Frequently Asked Questions for Advanced Specialty Requirements: Obstetrics and Gynecology

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Review Committee-International
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Question	Answer
ACGME-I Competencies	
What are the responsibilities and qualifications for subspecialty educators?	A subspecialty educator has oversight of a specific educational content area. The Review Committee-International expects that each subspecialty educator will have sufficient time to develop and implement the subspecialty curriculum and subspecialty
[Advanced Specialty Requirement: II.B.2.b)]	educational experiences in partnership with the program director.
	In the absence of faculty members with subspecialty certification, the core faculty member responsible for the educational experience must have subspecialty education/training, clinical practice, and scholarship with primary focus on the subspecialty area. This appointment must be reviewed and approved by the Graduate Medical Education Committee.
Clinical Experiences	
How can the final year of the residency be structured so that all residents gain experience as a chief resident?	Chief resident responsibilities can be shared. Chief resident assignments can be staggered and distributed over a 16-month period so that all residents in the final year of the program have 12 months of experience in that role.
[Advanced Specialty Requirement: IV.C.1.]	