

Student Seminar on Malabsorption, Batch 2018/19
16.01.2023, 1.15 pm-3.15 pm at Physiology Lecture Theater

Instructions for the presentations

1. Each group is expected to do a PowerPoint presentation of 10-minute duration to cover the given objectives.
2. After each presentation there will be a friendly discussion.
3. Please allocate two students from the batch as moderators.
4. In order to give presentation opportunities for more students please make sure that the presenters and the moderators are different from the previous student seminar.
5. Each group can meet the allocated academic staff member to clarify doubts and get advice.
6. Please use the time allocations for seminar preparation and other Pathology self-study times in the timetable for this activity.
7. Make sure that there are no overlaps between the presentations.

Group A - (1,8,15) - Dr A. Tennakoon

- Outline the normal digestive and absorption mechanisms.

Group B – (2,9,16) - Prof S. Wijetunge

- Explain the mechanisms leading to malabsorption giving examples.

Group C – (3,7,10,17) – Prof R Waduge

- State the main diseases resulting in malabsorption and classify them according to the aetiopathogenesis.
- Discuss the common clinical presentation patterns associated with malabsorption, highlighting the pathological basis.

Group D - (4,11,14,18) – Prof S. Wijetunge

- Explain the pathogenesis, clinical features, diagnosis and complications of Coeliac disease.

Group E - (5,12,19) - Prof S. Wijetunge

- Outline the clinical and pathological features of tropical sprue and Whipple's disease.

Group F - (6,13,20) - Prof S. Wijetunge

- Plan the diagnostic workup for a person suspected of having a disease causing malabsorption, reasoning out the patho-physiological basis.


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