UNC Casebook
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This is the list of symptoms and conditions that UNC medical students must observe and learn before graduating.

We developed the list in four phases:

1. Identified conditions with significant prevalence, burden of suffering and/or cost in North Carolina. We included both conditions/symptoms and symptoms/signs.
2. Extensive and iterative review by teaching faculty across all four years
3. Pilot use for 18 months
4. Re-Review with input from Curriculum Committee (CC1, CC2, CC3/4) faculty and by Education Committee

Conditions or Syndromes

Abscess
Adverse Medication Reaction
Allergy (allergic rhinitis, contact, etc)
Anemia
Anxiety Disorder (GAD, panic attacks, phobia, etc)
Appendicitis
Arthropathy (osteoarthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout)
Asthma
Atrial Fibrillation or Flutter
Bipolar Disorder
Bronchitis, acute
Cancer
- -GI cancer
- -GU cancer
- -Lung or Head and Neck cancer
- -Skin cancers
- -Breast cancer

Biliary Disease
Childhood Developmental Disorders (Disabilities, ADHD, etc.)
Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease
Congestive Heart Failure
Dementia
Depression
Dermatitis
Diabetes Mellitus
Diverticular Disease
Dysfunctional Uterine Bleeding/Post-Menopausal Bleeding
Electrolyte Disorders
End of Life/Palliative Care
Fracture
Gastrointestinal Bleeding
Hemorrhoids
HIV Disease
Hyperlipidemia
Hypertension
Interpersonal/Family Violence
Irritable Bowel Syndrome
Ischemic Heart Disease, chronic
Joint Injury (ankle sprain, wrist sprain, knee sprain etc)
Kidney Disease, acute and chronic
Liver Disease, chronic or Cirrhosis
Myocardial Infarction, acute
Neonatal Resuscitation
Neuropathy (diabetic, carpal tunnel)
Obesity
Osteoporosis & Other Bone Disorders
Otitis Media
Pneumonia
Post-Operative Care (Fever & Wound)
Preeclampsia
Pregnancy and Labor/Delivery
Prematurity
Preterm Labor
Psychosis or Schizophrenia Spectrum Disorders
Respiratory Failure
Sepsis/Septic Shock
Sexually Transmitted Infection (excluding HIV)
Skin Infection
Stroke/Transient Ischemic Attack
Substance/Alcohol Abuse
Thyroid Dysfunction
Tobacco Abuse
Trauma Major
Respiratory Infection (acute)/Sinusitis/Pharyngitis, Influenza
Venous Thromboembolism (DVT, PE)

Symptoms/Signs

Abdominal pain
Altered Mental Status, acute or chronic
Back Pain or Sciatica
Chest Pain
Cough
Diarrhea, acute or chronic
Dizziness or Vertigo
Dyspepsia (GERD, peptic ulcer, etc)
Dyspnea or Shortness of Breath
Dysuria
Edema
Fall
Fatigue
Fever
Headache (including migraine)
Heart Murmur (pediatric)
Laceration
Lymphadenopathy
Nausea and/or Vomiting
Pelvic Pain
Red Eye
Seizure
Suicidal Ideation
Syncope or Pre-Syncope
Vaginitis or Vaginal Discharge