Chapter 110:

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

On completion of the chapter, the reader will be able to:

1. Discuss the etiology and risk factors associated with the development of ovarian cancer.
2. Debate the utility of the screening tests and serological markers for diagnosing ovarian cancer.
3. Differentiate the nonspecific physical signs and symptoms of ovarian cancer.
4. Recommend the appropriate surgical and chemotherapy treatment options for newly diagnosed and recurrent ovarian cancer patients.
5. Determine the patient characteristics for implementing interperitoneal chemotherapy.
6. Interpret the role of consolidation chemotherapy in the treatment of ovarian cancer.
7. Design appropriate monitoring plan for ovarian cancer patients after achieving complete response to first-line treatment.
8. Formulate the potential chemotherapy options for women with recurrent platinum-resistant ovarian cancer.
9. Create a supportive care plan for ovarian cancer patients with progressive, chemotherapy-resistant disease approaching end of life.