

Performance expectations for the **CASE HISTORY** practical

Explain the procedure and report the results to the patient for each exam. You will have 8 minutes to perform the following from memory.

1. Demonstrate appropriate professionalism and demeanor when speaking with the patient/proctor.
2. Properly introduce yourself as a Student Intern and explain the procedures you will perform.
3. Gather the chief complaint from the patient.
4. Gather the history of present illness data by asking the 18 HPI questions. You may ask these questions in the order of your choosing. If the patient/proctor answers more than one question, you do not need to repeat the question, but will not be penalized if you do.
5. Gather the past health history of the patient.
6. Gather the family history (FH), social history (SH), and occupational history (OH) of the patient.
7. Due to time constraints of the testing environment, you will not gather the ROS information and will assume it is non-contributory to the case.
8. Appropriately close the history, indicating to the patient the exam is concluded and you will next begin your physical examination.