



We believe every woman deserves the highest level of medical care.



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At Maimonides Medical Center, we provide care to women throughout their adult lives. I am proud to be part of a team of highly trained professionals that offers the complete spectrum of obstetrical and gynecologic services, from family planning to prenatal and delivery, and pre- and post-menopause care.

Many people don't understand what an obstetrician/gynecologist does. In short, we are the physicians responsible for helping women address their unique health needs. I practice obstetrics, office and surgical gynecology, with a special interest in minimally invasive gynecologic procedures, including hysteroscopy and laparoscopy.

The obstetrics component of my job entails taking care of pregnant women and ensuring that they and their developing babies experience healthy pregnancies. It is important to start prenatal care early and keep all appointments, because problems can arise even if a pregnant woman feels absolutely normal. Beginning at the onset of pregnancy, we perform exams that include routine blood tests and sonograms to date the fetus, monitor growth and detect possible abnormalities. Working with the Maimonides perinatal and maternal fetal medicine staff, we make sure that our patients have access to the latest testing for potential genetic abnormalities.

Obstetricians are trained to manage high-risk pregnancies, including multiples. We also specialize in addressing complications that arise during many pregnancies, such as preeclampsia (elevated blood pressure), gestational diabetes, and problems with fetal growth. Some conditions – such as preeclampsia – can be life-threatening and can require critical intervention.

We are also the physicians who deliver babies, either naturally or via cesarean section, and we follow up to ensure new mothers are recovering well.

In our role as gynecologists, we perform yearly wellness exams on all of our patients. These exams include screenings for a variety of diseases that can affect women, from breast and cervical cancer to sexually transmitted diseases. Another important part of an OB/ GYN's job is to diagnose and treat female reproductive health issues that include sexually transmitted diseases, menstrual issues, diseases of the breasts, uterus, Fallopian tubes, and ovaries, as well as fertility problems, premenstrual syndrome and menopause-related issues. By identifying these and other problems early on, we have a better chance of treating them effectively. We also counsel patients regarding family planning and offer a variety of medical and surgical planning options.

It is very important for women to have a medical care provider they trust to be their partner in building a healthy future. I believe that every woman deserves the same high level of care and attention. I work with each of my patients to make sure the care I provide addresses her specific needs. I hope you will contact me or one of my Maimonides colleagues at 718-283-3000 so that, together, we can develop a personal plan that will help you to live the healthiest possible life.



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