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Diagnostic Studies (PC3)

Applies the results of diagnostic testing based on the probability of disease and the likelihood of test results altering management.

Task   *Yes*   *No*   *N/A*

- Determines the necessity of diagnostic studies…………………………………….

- Orders appropriate diagnostic studies………………………………………………….

- Performs appropriate bedside diagnostic studies & procedures…………

- Prioritizes essential testing…………………………………………………………………..

- Interprets results of a diagnostic study, recognizes limitations and risks,

  seeking interpretive assistance when appropriate………………………………

- Reviews risks, benefits, contraindications and alternatives to a

  diagnostic study or procedure……………………………………………………………….

- Uses diagnostic testing based on the pre-test probability of disease

  and the likelihood of test results altering management………………………

- Practices cost effective ordering of diagnostic studies…………………………

- Understands the implications of false positives/negatives for

  post-test probability……………………………………………………………………………….

- Discriminates between subtle and/or conflicting diagnostic results

  in the context of the patient presentation……………………………………………..

  Does anything require the immediate attention of the PD?................

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Diagnosis (PC4)

Based on all of the available data, narrows and prioritizes the list of weighted differential diagnoses to determine appropriate management.

Task	*Yes*	*No*	*N/A*

- Constructs a list of potential diagnoses based on chief

  complaint and Initial assessment…………………………………………

- Constructs a list of potential diagnoses based on the

  greatest likelihood of occurrence……………………………………………

- Constructs a list of potential diagnoses with the greatest

  potential for morbidity and mortality……………………………………

- Uses all available medical information to develop a list of

  ranked differential diagnoses including those with the

  greatest potential for morbidity and mortality………………………....

- Correctly identifies "sick vs not sick" patients………………………….

- Revises a differential diagnosis in response to changes

  in a patient's course over time…………………………………………………

- Synthesizes all of the available data and narrows and

  prioritizes the list of weighted differential diagnoses to

  determine appropriate management……………………………………………

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Observation & Reassessment (PC6)

Reevaluates patients undergoing ED observation and monitoring and using appropriate data and resources, determines the differential diagnosis and treatment plan and disposition.

Task	*Yes*	*No*	*N/A*

- Recognizes the need for patient re-evaluation…………………………………….

- Monitors that necessary therapeutic interventions are
  performed during the patient's ED stay…………………………………………………

- Identifies which patients will require observation in the ED………………….

- Evaluates effectiveness and therapies and treatments provided during
  observation…………………………………………………………………………………………

- Monitors a patient's clinical status at timely intervals during their stay
  in the ED………………………………………………………………………………………………

- Considers additional diagnoses and therapies for a patient who
  is under observation and changes treatment plans
  accordingly……………………………………………………………………………………………

- Identifies and complies with federal and other regulatory requirements,
  including billing, which must be met for a patient who is under
  observation……………………………………………………………………………………..

- Develops protocols to avoid potential complications of interventions and
  therapies……………………………………………………………………………………………..

Does anything require the immediate attention of the PD?................

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