

## CAP19 Jaundice

The trainee will be able to assess a patient presenting with jaundice to produce a valid differential diagnosis, investigate appropriately, formulate and implement a management plan		
Knowledge	Assessment Methods	GMP Domains
Recall the pathophysiology of jaundice in terms of pre-hepatic, hepatic, and post-hepatic causes	E, C, Mi, ACAT	1
Recall causes for each category of jaundice with associated risk factors	E, C, Mi, ACAT	1
Recall issues of prescribing in patients with significant liver disease	E, C, Mi, ACAT	1
Recall basic investigations to establish aetiology	E, C, Mi, ACAT	1
Demonstrate knowledge of common treatments of jaundice	E, C, Mi, ACAT	1
Skills		
Take a thorough history and examination to arrive at a valid differential diagnosis	E, Mi, C	1
Recognise the presence of chronic liver disease or fulminant liver failure	Mi, C	1
Interpret results of basic investigations to establish aetiology	E, Mi, C	1
Recognise complications of jaundice	E, Mi, C	
Recognise and initially manage complicating factors: coagulopathy, sepsis, GI bleed, alcohol withdrawal, electrolyte disturbance	E, C	1
Behaviour		
Exhibit non-judgmental attitudes to patients with a history of alcoholism or substance abuse	ACAT, C, M	4
Consult seniors and gastroenterologists promptly when indicated	ACAT, C	3
Contribute to the patient's understanding of their illness	ACAT, PS	4
Recognise the importance of multi-disciplinary approach	ACAT, C, M	3