
- Minimizing the use of opioids in practice

We pair these updates with specific clinical guidance that you can put to use immediately in your day-to-day practice.

I hope you will join us for this special program.



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Clinical Obstetrics

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Sunday, March 17

7:00 – 7:55	Registration/Continental Breakfast	
7:55 – 8:00	Welcome and Orientation Julian Robinson, MD	
Clinical Obstetrics Program Director: Julian Robinson, MD		
8:00 – 8:40	The Short Cervix: Updates for When and How to Treat and When to Ignore Audra Meadows, MD, MPH	
8:40 – 8:50	Q&A	
8:50 – 9:30	State-of-the-Art Assessment and Treatment of Anemia in Pregnancy Julianna Schantz-Dunn, MD	
9:30 – 9:40	Q&A	
9:40 – 10:00	Coffee Break (refreshments provided)	
10:00 – 10:40	Should Everybody Be Delivered at 39 Weeks? Errol Norwitz, MD, PhD	
10:40 – 10:50	Q&A	
10:50 – 11:30	Prevention and Treatment of Obstetric Hemorrhage: Best Practices to Minimize Risk and Optimize Patient Outcomes Alfred Abuhamad, MD	
11:30 – 11:40	Q&A	
11:40 – 1:00	Break for lunch*	
1:00 – 1:40	The Fourth Trimester: The New Frontier Nicole Smith, MD	
1:40 – 1:50	Q&A	
1:50 – 2:30	Malpractice: New Views, Insights, and Legal Tips to Mitigate Your Exposure A. Bernard Guekguezian, JD	
2:30 – 2:40	Q&A	
2:40 – 2:55	Coffee Break (refreshments provided)	
2:55 – 3:55 CLINICAL WORKSHOPS I		
	Operative Vaginal Delivery Errol Norwitz, MD, PhD	1A
	Babies, Sugars, and Neurology Sarbattama Sen, MD	1B
	Delivery of the Second Twin Julian Robinson, MD	1C
	Maternal Levels of Care Sarah Rae Easter, MD	1D
	Abnormalities of Placentation Alfred Abuhamad, MD	1E
	Updates from The Alliance for Innovation on Maternal Health Audra Meadows, MD, MPH and Ronald Iverson, MD, MPH	1F
4:00 – 5:00 CLINICAL WORKSHOPS II		
	Operative Vaginal Delivery Errol Norwitz, MD, PhD	2A
	Babies, Sugars, and Neurology Sarbattama Sen, MD	2B
	Delivery of the Second Twin Julian Robinson, MD	2C
	Maternal Levels of Care Sarah Rae Easter, MD	2D
	Abnormalities of Placentation Alfred Abuhamad, MD	2E
	Updates from The Alliance for Innovation on Maternal Health Audra Meadows, MD, MPH and Ronald Iverson, MD, MPH	2F

Monday, March 18

7:00 – 7:55	Breakfast	
7:55 – 8:00	Welcome Louise Wilkins-Haug, MD, PhD	
Maternal-Fetal Medicine Program Director: Louise Wilkins-Haug, MD, MPH		
8:00 – 8:40	First-Trimester Ultrasound in the Era of NIPT: New Data and Practice Considerations Thomas Shipp, MD	
8:40 – 8:50	Q&A	
8:50 – 9:30	NIPT Updates and Upcoming Changes Louise Wilkins-Haug, MD, PhD	
9:30 – 9:40	Q&A	
9:40 – 10:00	Coffee Break (refreshments provided)	
10:00 – 10:40	Expanded Genetic Carrier Screening Rosemary Reiss, MD	
10:40 – 10:50	Q&A	
10:50 – 11:30	Managing the IUGR Fetus Lisa Dunn-Albanese, MD	
11:30 – 11:40	Q&A	
11:40 – 1:00	Break for lunch*	
1:00 – 1:40	GDM: Which Meds for Which Patients Aviva Lee-Parritz, MD and Christina Yarrington, MD, FACOG	
1:40 – 1:50	Q&A	
1:50 – 2:30	Twin Pregnancies: Updates for Risk Assessment Carolina Bibbo, MD	
2:30 – 2:40	Q&A	
2:40 – 2:55	Coffee Break (refreshments provided)	
2:55 – 3:55 CLINICAL WORKSHOPS III		
	Managing Short Cervix in the Second Trimester Thomas McElrath, MD, PhD	3A
	Managing Maternal Weight Gain Christina Yarrington, MD, FACOG	3B
	Genetic Cases in the OB Office Kathryn Gray, MD, PhD and Louise Wilkins-Haug, MD, PhD	3C
	Second-Trimester Soft Markers Karen Davidson, MD	3D
	A Continued Role for Amniocentesis, CVS, PUBs Daniel Katz, MD	3E
	Stillbirth Yael Hoffman-Sage, MD	3F
4:00 – 5:00 CLINICAL WORKSHOPS IV		
	Managing Short Cervix in the Second Trimester Thomas McElrath, MD, PhD	4A
	Managing Maternal Weight Gain Christina Yarrington, MD, FACOG	4B
	Genetic Cases in the OB Office Kathryn Gray, MD, PhD and Louise Wilkins-Haug, MD, PhD	4C
	Second-Trimester Soft Markers Karen Davidson, MD	4D
	A Continued Role for Amniocentesis, CVS, PUBs Daniel Katz, MD	4E
	Stillbirth Yael Hoffman-Sage, MD	4F

