

Female Reproductive System Terms

Write the definition of the term in the right column

Term	Definition
cervic/o- cervix	(neck) pl=cervices)
cervical	
cervical cap	
cervicectomy	
cervicitis	
cervicocolpitis	
cervicovaginitis	
cervicovesical	
colp/o-	vagina (sheath)
colpalgia	
colpectomy	
colpitis	
colpocele	
colpopexy	
colpoplasty	
colpoptosis	
colporrhagia	
colpotomy	
vagin/o-	Vagina
vaginal	
vaginapexy	
vaginocele	
vaginogenic	
vaginography	
vaginometer	
vaginopathy	
vaginopexy	
vaginoplasty	
vaginoscope	
Culd/o	Cul-de-sac (blind pouch)
culdocentesis	
culdoscope	
culdoscopy	
vulv/o-	vulva (covering)
Vulval, vulvar	
vulvectomy	
vulvismus	
vulvitis	
vulvocruel	

vulvopathy	
vulvouterine	
vulvovaginitis	
episi/o-	vulva and perineum
episioelectrorrhaphy	
episioperineoplasty	
episioperineorrhaphy	
episioplasty	
episiorrhaphy	
episiostenosis	
episiotomy	
gyn/o- gynec/o-	woman, female
gynecogenic	
gynecoid	
gynecologic	
gynecologist	
gynecology	
gynecomania	
gynecomastia	
Gynoplastics, gynoplasty	
gynephobia	
gynopathy/gynecopathy	
hymen/o-	hymen (membrane)
hymenal	
hymenectomy	
hymenitis	
hymenology	
hymenorrhaphy	
hymenotome	
hymenotomy	
metr/o- metr/a- metr/i-	Uterus
endometritis	
metralgia	
metritis	
metrocele	
metropathy	
metroperitonitis	
metroplasty	
metrorrhagia	
metrorrhea	
metrostaxis	
uter/o-	uterus
uteralgia	

uteritis	
uterocele	
uterometer	
uteropexy	
uteroplasty	
uterorectal	
uteroscope	
uterotonic	
uterotubal	
hyster/o-	uterus (womb)
hysteritis	
hysterocele	
hysteroogram	
hysterology	
hysterometer	
hysteropathy	
hysteropexy	
hysterorrhaphy	
hysteroscopy	
hysterotomy	
men/o-	menstruation (month)
amenorrhea	
dysmenorrhea	
menophania	
menorrhagia	
menorrhagia	
menorrhea	
menostasis	
menostaxis	
menoxenia	
oophor/o-	ovary (bearing eggs)
oophoralgia	
oophoritis	
oophoropexy	
oophoroplasty	
oophorotomy	
oophorrhagia	
perineocele	
perineometer	
perineoplasty	

salping/o-	fallopian tube (also eustachian tube)
salpingian	
salpingectomy	
salpingitis	
salpingocele	
salpingography	
salpingolithiasis	
salpingopexy	
salpingoplasty	
salpingostomy	
mamm/o- mamm/-	Breast
mammalgia	
mammaplasty/mammoplasty	
mammectomy	
Mammogram/ mammography	
mammose	
mammotomy	
mast/o-	Breast
mastadenitis	
mastitis	
mastography	
mastology	
mastopathy	
mastopexy	
mastoplasty	
mastorrhagia	
mastotomy	
perimastitis	
mammill/a-	Nipple
mammilla	
mammillary	
mammilliform	
mammillioplasty	
mammillitis	
lact/o-	Milk
lactocele	
lactometer	
lactorrhea	
nat/o	Birth
natal	
natality	
prolactin	

par/o- part/o- partur/o-	bear, to give birth, labor
ante partum	
parturiometer	
parturiphobia	
postpartum	
puerper/o-	Childbirth
pueperant	
pueperium	
pueperous	
puerpera	
puerperal	
toco-	Birth
tocodynagraph, tocodynamometer	
tocograph, tocometer	
tocology	
tocolysis	
tocophobia	
tocus	
oompal/o-	umbilicus, navel
omphalic	
omphalitis	
omphalocele	
omphalorrhagia	
omphalotomy	
amni/o- amnion/o-	amnion (inner fetal membrane)
amniography	
amniorrhea	
amnioscope	
amnioscopy	
amniotitis	
chori/o-	chorion (forms the placenta)
choriogenesis	
chorioepithelioma, choriocarcinoma	
chorioma	
embryo/o-	embryo (to be full)
embryectomy	
embryocidal	
embryology	
embryopathy	
embryoscopy	
embryulcia	

