

Guided Practice: OB Inpatient Provider – Triage & Antepartum

Exercise

To Complete Guided Practice outside of class:

- Log into the Epic Ply Central Environment. (Refer to tip sheet.)
- Use Log in ID's: OB MD on your tent card
- Use the Garland patient on your tent card.
- Search for Garland using the L&D Grease board.



OB Triage – This Guided Practice will include tools you will use when triaging your patient.

- NCO order for Triage patient
- Labor Order Set
- Antepartum Order Set

We are in a practicing in the training environment; your workspace might look slightly different in Production.

- 1. Log into Epic using the user ID from your tent card.
- 2. From the L&D Grease board, find your Garland patient from the tent card.
- 3. Double click on her name to open her chart.



Triage Patient - NCO Order for a Triage patient & Labor Order Set.

Because of the patient status is listed as Outpatient therefore you need to add the NCO order.

- The nurse will need an order from you to triage the patient.
- You will be entering an NCO order along with other orders.

Your patient present at the Birthing Center saying she has not felt the baby move.

- 4. You are receiving a **BPA** (Best Practice Advisory). For this workflow You are still Triaging your patient, Click **Dismiss** for now.
- 5. Click on Orders Activity.
- 6. **Dismiss** the PTA Med Section. (Nurse BPA)
- 7. Type in Labor, Under Order Sets & Panels look for AWH Labor Patient order set.

 (Our patients in the training environment are built at AWH, that is why we are selecting the AWH Order set. You will search for your own at your facility).

- 8. Click Accept.
- 9. Because still at this point you are triaging your patient, you will not address the Admission section.
 - a. Some sections are closed in the order set, click on the item within the sections to open that section up.
 - b. Work your way down the order set and place orders on your own.
 - c. Click open Nursing Orders for Labor Patient orders.
 - i. In addition to your orders you want to place.
 - ii. Click on NCO→ In the comments type **Triage patient**. Click **Accept**.
 - d. Uncheck orders you will not place.
 - e. Address any red stop signs with the orders.
 - f. **Sign** your orders when you are finished.
 - g. You should see all the orders you just placed in the **Active orders tab**.
- 10. If you decide to **send the patient home**. An **NCO order will need to be placed to Discharge** the patient.
 - a. In the Orders sidebar → type NCO → Choose Nursing Communication Order → in the comment section type in Discharge patient. → Click **Sign.**
- 11. Reminder: Update the **Problem list**, enter in a **note** and put in your **charges**.



Antepartum Patients and Antepartum Order Set

If you have an Antepartum patient and you decide to admit her. You will use the Admission navigator.

Start at the top of the navigator and work your way down to the bottom will assure you have addressed the items you need to for this workflow.

- 1. Click on the Admission Navigator.
- 2. You will need to address the BPA. Click Order Admit patient to Inpatient. Click Accept.
- 3. The order composer opens. → AWH Unit? Click on **AWH Birthing Center**. → Click **Accept**. → **Sign** the order.
- 4. Click back on Admission.
 - a. Click and Review the Travel screening. → Update the Problem list and remember to link
 any no problems to the pregnancy. → Review the Allergies and History section, update as
 needed.
- 5. **OB Documentation** Most of this section flows over from the clinic. Review each section and update if needed.
 - a. **Episodes** Pregnancy Episodes are created at the clinic visit.
 - b. **Results Console** Great Area to review labs order by trimester.
 - c. Culture Results Will show GBS and Culture lab results.
 - d. **Dating** Working EDD and how it was selected.
 - e. Overview & Plan Pregnancy Plan

- f. Add'l Birth Plan Additional Pregnancy Plan information.
- g. **OB History** See the current OB History and you can also add any Previous Pregnancy by clicking the **+Add Previous Pregnancy**.
- h. **Gender Identity/Sexuality** Filled out by nurse discretions.
- i. **Cervical Exam** You can document your cervical exam here.
 - i. Make sure Show Row Infor, Show Last filed Value and Show All Choices are marked at the top of this section.
 - 1. **Show Row info** will show you the description within the row.
 - 2. **Show Last Filed value** will show the last filed & if you hover to discover additional information will show.
 - 3. **Show All Choices** will show all your choice within the row.
- 6. Manage Admission orders review from Inpatient Provider Class
 - a. Cosign Orders If the nurse has placed any orders, you will need to Cosign and can cosign them right from this section.
 - b. Admission Orders Admission Med Rec → Click on this section and walk through it on your own.
 - c. Use the Antepartum order set to place your orders.
 - d. Remember to sign your orders at the end.
- 7. **Provider Notes** Complete this section on your own.
- 8. **Charges** Enter in your charges.

This completes your **OB Triage** Guided Practice Session. This is not all inclusive of a typical workflow.