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Obstetrix Medical Group of Dallas is Maternal-Fetal Medicine (Perinatology) group of physicians **specialized in high-risk pregnancies**. Our group is conveniently located throughout Dallas metropolitan area and has proudly served patients since 2002.

Our practice specializes in **the treatment and co-management** of women whose pregnancies are considered high-risk because of preexisting maternal medical condition, complication of pregnancy or issues with developing fetus.

What is a high-risk pregnancy ?

- A high-risk pregnancy is one that threatens the health or life of the mother or her fetus.
- Common **preexisting maternal disorders** considered high-risk pregnancy are, for example, diabetes, hypertension, thyroid disorder, cancer, autoimmune disorders, asthma, kidney disease, mental health disorder, and similar.
- Common **fetal disorders** are fetal malformations, chromosomal aberrations, growth deficiency and similar.
- There are also multitude of **obstetrical complications** that elevates normal pregnancy to high-risk one such as multifetal pregnancy, preterm labor and insufficient cervix, diabetes in pregnancy, thrombocytopenia etc., as well as associated maternal risk factors such as morbid obesity, advanced maternal age, smoking or drug substance dependency during the pregnancy.

Your visit with our MFM physician

- We are **consultative group** that is patient-focused practice, which provides detailed assessment and personal attention to you as the patient and your health care provider as a referring doctor.
- Our purpose is to evaluate, diagnose, explain, advise, provide prognosis and recommendations to you and your referring health care provider of your (maternal) and fetal status when pregnancy complications exist or pregnancy is at the risk of adverse outcome.
- Once you complete your visit (or after each visit), we will fax the evaluation/report to your referring health care provider with the 24h, or talk to her/him the same day over the phone if emergency arise and immediate attention is needed.

- Note that whenever you are leaving our office you will know when is your next appointment (that is, a follow-up visit will be scheduled if necessary).

Maternal-Fetal Medicine services

Our expertise is summarized into services related to:

- Maternal medical or obstetrical conditions:
 - Office and hospital consultations,
 - High risk pregnancy co-management,
 - Genetic counseling,
 - Facilitation of antepartum care transfer to highly specialized clinic or hospital if maternal or fetal condition require.
- Fetal conditions:
 - Routine and high-resolution ultrasound (performed on most advanced ultrasound machines with certified ultrasound technicians),
 - Targeted ultrasound such as fetal echocardiogram,
 - Antepartum testing (also known as fetal surveillance),
 - Non-invasive and invasive fetal testing (genetic amniocentesis, Chorionic villus sampling or CVS, fetal umbilical cord blood sampling or intrauterine blood transfusion).

Education and expertise

Our clinical team includes Board Certified physicians in maternal-fetal medicine and general obstetrics-gynecology that have been educated and trained at various prestigious universities such as:

- University of California at Irvine,
- University of Minnesota Medical School in Minneapolis, and
- Weill Medical College of Cornell University in New York.

Locations

We provide Maternal-Fetal Medicine services at the following locations:

- Dallas (at Presbyterian Hospital Dallas)
- Allen (in vicinity of Presbyterian Hospital Allen)
- Plano (at Presbyterian Hospital Plano)
- Carrollton (at Baylor Medical Center of Carrollton)
- Rowlett (at Lake Pointe Medical Center, Rowlett)

PATIENT INFORMATION