

Postpartum Hemorrhage—Crossword Puzzle

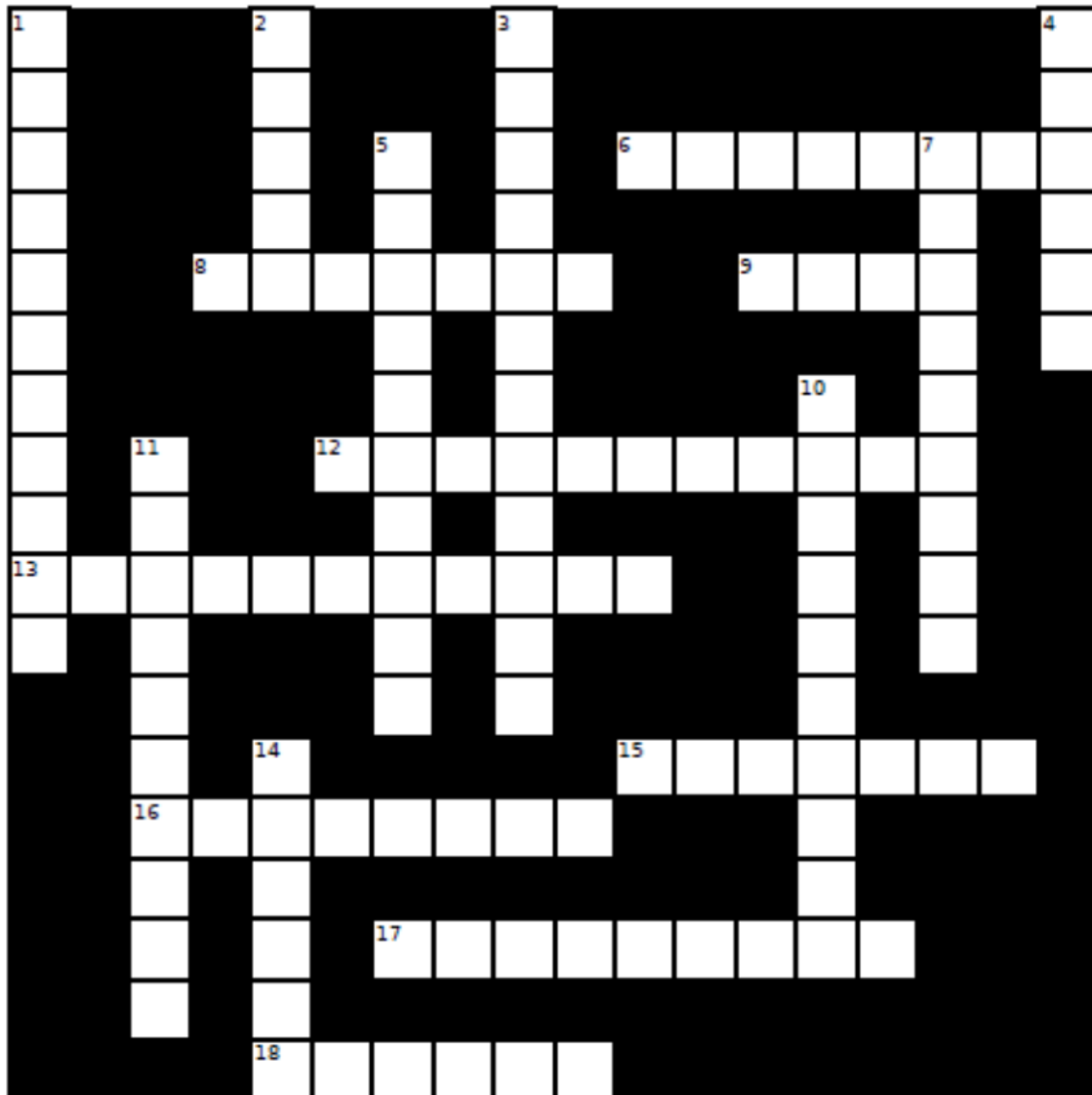
Step 1: Print Postpartum Hemorrhage Crossword Puzzle

Step 2: Review

- ACOG Practice Bulletin #76: Postpartum Hemorrhage
- Procedure for Bakri Balloon www.youtube.com/watch?v=IRNxLFB8Vqw.
- Article You should add the Bakri Balloon to your treatments for OB bleeds

Step 3: Complete crossword puzzle

Step 4: Ask an Educator, Clinical Liaison, Charge Nurse, or Patient Care Supervisor (from your department) to review this form. After this form is approved by them, have them sign off on your “Passport to Competency” (which can be printed from the Nursing Education website).



- Across
- 6 Vital signs including pulse _____ is to be assessed every 15 minutes until bleeding is controlled.
 - 8 Postpartum hemorrhage is usually classified as _____ or secondary
 - 9 When measuring blood loss it is important to remember one _____ is equal to one milliliter
 - 12 According to AOG, a blood _____ is considered necessary when the extent of blood loss is significant.
 - 13 Laboratory values that the nurse may anticipate include assessing _____ coagulation studies including a prothombin time.
 - 15 _____ atony is the single most common cause of postpartum hemorrhage.
 - 16 Misoprostol (Cytotec) 400-1000 mcg. may be given _____ for uterine atony.
 - 17 A nursing intervention for a woman experiencing a hemorrhage would be to _____ IV access if an existing line is not already in place.
 - 18 The use of the Bakri Balloon requires the balloon to be inflated with 500 mL. of _____.

- Down
- 1 In the event of uterine atony, fundal massage and _____ are considered a first line of treatment for postpartum hemorrhage.
 - 2 Risk factors for postpartum hemorrhage may include: a history of hemorrhage; preeclampsia; or rapid _____.
 - 3 Methergine 0.2 mg IM is to be avoided if the woman is _____.
 - 4 The purpose of the blood transfusion is to replace coagulation factors and red cells for _____-carrying capacity, not for volume replacement.
 - 5 Primary hemorrhage occurs within the first 24 hours of delivery.
 - 7 The Bakri Balloon is a _____ technique to control excessive uterine bleeding.
 - 10 In the case of persistent uterine atony the physician may order Hemabate 250 _____ IM.
 - 11 Estimates of blood loss at delivery are notoriously _____.
 - 14 Although risk factors are associated with postpartum hemorrhage, a hemorrhage often _____ without warning.

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