Crossword Questions Answers

Mirena - A T-shaped device that is inserted into the uterus that offers contraception for up to 5 years

Thrombosis - The biggest risk factor why women over the age of 35 and smoking are contraindicated for combined OCP

Weight Gain - In addition to irregular bleeding, the most common side effect with Depo birth control

Condoms - This form of birth control prevents pregnancy and protects against STI

NuvaRing - This form of birth control is inserted vaginally and left in place for 3 weeks and removed for 1 week

Patch - This form of birth control is self-applied once every 7 days for 3 consecutive weeks followed by 1 free week

Vasectomy - This form of birth control is considered permanent and involves their partner

Plan B - Form of emergency contraception that is most effective if used within 72 hours of intercourse

Progesterone - Non hormonal contraception or contraception with this hormone only are safest in immediately postpartum women

3 Months - The appropriate time interval between Depo injections

Spermicide - A chemical that is designed to stop sperm from moving

Temperature - This can be measured daily to monitor for fertility in natural family planning

Sponge - A round piece of white plastic forma that can be inserted into the vagina prior to intercourse to help protect against pregnancy

Smoking - A carcinogen that should be screened for when discussing forms of birth control with women, especially women older than 35 years

Diaphragm - A shallow, dome-shaped cup that is inserted into the vagina prior to intercourse and must be used with spermicide to be effective