Pediatric Clerkship Examination Checklist

Date_________________ Student_______________________ Observer___________________________

**Pediatric Examination**

### General
- Introduces self/preceptor
- Uses appropriate exam sequence
- Puts Child at Ease

### Head
- Palpates
- Examines hair

### Eyes
- Check red reflex
- Conjunctiva/sclera
- Extra ocular movements
- Fundoscopic exam

### ENT
- External ear exam
- Visualizes TM
- Checks response to voice
- Checks nose/mucosa
- Notes state of dentition/gingiva
- Examines Tonsils/pharynx

### Neck
- Palpates lymphatic chain
- Checks for masses

### Skin
- Notes presence/absence of rashes
  - *Able to describe*

### Lymphadenopathy
- Palpates: neck axilla groin

### Thorax
- Symmetry
- Breast tissue
  - Palpates for masses
  - Tanner stage

### Lungs
- Observes rate, depth of breathing
- Palpates/percusses chest
- Auscultates (with correct findings)

### Cardiovascular
- Palpates PMI
- Auscultates
- Correctly identifies murmurs
- Check pulses
  - Neck wrist groin feet

### Gastrointestinal
- Auscultates for bowel sounds
- Percusses
- Palpates for
  - Masses
  - Liver edge
  - Spleen
  - Tenderness

### Musculoskeletal
- Checks for clubbing, cyanosis
- Check strength in all extremities
- Check ROM
  - Upper extremities
  - Lower extremities
  - Scoliosis

### GU
- Tanner stage
  - Male Phallus Testes Pubic hair
  - Female Vulva/pubic hair

### Neurological
- Cranial Nerves
- DTRS
- Sensation
- Cerebellar function
- Babinski
- Gait (if patient able)
- Affect/mental status

**Overall Performance:**
- Satisfactory (performed >70% of maneuvers correctly without instruction)
- Needs improvement (performed >70% of maneuvers correctly but with significant instruction)
- Unsatisfactory (performed < 70% of maneuvers correctly)

**Additional Comments:**

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