

Medical Student and Ob/Gyn Resident Values Clarification Workshop **Pre-Survey**

We invite you to participate in surveys about medical student and resident attitudes before and after attending a workshop centered on abortion attitudes and knowledge being conducted by investigators in the UW-Madison School of Medicine and Public Health. As part of the third-year curriculum or Ob/Gyn residency, you will participate in a one-hour Values Clarification and Attitude Transformation (VCAT) workshop, entitled, “Four Corners.”

The World Health Organization recommends values clarification interventions as a critical part of training for abortion providers to address abortion stigma as barrier to accessing abortion care. Values clarification refers to the process of reflecting on one’s moral reasoning to identify the values that one feels are most meaningful and important. This process can help one identify when these values conflict with assumptions or actions that may be informed by social norms or other external influences and examine alternate values and their consequences.

This survey takes about 10 minutes to complete. You can stop at any time and you are not required to complete it. You can do it in one sitting or in parts. In order to protect your confidentiality, your responses to this survey will be coded but the codes and your private information will be kept in separate locations.

As a thank you for participating in this survey, after you complete each survey, you will be given a link to a \$10 Amazon gift card.

This survey is voluntary, and you may skip any question you do not wish to answer. There are no direct benefits to you for taking part in this study. Your medical student or residency standing will not be affected if you do not participate or by your responses if you respond to the survey.

There are minimal risks associated with participating in the study. Completion of the web based survey would be considered as your consent to participate in this study.

For questions about the study itself, please reach out to Dr. Laura Jacques, Assistant Professor, UW Department of Ob-Gyn, at laura.jacques@wisc.edu.

What is your age?

What country were you born in?

If you were born in the United States, which state were you born in?

- All 50 states, DC, Puerto Rico all listed as options

Have you participated in a Values Clarification and Attitude Transformation workshop before?

- Yes
- No

As of this moment, what are your career plans post-residency?

- General obstetrics and gynecology practice (generalist)
- Gynecologic Oncology fellowship
- Female Pelvic Medicine and Reconstructive Surgery fellowship
- Reproductive Endocrinology and Infertility fellowship
- Maternal-Fetal Medicine fellowship
- Family Planning fellowship
- Pediatric and Adolescent Gynecology fellowship
- Other, please specify:

What year in residency training are you?

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4

How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements? (Strongly Agree, Slightly Agree, Neither Agree nor Disagree, Slightly Disagree, Strongly Disagree)

The issue of abortion is of little importance to me.

I support the provision of family planning and contraceptive services.

I feel comfortable working to increase access to family planning and contraceptive services.

I support the provision of abortion services as permitted by law.

I feel comfortable working to increase access to abortion services as permitted by law.

I feel comfortable talking with my closest family members about my involvement with abortion care.

I would feel comfortable observing an abortion procedure.

I would feel comfortable performing or assisting an abortion procedure.

I am clear about my personal values concerning abortion.

I feel very conflicted about abortion.

I can clearly explain my personal values concerning abortion.

I can respectfully explain values concerning abortion that conflict with mine.

I feel empathy for people who have experienced abortion.

All people should have access to safe, comprehensive abortion care in the first trimester.

Access to first trimester abortion should be restricted to certain circumstances.

All people should have access to safe, comprehensive abortion care in the second trimester.

Access to second trimester abortion should be restricted to certain circumstances.

As a part of your career in the future, which of the following do you plan to do? (Yes/No)

Learn more about the need for safe, comprehensive abortion care.

Raise awareness about the need for safe, comprehensive abortion care.

Advocate making safe, comprehensive abortion care widely available.

Educate people about safe abortion services.

Refer people seeking abortion to safe services.

Provide or assist with safe, comprehensive abortion procedures.

With which of the following genders to you identify?

- Man
- Woman
- Non-binary
- Transgender Man
- Transgender Woman
- Transgender Non-binary
- Another gender (please specify)

Do you identify with any particular religion or denomination?

- Yes
- No

(If yes to previous question) How much do you incorporate your religious beliefs into all your dealings in life?

- Not at all
- A little
- Somewhat
- Quite a bit
- A great deal

(If yes to initial religion question) How often do you attend a church, temple, mosque, or other religious meetings?

- Never
- Once a year or less
- A few times a year
- A few times a month
- Once a week
- More than once a week

Congratulations! You have reached the end of the survey. We appreciate your responses. Please click Submit below to complete your survey.

After you click Submit, you will not be able to go back into your survey.