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# Contemporary Topics in OB-GYN

Virtual Conference

September 25-26, 2020

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## Conference overview

The Contemporary Topics in OB-GYN Virtual Conference will focus on current key topics in general obstetrics, obstetrical emergencies, and medical complications of pregnancy, gynecology, and gynecologic oncology.

## Intended audience

This conference is intended for practitioners in obstetrics and gynecology, internal medicine, and family medicine, and nurse practitioners, physician assistants, registered nurses, and other health care professionals who have direct responsibility for, or interest in, obstetrics and gynecology.

## Global objective

The overall purpose of this conference is to supplement the provider's current knowledge with updated evidence-based strategies, techniques, and best practices for managing common challenges in the ever-changing field of obstetrics and gynecology.

## Course director

**Marcia Klein-Patel, MD, PhD**  
Network Chair, Women's Institute  
Allegheny Health Network

## Invited external speakers

**Richard Guido, MD**  
Associate Professor, Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology, and Reproductive Sciences  
Division of Gynecologic Specialties  
Director of Fibroid Treatment Center  
Director of the Colposcopy Clinic  
UPMC

**Megan L. Kavanaugh, PhD**  
Principal Research Scientist,  
Guttmacher Institute  
Center for Women's Health,  
Research and Innovation  
University of Pittsburgh

**Carolyn Beth Sufrin, AM, MD, PhD**  
Associate Director, Fellowship in Family Planning  
Johns Hopkins Medicine

## AHN faculty

**Michael Aziz, MD**  
Maternal Fetal Medicine  
Allegheny Health Network

**Fabiola Balmir, MD**  
Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility  
Allegheny Health Network

**Mark E. Caine, MD**  
Maternal Fetal Medicine  
Allegheny Health Network

**Jean Fitzgibbons, CRNP**  
Perinatal Hope Program  
Allegheny Health Network

**Jessica Sassani, MD**  
Urogynecology  
Allegheny Health Network

**Tracey Vogel, MD**  
Obstetrical Anesthesiology  
Allegheny Health Network

**Amy I. Whitsel, MD**  
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## Agenda

### Friday, September 25, 2020

2 p.m. – 5 p.m.	<b>Simulation Scenarios</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• COVID-19 Preparedness</li><li>• Postpartum Hemorrhage</li><li>• Hypertensive Crisis</li></ul> <b>Presented by:</b> Mark E. Caine, MD Tracey Vogel, MD Amy I. Whitsel, MD  <b>STAR Center Simulation Specialists:</b> Dawn Cicchini, BS, CHSOS Nichole Cooper, BS, CHSE Erin Killen
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### Saturday, September 26, 2020

7:45 a.m. – 8 a.m.	<b>Welcome Remarks and Overview</b> Marcia Klein-Patel, MD, PhD
8 a.m. – 9 a.m.	<b>Reproductive Justice and Incarcerated Women: Understanding the Nexus of Reproductive Health, Mass Incarceration, and Social Justice</b> Carolyn Beth Sufrin, AM, MD, PhD
9 am – 9:45 am	<b>Recurrent UTI</b> Jessica Sassani, MD
9:45 a.m. – 10 a.m.	<b>Midmorning Break</b>
10 a.m. – 10:45 a.m.	<b>Updates on PCOS</b> Fabiola Balmir, MD
10:45 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.	<b>Updated ASCCP Guidelines</b> Richard Guido, MD
11:45 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	<b>Lunch Break</b>
12:30 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	<b>Hepatitis C Treatment Postpartum</b> Jean Fitzgibbons, CRNP
1:15 p.m. – 2 p.m.	<b>The ARRIVE Trial: Interpretation and Future Directions</b> Michael Aziz, MD
2 p.m. – 3 p.m.	<b>Contraception in the United States: Use, Access, Barriers and How COVID-19 Has Shifted This Landscape</b> Megan L. Kavanaugh, PhD
3 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.	<b>Closing Remarks and Evaluations</b>

## Accreditation

This course will provide a total of 10.5 hours.

Friday 3.0    Saturday 7.5

### Physicians

This activity has been planned and implemented in accordance with the essential areas and policies of the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME) through joint providership of Allegheny General Hospital and West Penn Hospital. Allegheny General Hospital is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

Allegheny General Hospital designates this live activity for a maximum of 10.5 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*. Physicians should claim only the credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

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**The National Commission on Certification of Physician Assistants (NCCPA)** states that the *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™* are acceptable for continuing medical education requirements for certification.

### Non-physicians

Allegheny General Hospital certifies participation in this educational activity, which has been designated for a maximum of 10.5 *AMA PRA Category 1 Credits™*.

## Registration

Visit **cme.ahn.org** to register. Click on the **Course** tab and type in **Contemporary Topics in OB-GYN**. Click on **Register**.

Registration for the **STAR Center Simulation Lab** is limited to 30 participants.

### AHN and Highmark employees

Log in using your AHN or Highmark email and network password. Once logged in, *make sure you complete your profile* to earn and track your credit.

### Visitors

**To create a new visitor account:**

Click **Visitor Login** at the top right corner of the homepage, then complete the required fields.

## Course fees

Physicians: \$75

This course is complimentary for all other health care providers.

## Refund policy

Full refunds will be given up to **September 18** when requested by email. After that date, no refunds will be given.

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