



You are the on call Obstetrics Registrar and you have been asked to go speak to a 30 year old (para 0+1) (20 weeks or 30 weeks pregnant )lady and her husband, who presented to A+E with a 4hr history of lower abdo pain and absent fetal movements. The tests show an absence of fetal heart beat. You have to go and discuss with them the test results. What options are now available for expulsion and how this will affect future pregnancies. What follow up you will do?

A 26 year old (para 0+0) presents and thirty eight weeks for an induction of labour. Examination reveals an uncomplicated breech presentation. The consultant asks you to go speak to the patient and suggest possible options including External Cephalic Version (ECV) and C Section. Explain these procedures to the patient and her husband.

You are the on call gynaecologist. An 18 year old (para 0+2) presents at the Pregnancy help centre requesting a Termination of Pregnancy. She is eighteen/eight weeks pregnant. Discuss with her possible options?

Following this discussion having had 2 previous terminations you feel you should discuss contraception with her –

Your are one of the registrars in clinic. A 34 year old (para 4+0) /25 year old (para 1+0) comes in to hospital to request sterilisation. She is tired taking the pill and her husband does not like wearing condoms. Discuss with her sterilisation explain the risks and procedures.

Smear Test

Please talk the examiner through the process of taking a smear. Start from your introduction to the patient and go through the various steps.

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