Obstetrics and Gynecology Residency Block Diagram: Instructions and Example
Review Committee for Obstetrics and Gynecology
ACGME

To create a block diagram for an obstetrics and gynecology residency program, start by reviewing the guidelines and examples provided in the "Guide to Construction of a Block Diagram" available in the Accreditation Data System (ADS) [Site Tab>Block Diagram Upload>Block Diagram Instructions/Sample]. The Review Committee for Obstetrics and Gynecology requests that the block diagram for residency programs include information about continuity clinic sessions, family planning and contraception, and abortion training to better understand the program's educational experience. Use the example and tips below to complete the fillable block diagram template available on the Documents and Resources page of the Obstetrics and Gynecology section of the ACGME website (link below).

Link to Documents and Resources

Example Year:

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Area Below Block Diagram:

Vacation:
- Indicate how much vacation time is given per academic year (if not included in block diagram).

Sites
- List site numbers and names. Site numbers must match the site numbers in the ADS Program Summary. To check: ADS>Summary Tab>View Summary and scroll down to the Participating Sites section. (Note that the order of sites can be changed by going to ADS>Sites Tab>Reorder).

Abbreviations
- List abbreviations used in the block diagram.

Notes
- Add any additional information that will help the Review Committee better understand the block diagram and resident educational experience.

Add the number of sessions
Include these three rows instead of % outpatient and % research in the ADS samples. For the half-day continuity clinic sessions, enter the number of sessions per block.

Note: If the program has elective rotations, this should be indicated in the block diagram but it is NOT necessary to list elective options below.