



Effective Staffing and Management: *Management Resources*

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Overview

In the Contraceptive CHOICE Project, “Clinical Updates” were an opportunity for staff continuing education. Led by one of the Project’s medical doctors, Clinical Updates were on a Monday of each month during staff’s one hour lunch break. Although staff did not receive pay during this hour, the Project provided free lunch, which was catered from a local restaurant. Clinical Updates were viewed by staff as an opportunity to ask the Project doctors about any outstanding questions. Each presenting doctor was responsible for selecting a topic and creating a presentation. Some topics were covered more than once, depending on organizational priorities, staff needs and staff turnover. Below outlines several topics that were covered during CHOICE clinical updates. Several of these are CHOICE-specific, but can be modified to meet the needs of your organization.

GENERAL TOPICS:

- General Information about Women's Reproductive Life Cycle
- Human Papilloma Virus (HPV)
- Sexually Transmitted Infections (STIs)
- Contraceptive and abortion services under the Affordable Healthcare Act
- Cesarean Births
- Birth Control Pills
- The Importance of Research
- Intimate Partner Violence
- Emergency Contraception
- Pelvic Inflammatory Disease
- Natural Family Planning
- History of birth control
- Barrier Methods (Sponge, Diaphragm, Cap, Lea Shield)
- Physiological Changes of Pregnancy
- Anatomy and Physiology and Common GYN Pathology
- Abortion (Facts, Procedures, Public Health Concerns Laws)

TOPICS SPECIFIC TO THE CHOICE PROJECT:

- One Doctor’s Perspective: International Experience in Uganda
- CHOICE Sub studies
- EPIC and Declined Participant Follow Up (CHOICE substudy)
- Update on media responses to the Population Paper
- “Publish or Perish: What’s the BIG DEAL about Publishing CHOICE Manuscripts?”
- Contraception Discontinuation- Research
- FAIR Sub Study
- Research Results- Continuation/Satisfaction Rates
- CDM Tool (substudy)
- BMI & DXA Sub Study