Midwifery Conference 2015
Managing Clinical Risks and Ethical Dilemmas in Obstetrics

Date: 9-10 April 2015 (Thursday-Friday) Time: 8.00 am - 4.00 pm
Venue: Summit Hotel Subang Jaya, Selangor

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Conference Highlights:
- Standards of Care: What is the Benchmark?
- Managing Clinical Risks:
  (i) Midwife’s Perspective
  (ii) Patient’s Complaints
  (iii) OB Triage
- Informed Consent: Is it Really Informed?
- Turning a Blind Eye: The Legal Consequences
- Accuracy in Documentations
- Managing Cases with Adverse Outcomes
- O&G Practice Through The Obstetrician’s Eyes
- The Journey of Midwifery Practice
- Forum Discussion: Drawing Limits - The Line Between Meeting Patient’s Requests and Conscientious Objections

Objectives
This Conference aims to:
1. Provide obstetric health care providers with risk control recommendations to decrease the risk of liability actions.
2. Explain the impact of the accuracy and consistency of risk assessments and documentation.
3. Critically appraise the importance of maintenance of high standards in daily practice with continuous training and clear communication.

Target Audience
- Obstetric healthcare professionals and practitioners
- Risk Managers
- Quality Managers
- Directors of Nursing
- Nurse Managers and Administrators
- Students

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Obstetrics is a specialty that is widely perceived to be associated with a high risk of litigation. Most of the potential problems in obstetrics usually result from the lack of competencies, poor communication and failure in identifying risks. Over the past 50 years with medical technology expanding exponentially, medical knowledge alone is not sufficient to ensure sound obstetric care. Instead, responsible decisions, thoughtful considerations of the values, interests, goals, rights and obligations of those involved would drive toward safe maternal care.

Ethics being an essential dimension in obstetric practice is also necessary to create an ethical framework for clinical judgment and decision-making. Hence, the ability to manage risks and examine ethical issues will lead to sound clinical governance, with emphasis on the concept of the fetus as a patient.
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