

Course Title: Obstetric Anaesthesia

Course code: Anes 602

Credit hours: Total = 2(theory = 1, Practice 1)

Objective:

The trainee should have basic knowledge and skill on anesthesia, complications and options of management.

Course content:

- Preoperative and postoperative care
- Principles and choice of anesthetic techniques
- Types of anesthesia – general, regional, local
- Routes of anesthetic administration
- Use of local anesthesia, digital block, field block
- Anesthetic drugs, use of ketamine
- Spinal anesthesia
- Peculiarity of obstetric anesthesia
- Complications of anesthesia
- Failed intubation and alternates
- Opiates and use in emergency surgery
- Operation theatre organization and safety

Grading:

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| - Below 50 | = | F |
| - 50 – 59 | = | D |
| - 60 – 64 | = | C |
| - 65 – 69 | = | C+ |
| - 70 – 79 | = | B |
| - 80 – 84 | = | B+ |
| - 85-100 | = | A |

References

1. MoH (Ethiopia). 2002. Guideline for in-service training of health professionals in essential obstetric care

2. WHO. 2002. Surgical care at the district hospital. Geneva. WHO.
3. WHO. 2007. CD manual on “Surgical care in the District Hospital”.
4. WHO. 2007 Best practice protocols. Clinical procedures safety. Appendix I
List of required interventions