

Spotlight on Ovarian Cancer

[Recognising Gynecological Cancer in Primary Care: Risk Factors, Red Flags and Referrals. Funston, Garth et al Advances in Therapy, 2018, 35 \(4\): pp 577-589](#)

[Ovarian Cancer in Primary Care: The Role of GPN's, Aston J, Practice Nursing, 2017, 28 \(10\) pp 444 - 447](#)

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[Berek and Hacker's Gynecologic Oncology, Berek J, 2014](#)

[Gynecological Cancers: a multidisciplinary approach to diagnosis and Management, Odunsi K, 2014](#)



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Remember health literacy issues

It can be difficult when working with patients to know whether the information you are providing is being understood. People may hide any communication or understanding issues they have. Therefore, it is key that practitioners communicate in an effective manner. Use these communication techniques:



Teach Back is a simple way to check understanding. Ask the person to tell you in their own words. Say that it is not a test but you would like to make sure that you have explained everything correctly.



Break down the information that you need to discuss and that you need the person to understand into smaller more manageable chunks rather than providing it all at once.

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