Contraception 101 Lesson Plan

Learning Objectives:

By the end of the session, learners will be able to:

- Understand how to counsel patients for contraception using shared decision making
- Discuss the benefits and side effects of each contraceptive method
- Identify different efficacy of each method
- Describe which methods can be used for emergency contraception

Video Lecture:

Contraception 101
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Available at https://www.innovating-education.org/2019/05/contraception-101/

Citations:

https://beyonddthepill.ucsf.edu/sites/beyonddthepill.ucsf.edu/files/Tiers_Chart_ENGLISH.pdf

Lesson Plan in a Flipped Classroom Setting
Contraception 101

Using a flipped classroom model, this lesson plan will use the video lecture and additional resources to provide learners with an engaging learning environment. Here’s how to use this course in a “flipped-classroom” at your own institution.

Teaching Points:

- Always start by taking a thorough patient history and screening for any contraindications
- Refer to the CDC or WHO Medical Eligibility Criteria for Contraceptive Use
- Ask about patient preferences before discussing methods and avoid making assumptions
- Highlight both benefits and side effects for each method that could meet patient priorities
- Be sure to emphasize any potential changes in bleeding pattern when discussing options
- Visual aids can be helpful
- Emphasize that for any provider controlled methods (LARC) the patient can have them removed at any time
- Tubal ligation and vasectomy procedures are considered permanent. Reversal procedures are complex, costly, and do not guarantee a return to fertility.

**Time Required:**
Total Time of Video Lecture: 9:24 min
Estimated Independent Prep Time Required by Learner: 15 min
Total Estimated Time Required for In-Classroom Activity: 30 min-1 hr

**Materials Required and Instructor Preparation:**
- Learners will need internet access with enough bandwidth to view streaming videos.
- The instructor should print copies of the small group activity quiz (page 3) included in this packet.

**Individual Activity:**
*Contraception 101 Lecture*
- Learners can watch didactic lecture before the workshop in a flipped classroom model or during class time.
- Learners may be assigned any of the following relevant readings (determined by instructor’s desired learner work-load) as outlined in the “Suggested Readings” section on page 1.

**In-Classroom Activity**
- Divide the classroom into small groups and distribute the small group activity quiz (page 4-5). Instruct learners to spend 15 minutes and work together to answer the questions provided.
- At the end of this activity, convene the class. Present the questions and have learners share their answers and discuss.
- Write the correct answers on the board for the class to see. Collect each handout from learners
  - The instructor can reference the answer sheet on page 4
Names

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Small Group Activity Quiz

Questions:
In your group, answer the following questions referencing the video lecture assigned before class. Be prepared to turn in this handout at the end of class.

1. True or False: Permanent contraception (tubal ligation and vasectomy) is one of the most common methods of contraception in the US and worldwide.

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   b. 85%
   c. 99%
   d. 100%

3. A medical visit is required for insertion and removal for which of the following methods (check all that apply):
   a. Copper IUD
   b. Levonorgestrel IUDs
   c. Implant
   d. Diaphragm
   e. Nuvaring

4. Levonorgestrel IUDs work by:
   a. Thickening the cervical mucus
   b. Thinning out the uterine lining
   c. Levonorgestrel is toxic to sperm
   d. a & b

5. Potential side effects of Medroxyprogesterone (DMPA), brand name Depo-Provera, include:
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   c. Decreased bone density
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