

Clinical Presentation (Preclerkship; Year 1 & 2)

Definition of a Clinical Presentation

A clinical presentation must:

- Represent a common or important way in which a patient, group of patients, community or population actually presents to the physician and which a graduate would be expected to handle.
- Be important and substantive enough to warrant interdisciplinary input and cover a broad content area so that Faculty objectives can be met. Less substantive clinical presentations are probably best included under a broader category. For example, "epistaxis" is probably best included under bleeding tendency/bruising.

Course I: (Gastroenterology & Blood)

Anemia/Pallor/Fatigue
Bleeding Tendency/Bruising
Elevated Hematocrit/Polycythemia
Painful Limb
 Painful Swollen Limb
 Venous Thrombosis and Hypercoagulable State
Abnormalities of White Blood Cells
Lymphadenopathy: Generalized
Splenomegaly
Fever in the Immunocompromised Host
Fever and Chills
Weight Loss
Difficulty Swallowing/Dysphagia
Abdominal Pain
 Acute Abdominal Pain
 Chronic Abdominal Pain
Hematemesis
Blood in Stool
Abdominal Distension/Mass/Visceromegaly/Ascites
Jaundice/Abnormal Liver Enzymes
Change in Bowel Habit

Course II: (Musculoskeletal/Skin/Rheumatology)

Painful Limb

- Painful Swollen Limb

- Venous Thrombosis and Hypercoagulable State

- Intermittent Claudication

Hair and Nail Complaints

Skin Tumours, Benign and Malignant

Skin Blisters

Skin Rash (Dermatitis)

Joint Pain, Mono-Articular (Acute, Chronic)

Joint Pain, Polyarticular (Acute, Chronic)

Regional Pain, Non-Articular (Hand, Wrist, Elbow, Shoulder, Spine, Hips, Knee, Foot)

Skin Lesions and Systemic Disease

- Skin/Immunologic Diseases

- Primary and Secondary Lesions (Structure & Function of Skin)

Fractures and Dislocations

Course III: (Cardiovascular/Respiratory)

Chest Discomfort

Loss of Consciousness/Syncope/Presyncope

Palpitation (Abnormal ECG)

Shock (Hypotension)

Murmur

- Systolic Murmur

- Diastolic Murmur

Painful Limb

- Painful Swollen Limb

- Venous Thrombosis and Hypercoagulable State

- Intermittent Claudication

Cough and Dyspnea

- Cough and/or Dyspnea with Normal Chest X-Ray

- Cough and/or Dyspnea with Diffuse Chest X-Ray Abnormality

- Cough and/or Dyspnea with Pleural Abnormality

- Cough and/or Dyspnea with Local Chest X-Ray Abnormalities

- Cough, Dyspnea and Fever

Hypoxia, Hypoxemia, Cyanosis

Abnormal Serum Hydrogen Ion Concentration

- Metabolic Acidosis

- Metabolic Alkalosis

- Respiratory Acidosis

- Respiratory Alkalosis

Hemoptysis

Laboured/ Noisy Breathing in a Young Child

Course IV: (Renal & Endocrine)

Renal Failure, Acute
Urinary Retention/Obstruction
Generalized Edema
Abnormal Serum Sodium Concentration
 Hyponatremia
 Hypernatremia
Polyuria
Hypertension
 Pregnancy Associated Hypertension
 Malignant Hypertension
 Hypertension in the Elderly
Hypertension in the Pediatric Age Group
Abnormal Serum Potassium Concentration
 Hypokalemia
 Hyperkalemia
Abnormal Serum Hydrogen Ion Concentration
 Metabolic Acidosis
 Metabolic Alkalosis
 Respiratory Acidosis
 Respiratory Alkalosis
Dysuria
Hematuria
 Hematuria, Extrarenal
 Hematuria, Intrarenal, Extraglomerular
 Hematuria, Glomerular
Proteinuria
Renal Failure, Chronic
Scrotal Mass (Testicular Pain)
Adrenal Mass
Tall Stature, Short Stature
Neck Mass
 Hyperthyroidism
 Hypothyroidism
Abnormalities of Blood Cholesterol/Lipids
Abnormal Sexual Maturation
Breast Abnormalities
 Gynaecomastia
 Breast Discharge
Hirsutism and Virilization
Hyperglycemia, Diabetes
Abnormal Serum Calcium Concentration
 Hypercalcemia
 Hypocalcemia
Menstrual Cycle
 Abnormalities
 Normal Cycle
Hyperkalemia (Fatigue, Hyperpigmentation)
Weight Gain/Obesity