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Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery – Urogynecology – Gynecologic Oncology

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Tuesday, March 19

7:00 – 7:55	Registration/Continental Breakfast	
7:55 – 8:00	Welcome Jon Einarsson, MD, MPH	
Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery Program Director: Jon Einarsson, MD, MPH		
8:00 – 8:40	Impact of Robotics on Benign Gyn Surgeries Gaby Moawad, MD	
8:40 – 8:50	Q&A	
8:50 – 9:30	Laparoscopic Pelvic Anatomy, Emphasis on the Retroperitoneum Mobolaji Ajao, MD	
9:30 – 9:40	Q&A	
9:40 – 10:00	Coffee Break (refreshments provided)	
10:00 – 10:40	The Future of Gynecologic Surgery Jon Einarsson, MD, MPH	
10:40 – 10:50	Q&A	
Urogynecology Program Director: Vatché Minassian, MD, MPH		
10:50 – 11:30	What Is the Role of Mesh in Gynecologic Surgery? Charles Rardin, MD, FACOG	
11:30 – 11:40	Q&A	
11:40 – 1:00	Break for lunch*	
1:00 – 1:40	Interstitial Cystitis: Current Updates Jeannine Miranne, MD	
1:40 – 1:50	Q&A	
1:50 – 2:30	Surgery for Stress Urinary Incontinence: What Are the Available Options? Vatché Minassian, MD, MPH	
2:30 – 2:40	Q&A	
2:40 – 2:55	Coffee Break (refreshments provided)	
2:55 – 3:55 CLINICAL WORKSHOPS V		
	Hands-On Tissue Extraction Sarah Cohen, MD	5A
	Tips and Tricks for a Safe Robotic Hysterectomy Gaby Moawad, MD	5B
	How to Manage Challenging Situations in Surgery Jon Einarsson, MD, MPH	5C
	Vaginal Hysterectomy: The Uterus Can Be Removed Vaginally Charles Rardin, MD, FACOG	5D
	Tips and Tricks for Successful Pessary Fitting Jeannine Miranne, MD	5E
	Unusual and Complicated Cases in Urogynecology Vatché Minassian, MD, MPH	5F
4:00 – 5:00 CLINICAL WORKSHOPS VI		
	Hands-On Tissue Extraction Sarah Cohen, MD	6A
	Tips and Tricks for a Safe Robotic Hysterectomy Gaby Moawad, MD	6B
	How to Manage Challenging Situations in Surgery Jon Einarsson, MD, MPH	6C
	Vaginal Hysterectomy: The Uterus Can Be Removed Vaginally Charles Rardin, MD, FACOG	6D
	Tips and Tricks for Successful Pessary Fitting Jeannine Miranne, MD	6E
	Unusual and Complicated Cases in Urogynecology Vatché Minassian, MD, MPH	6F

