



Cert Gynaecological Oncology(SA)

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Examination for the Subspecialty Certificate in Gynaecological Oncology of the  
College of Obstetricians & Gynaecologists of South Africa



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1 Paper only

(3 hours)

*All questions are to be answered. Each question to be answered in a separate book (or books if more than one is required for the one answer)*

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  - a) Discuss indications for genetic testing for hereditary gynaecological cancers. (30)
  - b) Discuss the role of surgery after external beam pelvic radiation and brachytherapy for advanced cervical cancer. (40)
  - c) Discuss the role of nephrostomy in women with cervical cancer and hydronephrosis. (30)[100]
  
- 2
  - a) Discuss the treatment options for a 28-year-old woman, HIV positive with suppressed viral load and a clitoral cancer. Motivate how you will arrive at a recommendation. (40)
  - b) Describe management options for widespread anogenital intra-epithelial lesions. (30)
  - c) Discuss palliative care for a patient with advanced uterine cancer. (30)[100]
  
- 3
  - a) Write notes on fever in gynaecologic oncology outside the context of surgery. (25)
  - b) Discuss the evaluation of a patient before interval debulking surgery after three cycles of neo-adjuvant chemotherapy for epithelial ovarian cancer. (25)
  - c) Discuss the management of Pseudomyxoma peritonei. (50)[100]