

The Basic Training approach to the comprehensive obstetrical scan

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"This training has been of immense value in highlighting high standards of care and the need for improvement in operator knowledge and skills. We look forward to more training from ISUOG. Well done!" Satellite delegate feedback

ISUOG's most recent Basic Training course "The Basic Training approach to the comprehensive obstetrical scan" took place on Friday 20th April as part of the 14th International Symposium in Athens. The course was attended by 107 onsite delegates from 32 different countries, in addition to 139 delegates from 5 satellites in Bulgaria, Egypt, Nigeria and Sudan.

Onsite delegates gave the course an overall rating of 6.25 out of 7, the highest rating of any BT course to date, and satellite delegates gave the course a rating of 6.17. The lectures, which covered the Basic Training obstetrical program, were given an average rating of 6.37 and 5.89 by onsite and satellite delegates respectively, with multiple delegates reporting that all lectures and speakers were outstanding. Many delegates reported that they found the lectures on Doppler and cervical assessment particularly helpful.

In practical terms, the course was very successful; no satellite delegates reported issues with joining the livestream or with connectivity during the course. Overall, 99% of delegates said that they would recommend ISUOG Basic Training to a colleague, and 99% would be interested in attending another ISUOG Education course. The positive impact of the course is reflected in delegates' answers to the pre- and post-course tests: while onsite delegates began with a good knowledge of the subject and achieved an average pre-test score of 70%, this increased to 84% after the course, while the available pre and post test results from satellites showed test results increased by an average of 15% following the course.

