Bates’ Visual Guide to Physical Examination delivers new clinical skills videos featuring head-to-toe and systems-based physical examination techniques, as well as OSCE clinical reasoning modules.

Based on Bates’ Guide to Physical Examination and History Taking, this online guide maintains the evidence-based origins of the text and provides careful attention to clinical accuracy, and to the range of patient types profiled in the series.

In addition to practicing clinicians, this resource is ideal for any institution’s assessment or clinical medicine courses within medical, nursing, physician assistant, physical or occupational therapy and pharmacy programs.

Why Bates’ Visual Guide to Physical Examination?

- Support teaching and learning objectives with hours of narrated and closed-captioned videos
- Prepare students for the patient encounter and board exams
- Allow students independent, frequent viewing and testing of their clinical reasoning skills
- Provide a resource for practitioners to review and refresh their understanding of examination techniques
- Create direct paths to videos from library catalog or course syllabus; download PDF transcripts for use in teaching guides

See inside for more details
18-Volume Physical Examination Videos

These physical assessment videos present a “patient-first” approach to the physical exam featuring a range of diverse patient profiles from adult to infant.

Additionally, each volume consists of multiple videos covering topics such as approach to patient, health history, anatomy review, examination, recording findings and more.

1. Head-to-Toe Assessment: Adult
2. Head-to-Toe Assessment: Infant
3. Head-to-Toe Assessment: Child
4. Head-to-Toe Assessment: Older Adult
5. General Survey and Vital Signs
6. Skin
7. Head, Eyes, and Ears
8. Nose, Mouth, and Neck
9. Thorax and Lungs
10. Cardiovascular System
11. Peripheral Vascular System
12. Breasts and Axillae
13. Abdomen
14. Male Genitalia, Rectum, Anus, and Prostate
15. Female, Genitalia, Anus, and Rectum
16. Musculoskeletal System
17. Nervous System: Cranial Nerves and Motor System
18. Nervous System: Sensory System and Reflexes

OSCE Clinical Skills Videos

These videos are designed to help prepare students for Objective Structured Clinical Examinations (OSCEs) by testing their clinical reasoning skills covering typical/common complaints, including: Chest Pain, Cough, Abdominal Pain, Knee Pain and Sore Throat.

Each video provides a clinical encounter observation — giving students the opportunity to develop an assessment, or differential diagnosis, and provide an appropriate diagnostic workup.