

Chapter: Youth Health
Title: Obstetrical Care

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Replaces: HHS.25.15
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ACA Standard(s): 3-JCRF-4C-02

(a) **Standard.**

Obstetrical care will be available by referral to a specialist.

(b) **Procedures.**

- (1) Notify the nurse and halfway house superintendent if a there is a suspicion that a youth is pregnant.
Person Responsible: Human Services Specialist / Juvenile Correctional Officer
- (2) Schedule the youth to see a physician after two missed periods or pregnancy is otherwise suspected or confirmed by pregnancy test.
Person Responsible: Nurse

(c) **If Pregnant:**

- (1) Refer to GAP.91.95.
Person Responsible: ALL
 - (2) Schedule for initial prenatal care visit.
Person Responsible: Nurse
 - (3) Notify superintendent and direct caregivers of any pertinent orders or instructions.
Person Responsible: Nurse
 - (4) With prior written youth consent, notify parent/guardian of pregnancy.
Person Responsible: Superintendent
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