



# The Women's Health Center

The staff of the Women's Health Center would like to welcome you to our Center and congratulate you on your pregnancy. It is a privilege to provide care for you during one of the most exciting times of your life. Let us take an opportunity to tell you about our department.

The Center consists of both an Obstetric and Gynecology Service. The Obstetric Service consists of a "Provider Team" concept which allows you access to a team of providers consisting of a Physician, Certified Nurse Midwife and a Certified Advanced Nurse Practitioner. Upon completion of your initial OB Interview appointment, you will be assigned to a team. At times when your preferred provider is not available, a member of your team will continue your care. At the time of delivery, the Healthcare Provider on call will care for you and your baby.

The Center is open from 0730 – 1630 Monday – Friday (except for federal and training holidays). Patients are also seen at Tuttle Clinic on Tuesdays from 0800 – 1630.

If you are station at HAAF or live in the Savannah area, please schedule your OB Interview at Tuttle Clinic.

At your OB Interview you should have received two cards; one with Important Telephone Numbers and one with the number and names of your team members. If you did not receive these cards, please ask for them at your next appointment.

If you are acutely sick or have pregnancy related concerns you may access care by calling our OB Triage Nurse to be evaluated. Simply call 435-6633 or 1-800-652-9221 Monday – Friday 0730 – 1600 and leave a message with the receptionist.

Our Triage Nurse will return your call and talk with you about your needs. She will answer any questions you may have, advise you about self care, or schedule an appointment if needed. The Acute Care Clinic is closed on 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday each month for training, but don't let that keep you from calling. We are always available to address your needs.

It is very important to keep you informed and educated during your pregnancy. Your copy of the book "Pregnancy and Childbirth" is available for you to access online at [www.winn.amedd.army.mil](http://www.winn.amedd.army.mil). Select Medical Services and then Women's Health. Please READ and refer to the book throughout your pregnancy. The department offers classes to assist you in your pregnancy education needs. You can view the classes at the website listed and then call the OB clinic for class registration.

Again, welcome to the Women's Health Center. If you have any questions or needs, we will be happy to assist you at any time.

The OB/GYN Staff