Wednesday, March 20

7:00 – 7:55	Breakfast	
7:55 – 8:00	Welcome Michael Muto, MD	
Gynecologic Oncology in the General Practice of Obstetrics and Gynecology Program Director: Michael Muto, MD		
8:00 – 8:40	Updates for Evaluation and Management of Cervical Dysplasia Sarah Feldman, MD, MPH	
8:40 – 8:50	Q&A	
8:50 – 9:30	State-of-the-Art Management of Cervical Cancer Neil Horowitz, MD	
9:30 – 9:40	Q&A	
9:40 – 10:00	Coffee Break (refreshments provided)	
10:00 – 10:40	From Conduit to Co-Conspirator: The Fallopian Tube and Ovarian Cancer Kevin Elias, MD	
10:40 – 10:50	Q&A	
10:50 – 11:30	The Modern Surgical (and Medical) Management of Endometrial Cancer Michael Worley, MD	
11:30 – 11:40	Q&A	
11:40 – 1:00	Break for lunch*	
1:00 – 1:40	The Generalist and the Adnexal Mass: Observe, Operate, or Opt Out? Michael Muto, MD	
1:40 – 1:50	Q&A	
1:50 – 2:30	Ovarian Cancer: Updates and Breakthroughs Impacting Your Practice Peter Schwartz, MD	
2:30 – 2:40	Q&A	
2:40 – 2:55	Coffee Break (refreshments provided)	
2:55 – 3:55 CLINICAL WORKSHOPS VII		
	Perioperative Care, Enhanced Recovery, and Opioid-Free Surgery Kevin Elias, MD	7A
	Familial Ovarian Cancer Michael Muto, MD	7B
	Vulva and Vagina Colleen Feltmate, MD	7C
	Evaluation of the Abnormal Pap Smear Sarah Feldman, MD, MPH	7D
	Trophoblastic Disease Ross Berkowitz, MD	7E
	Office Practice Neil Horowitz, MD	7F
4:00 – 5:00 CLINICAL WORKSHOPS VIII		
	Perioperative Care, Enhanced Recovery, and Opioid-Free Surgery Kevin Elias, MD	8A
	Familial Ovarian Cancer Michael Muto, MD	8B
	Vulva and Vagina Colleen Feltmate, MD	8C
	Evaluation of the Abnormal Pap Smear Sarah Feldman, MD, MPH	8D
	Trophoblastic Disease Ross Berkowitz, MD	8E
	Office Practice Neil Horowitz, MD	8F

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Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility

INTERACTIVE CASE-BASED AND PROBLEM-SOLVING CLINICAL WORKSHOPS

Year after year, participants report that the interactive faculty-led workshops offered throughout this program have advanced their understanding of how to approach the complex and challenging issues seen in their day-to-day practice. With a mix of case-based, problem-solving and discussion-based learning, these engaging workshops provide important clinical insights. Participants are encouraged to bring questions and cases to these highly interactive forums.

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Thursday, March 21

7:00 – 7:55	Registration/Continental Breakfast	
7:55 – 8:00	Welcome Mark Hornstein, MD	
Infertility Program Director: Mark Hornstein, MD		
8:00 – 8:40	Important Updates for the Basic Infertility Workup Rachel Ashby, MD	
8:40 – 8:50	Q&A	
8:50 – 9:30	Navigating Expanded Options for Ovulation Induction Elizabeth Ginsburg, MD	
9:30 – 9:40	Q&A	
9:40 – 10:00	Coffee Break (refreshments provided)	
10:00 – 10:40	The Role of IVF in Contemporary Practice Janis Fox, MD	
10:40 – 10:50	Q&A	
10:50 – 11:30	Recurrent Pregnancy Loss: Updates, Best Practices and Guidance Zev Williams, MD, PhD	
11:30 – 11:40	Q&A	
11:40 – 1:00	Break for lunch*	
1:00 – 1:40	Hypoandrogenism/Polycystic Ovary Syndrome: Best Practices for Evaluation and Treatment Robert Barbieri, MD	
1:40 – 1:50	Q&A	
1:50 – 2:30	How to Achieve Better Diagnosis, Treatment and Management of Congenital Anomalies of the Reproductive Tract Marc Laufer, MD	
2:30 – 2:40	Q&A	
2:40 – 2:55	Coffee Break (refreshments provided)	
2:55 – 3:55	CLINICAL WORKSHOPS IX	
	Management of Menopause Kathryn Martin, MD	9A
	Sexual Dysfunction in Women Jan Shifren, MD	9B
	Recurrent Pregnancy Loss Zev Williams, MD, PhD	9C
	Cases in Polycystic Ovary Syndrome Robert Barbieri, MD	9D
	Cases in Adolescent Gynecology Marc Laufer, MD	9E
	Osteoporosis Sharon Chou, MD	9F
4:00 – 5:00	CLINICAL WORKSHOPS X	
	Management of Menopause Kathryn Martin, MD	10A
	Sexual Dysfunction in Women Jan Shifren, MD	10B
	Recurrent Pregnancy Loss Zev Williams, MD, PhD	10C
	Pelvic Pain/Endometriosis Mark Hornstein, MD	10D
	Cases in Reproductive Endocrinology Frances Hayes, MD	10E
	Fibroids Serene Srouji, MD	10F

