

OSCE Examination Examiners Marksheet

Opening and Patient care

- Introduces themselves, gains consent and washes hands
- Correct positioning of patient
- Appropriate interaction during examination
- Ensures patient comfort during examination
- General inspection
- Appropriate examination of patient's surroundings
- General inspection of patient in relation to system being examined

Physical examination

- Appropriate general and closer inspection and asks patient if in pain
- Inspects hands and feels pulse
- Assesses eyes and mouth
- Feels of lymph nodes
- Exposes and inspects chest and side of chest and axillary region.
- Light and deep palpation
- Assesses liver edge and spleen
- Bloats kidneys
- Percussion and auscultation
- Checks for shifting dullness
- Good examination technique
- States appropriate additional information to complete examination

Completing the examination

- Thank patient, allow them to re-dress
- States appropriate additional relevant investigations/ test
- Appropriate communication of clinical findings
- Confident, accurate and clear

Q1: What is your diagnosis?

Chronic liver disease

Q2: What investigations would you like to order?

Bedside – general observations, ECG, BM, height and weight – BMI

Bloods – FBC, U&Es, LFTS, INR, CRP/ESR, metabolic bloods- cholesterol, lipids

Imaging – x-ray of abdomen?

Q3: What is your management of this condition?

Manage underlying cause e.g weight loss, alcohol reduction and spironolactone for ascites.

Global impression

Excellent

Good

Pass

Borderline

Fail

Please tell the candidate the following at relevant times:

Inspection of chest reveals spider navi
Eyes appear a bit yellow

Abdominal distention seen

Liver edge felt

Normal bowel sounds

Shifting dullness present

OSCE Examination Candidate Template

Role: FY1 in SAU

Please examine the GI system of patient Henry Goldfield who has attended the Clinic with abdominal distension

Patient: Henry Goldfield

Age: 78 years

You have 8 minutes to examine the patient, followed by a further 2 minutes where the examiner will ask you questions.

An invigilator will tell you once 8 minutes has elapsed.

Examination – Notes for Actor

Patient demographics:

You are Henry Goldfield 78-year-old presenting with abdominal distension

During the examination:

No pain