

# Virginia Section, American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology



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Dear Mr. Lundberg:

On behalf of the Virginia Section, ACOG, we are pleased to support your upcoming publication, *Obstetrical Care: A Consumers Guide*. The information within the guide is designed to help parents-to-be and their families better understand the birth process, hospital capabilities and features, experience and qualifications of physicians and to compare the performance of both hospitals and physicians.

Well-informed and engaged patients help strengthen the patient/physician relationship. We appreciate Virginia Health Information's efforts to provide the public with useful information on obstetric care.

Sincerely,

*Wade A. Neiman, MD/MB*

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Chairman