fet/o- fet/i-	fetus, unborn child
fetal	
fetalism	
fetology	
fetoscope	
fetoscopy	
fetotoxic	
gravid/o-	pregnant
gravid	
gravida	
gravidism	
graviditas, gravidity	
gravidocardiac	
cyes/o- cyes/i-	Pregnancy
pseudocyesis	
MORE FEMALE REPRODUCTIVE TERMS:	
climacteric	
conization	
curettage	
estrogen	
infertility	
insemination	
introitus	
intrauterine device (IUD)	
OBSTETRIC/NEONATOLOGY TERMINOLOGY	
abruptio placentae	
afterbirth	
apgar scoring	
ballotment	
BOW- bag of waters	
Braxton Hicks	
breech	
Cesarean	
crowning	
ectopic	
engorgement	
epidural	
lanugo	
lightening	
miscarriage	
premature	
prolapsed cord	
quickening	

stillbirth	
trimester	
zygote	

Female Reproductive System Vocabulary Worksheet

Word	Write the definition of each word
Adnexa uteri	
Amnion	
Areola	
Bartholin glands	
Cervix	
Chorion	
Clitoris	
Coitus	
Corpus luteum	
Cul-de-sac	
Embryo	
Endometrium	
Estrogen	
Fallopian tube	
Fertilization	
Fetus	
Fimbriae (singular: fimbria)	
Follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH)	
Gamete	
Genitalia	
Gestation	
Gonad	
Gynecology	
Human chorionic gonadotropin (hCG)	
Hymen	
Labia	
Lactiferous ducts	
Luteinizing hormone (LH)	
Mammary papilla	
Menarche	
Menopause	
Myometrium	
Neonatology	
Obstetrics	
Orifice	
Ovarian follicle	
Ovary	
Ovulation	
Ovum	

Parturition	
Perineum	
Pituitary gland	
Placenta	
Pregnancy	
Progesterone	
Puberty	
Uterine serosa	
Uterus	
Vagina	
vulva	
Zygote	

Combining Forms

Combining Form	Meaning	Term	Define each term
Amni/o	Amnion	Amniocentesis	
Cervic/o	Cervix, neck	Endocervicitis	
Chori/o, chorion/o	Chorion	chorionic	
Colp/o	Vagina	colposcopy	
Culd/o	cul-de-sac	culdacentesis	
Episolo	Vulva	episiotomy	
galactic	Milk	galactorrhea	
gynecob	woman, female	gynecomastia	
Hyster/o	Uterus, womb	hysterectomy	
Lact/o	Milk	Lactation	
Mamm/o	Breast	Mastitis	
Men/o	Menses, menstruation	Amenorrhea	
Metro/o, metri/o	Uterus	Metrorrhagia	
My/o, myom/o	Muscle, muscle tumor	Myometrium	
Nat/i	Birth	Neonatal	
Obstetro/o	Pregnancy and childbirth	Obstetrics	
o/o	Egg	Oogenesis	
Oophor/o	Ovary	Oophorectomy	
Ov/o	Egg	Ovum	
Ovary/o	Ovary	Ovarian	
Ovul/o	Egg	Anovulatory	
Vagin/o	Vagina	Vaginal orifice	
Vulv/o	Vulva	Vulvovaginitis	

Suffixes

Suffixes	Meaning	Example of term	Define each example
-arche	Beginning	Menarche	
-cyesis	Pregnancy	Pseudocyesis	
-gravida	Pregnant	Primigravida	
-parous	Bearing, bringing forth	Primiparous	
-rrhea	Discharge	Leucorrhea	
-salpinx	Fallopian tube	Pyosalpinx	
-tocia	Labor, birth	dysocia	
-version	Act of turning	Cephalic version	

Prefixes

Prefixes	Meaning	Example of term	Define each example
Dys-	Painful	Dyspareunia	
Endo-	Within	Endometritis	
In-	In	Involution of the uterus	
Intra-	Within	Intrauterine	
Multi-	Many	Multipara	
Nulli-	Non, not, none	Nulligravida	
Pre-	Before	Prenatal	
Preimi-	First	Primipara	
Retro-	Backward	Retroversion	

Abbreviations

Abbreviation	Write the meaning of the abbreviation below
AB	
AFP	
ASCUS	
AUB	
BRCA1, BRCA 2	
BSE	
Ca 125	
C-section	
CIN	

CIS	
CS	
CVS	
Cx	
D&C	
DCIS	
DES	
DUB	
ECC	
EDC	
EMB	
FHR	
FSH	
G	
GnRH	
GYN	
hCG or HCG	
HDN	
HPV	
HRT	
HSG	
IUD	
IVF	
LAVH	
LEEP	
LH	
LMP	
LSH	
Multip	
OB	
OCPs	
Pap test	
Path	
PID	
PMS	
Primip	
RDS	
SLN, SNB	
TAH-BSO	
TRAM flap	
UAE	
VH	