Course V: (Neurosciences & Aging)

Muscle Weakness (paralysis, paresis)
Numbness and Tingling
Head and Spinal Injuries
Speech and Language Disturbances
 Hemiplegia/Hemisensory Loss ± Aphasia
Involuntary Movements
Gait Disturbance (Ataxia)
Dizziness and Vertigo
Childhood Strabismus and Amblyopia
Diplopia
 Diplopia
 Pupil Abnormalities
Speech and Language Disturbances
 Dysphonia (Hoarseness)
Coma (Impaired Consciousness)
Seizures
 Seizures in Adult
Acute Confusion (Delirium)
Dementia, Memory Disturbances (Other Cognitive Changes)
Pain
Headache
The Aging and the Elderly
 The Well Patient
 The Well Patient (The Elderly Patient)
 Dementia, Memory Disturbances
 Failure to Thrive
 Failure to Thrive (The Elderly Patient)
 Elder Abuse
 Falls
 Urinary Incontinence
 Dying Patient
Ear Pain Hearing Loss, and Tinnitus
Vision Loss
 Chronic Visual Loss
 Acute Vision Loss
Eye Redness
 Red Eye
 Eye Injuries

Course VI: (Childrens & Women's Health)

Pregnancy Associated Hypertension

Menstrual Cycle

Abnormalities

Normal Cycle

Excessive/Irregular Blood Loss from Genital Tract

Pregnancy

Pregnancy, Antepartum Care (1st and 3rd Trimester Bleeding)

Pregnancy, Intrapartum Care (Normal and Abnormal)

Pregnancy, Postpartum Care

Pregnancy, Obstetrical Emergencies

Pregnancy, Unwanted (Contraception)

Prolapse/Pelvic Relaxation

Pelvic Pain

Infertility

Female Infertility

Male Infertility

Pelvic Mass

Vaginal Discharge/Vulvar Itch/STDs/Sexually Transmitted Diseases

Breast Mass/Pain

Menopause/Amenorrhea/Oligomenorrhea

The Infant, Child and Adolescent

The Well Patient

The Well Patient (Newborn Assessment, Normal, Includes Nutrition, Immunization and Milestones)

Depressed Newborn (Intrauterine Growth Restriction, Pre-Maturity, Low Birth Weight)

Cyanotic Newborn

Neonatal Jaundice

Infant with Multiple Malformations

Sudden Infant Death Syndrome

Ill-Appearing Neonate/Crying-Fussing Infant

Problem Child

Abnormal Behaviour and Development (Infant)

Abnormal Development

Abnormal Behaviour

Abnormal Behaviour (Adolescent)

Acutely Ill Infant or Child Poisoning

Failure to Thrive

Failure to Thrive (Infant)

Seizures (Pediatric)

Hypertension (Pediatric Age Group)

Weight Loss (Eating Disorders)

Childhood Communicable Diseases

Child with Orthopedic Problems

Mouth Problems (Pediatric)

Vomiting/Nausea (Pediatric)

Increased Risk of a Genetic Disorder

Course VII: (Psychiatry)

The Sexually Concerned Patient
Substance Abuse and Drug Addiction
 Substance Abuse (Performance Drugs)
 Substance Abuse/Drug Addiction (Adolescent)
Suicidal Behaviour
 Suicidal Behaviour (Adult)
 Suicidal Behaviour (Adolescent)
Panic and Anxiety (Anxiety Disorders)
Psychotic Patient
Mood Disorders
Personality Disorders
Insomnia, Sleep and Circadian Rhythm Disorders
Weight Loss (Eating Disorders)
The Family
 Family Violence
 Community Issues
 Interpersonal Stress and Conflict/Adjustment to Life Changes

Integrative Course

Poisoning
Multisystem Trauma/Burns
Work-Related Medical Assessments

Population Health

The Well Patient

