

# Pelvis

Difference between male and female pelvis

Male Pelvis	Female Pelvis
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Prominent muscular impressions</li><li>• <b>Concave iliac fossa</b></li><li>• Inturned anterior superior iliac spine</li><li>• Thick and everted ischio pubic rami</li><li>• Large acetabular cavity</li><li>• Large and oval obturator foramen</li><li>• Large articular surface of first sacral vertebrae</li><li>• Heart shaped pelvic inlet</li><li>• Longer and conical pelvic cavity</li><li>• Elongated symphysis and body</li><li>• Ischio pubic index is less than 90</li><li>• Small pelvic outlet</li><li>• Narrow sub pubic angle 50°–60°</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Indistinct muscular markings</li><li>• Shallow pelvis</li><li>• Oval pelvic inlet</li><li>• Short pelvic cavity</li><li>• Short, wide, flat, forward curved sacrum</li><li>• Sub pubic angle &gt;90°</li><li>• Large pelvic outlet</li><li>• Ischio pubic index more than 90</li><li>• Small acetabulum</li><li>• Everted ischial tuberosities</li><li>• Small and triangular obturator foramen</li></ul>

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