Friday, March 22

7:00 – 7:55	Registration/Continental Breakfast
7:55 – 8:00	Welcome Mark Hornstein, MD
Menopause / Reproductive Endocrinology Program Director: Mark Hornstein, MD	
8:00 – 8:40	Recommendations for the Management of Menopausal Symptoms Jan Shifren, MD
8:40 – 8:50	Q&A
8:50 – 9:30	Menopausal Hormone Therapy in 2019: What Are the Risks? Kathryn Martin, MD
9:30 – 9:40	Q&A
9:40 – 10:00	Coffee Break (refreshments provided)
10:00 – 10:40	Contraception Update Alisa Goldberg, MD, MPH
10:40 – 10:50	Q&A
10:50 – 11:30	Treating Endometriosis and Associated Pelvic Pain Mark Hornstein, MD
11:30 – 11:40	Q&A
11:40 – 12:20	Better Ways to Treat Abnormal Uterine Bleeding Antonio Gargiulo, MD
12:20 – 12:30	Q&A

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Clinical Obstetrics Objectives:

- Analyze the current management of maternal complications of pregnancy.
- Outline the role that obstetricians play in adverse neonatal outcomes.
- Develop treatment plans for the management of antepartum complications, including obstetric emergencies, cervical incompetence and preterm labor.

Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery, Urogynecology and Gynecologic Oncology Objectives:

- Utilize current gynecologic surgical techniques, including laparoscopy and hysterectomy, and assess indications for use and how to manage complications.
- Analyze latest trends in minimally invasive surgery and how they impact the care of the patient.
- Discuss practical tips in minimally invasive gynecologic surgery.
- Appropriately manage patients with urinary incontinence and pelvic prolapse.
- Review evidence in the use of slings and pessaries.
- Enhance the knowledge and skills of gynecologists in lower urinary tract physiology, pelvic anatomy and vaginal hysterectomy.
- Develop new strategies to apply in practice to the management of neoplastic disorders and non-malignant conditions.
- Evaluate the non-surgical management of malignant gynecologic tumors.
- Enhance knowledge and skills of gynecologists as they manage patients with neoplastic disorders and non-malignant conditions.
- Discuss the philosophy of opioid-free surgery.

Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility Objectives:

- Incorporate new management strategies for patients with endocrine and fertility disorders.
- Analyze advances in the field as they apply to the management of patients with endocrine and fertility disorders.
- Develop techniques to evaluate pelvic pain and bleeding, and strategies for managing them.
- Institute a therapeutic management plan for patients with non-menopause-related endocrine imbalance, as well as those who are menopausal and post-menopausal.

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- Clinical Obstetrics (March 17-18)
- Minimally Invasive Gynecologic Surgery, Urogynecology, Gynecologic Oncology (March 19-20)
- Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility (March 21-22)

Registrants may choose to attend the entire course, or one or two 2-day programs.

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Venue and Accommodations*

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A limited number of discounted rooms have been reserved at Four Seasons Hotel Boston until February 12, 2019. You can call the hotel at 617-338-4400 to make your reservation. Please indicate that you are enrolled in this activity in order to request the discounted room rate.

To make your discounted reservation online by February 12, go to the hotel website at <https://www.fourseasons.com/boston> and enter the promo code **C10319OG**. You can also access this link on the Venue page of the course website.

**Please note that the discounted rooms may sell out before the deadline.*

Please do not make non-refundable travel arrangements until you receive an email from our office confirming your paid registration.

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