

IV. AUDIT OF CLINICAL COMPETENCE AND EXPERIENCE

1. Training Log Book

- 1.1 This log book is a record of competence achieved, and its main purpose is to document the trainees' attainment of the required competence for a specialist in obstetrics and gynaecology.
- 1.2 Trainees are required to complete the skill targets in the various modules of the log book up to the level appropriate to their stage of training.
- 1.3 Trainers should certify specified areas of competence of the trainees as they are attained.
- 1.4 This log book is a record of experience, and its main purpose is to document the trainee's involvement in clinical and other activities required for training.
- 1.5 Trainees are required to record the various activities and experiences as stipulated and to make detailed reports on 10 obstetric and 10 gynaecological cases, which are unusual or complicated.
- 1.6 The following serves as guidelines for the minimum amount of logged experience for 6 years of specialist training (logged as chief surgeon);

<u>Procedure</u>	<u>Number</u>
Caesarean section	100
Operative vaginal deliveries (including a minimum of 10 forceps delivery amongst the 100 operative deliveries)	100
Major abdominal surgical procedures	60
Laparoscopic procedures which must include more than 40 cases in level 2 or above (as defined by the College)	50
Major vaginal surgical procedures	10
Evacuation of uterus/termination of pregnancy	50
Hysteroscopy and/or dilatation & curettage (at least 1/3 should be hysteroscopic examinations or procedures)	100

Colposcopic examinations with or without related procedures. 100
(The trainee must perform at least 50 examinations where there is pathology of the lower genital tract)

V. ASSESSMENT

1. Part I Assessment

- 1.1 The subjects of the Part I assessment shall be the basic sciences required for the practice of obstetrics and gynaecology.
- 1.2 The form of the Part I assessment shall be determined by the College from time to time.
- 1.3 The Part I assessment may be undertaken if the candidate:
 - 1.3.1 Has registered with the Hong Kong Medical Council at the time of assessment
 - 1.3.2 Has applied to be assessed and paid the appropriate assessment fees
- 1.4 The Part I assessment may be taken at any time either before or during the period of training.

2. Intermediate Assessment

- 2.1 The Intermediate Assessment assesses whether:
 - 2.1.1 The candidate has acquired supervised clinical training as required by the College.
 - 2.1.2 The candidate has acquired the basic clinical knowledge and skills in general obstetrics and gynaecology, and its related disciplines.
 - 2.1.3 The candidate has acquired the appropriate problem solving and decision making skills in general obstetrics and gynaecology.
- 2.2 The form of the Intermediate Assessment shall be:
 - 2.2.1 One or more written examinations on obstetrics, gynaecology, and related subjects.
 - 2.2.2 One or more viva voce examinations. The format shall be stipulated by the College from time to time.
- 2.3 The Intermediate Assessment may be taken if the candidate: