Second Certification Logbook for **Edition** Competencies in **Clinical Physiology Procedures**

for Phase I MBBS Students

is a step forward towards fulfilling the requirements of the newly introduced Competency Based Medical Education (CBME) curriculum for the Indian medical undergraduates. The first edition of this logbook was a maiden venture in this direction and was warmly embraced by faculty and students of various medical colleges throughout India. This edition has been thoroughly revised based on the feedback received from our esteemed patrons and also according to the Logbook Guidelines issued by the Board of Governors, Medical Council of India (now replaced by National Medical Commission).

Highlights of the Second Edition:

- Completely revised layout and format.
- Index section has been revamped to indicate the number and type of attempts taken.
- Usage and assessment guide for teachers is presented in a detailed, yet simple manner.
- Competency assessment system has been modified as per latest guidelines.
- Checklists have been reframed for various clinical procedures as per standardised protocols.
- Newer references have been added at some places for various clinical procedures.

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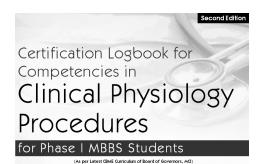
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We wish to clarify that this logbook should not be misunderstood as a clinical practical manual. It is to be meant to be used solely for certification purpose of the Phase I MBBS students in all the 13 clinical physiology procedures as per the CBME curriculum for the Indian Medical Graduate (IMG).

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"Physiology of today is the medicine of tomorrow" Dr Earnest Henry Starling British Physiologist (1866-1927)

Foreword

It gives me immense pleasure in writing the Foreword to this *manual Certification Logbook* for Competencies in Clinical Physiology Procedures authored by Prof Jyoti Sethi and Associate Prof Dr Sharat Gupta, Department of Physiology, Kalpana Chawla Government Medical College, Karnal. In 2014, I co-authored an article in *Medical Teachers* on **Medical Education in India: Current Challenges and the Way Forward.** We had emphasized the role of skill development during teaching and training of the medical students of India. I am happy to note that new curriculum brought out by the Board of Governors of Medical Council of India has given ample



emphasis for Competency Based Medical Education (CBME). The new curriculum has been restructured and introduced from the academic year of 2019–20.

Physiology teaching during the undergraduate trainings as per CBME required 13 procedures to be perfected by each MBBS student needing certification by the Head, Department of Physiology, at the end of the session. To fulfil this requirement this manual will ensure quantification and assessment of students in clinical physiology in an objective and standardized manner leaving no chance of subjective bias. Further, the checklist for each procedure based on objective structured clinical examination (OSCE) has been provided. The assessment card provided in the logbook will facilitate the teacher to evaluate every student in a holistic manner with reference to his/her clinical skills and soft skills as a part of assessment of cognitive as well as communicative (AETCOM) domains.

What is most impressive about this *manual* is that it is comprehensive and as per the CBME requirements. I am sure that both medical teachers as well as students will benefit from the extensive efforts made by Prof Jyoti Sethi and Associate Prof Dr Sharat Gupta in bringing out this book in the shortest possible time.



Dr Surender Kashyap Director Kalpana Chawla Government Medical College Karnal, Haryana

Foreword

It gives me immense pleasure to write the Foreword to this very useful and helpful *manual* conceptualized and brought out with the objective of standardizing the certification of certain competencies in clinical physiology, by two very dedicated and active teachers who are not only experts in their subject but are also motivated to implement the new CBME curriculum in letter and spirit.

During attending the various faculty development programs, first as a learner in regional/ nodal centers and later as a resource faculty in different medical colleges, I observed that there



was a lot of apprehension and speculation about the process of certification of competencies during the implementation of CBME curriculum. Nobody actually knew how to go about it and wanted some guidance about it. The common point of concern was as to how uniformity will be attained in various medical colleges across the country. This issue also came up in our discussion when we were preparing the First Prof time table at our institute. We strongly felt a need that there must be a standardization of the certification methods, otherwise it will compromise the essence of CBME. That was the moment when the idea of this *manual* was conceived by the authors and in record time they came out with the manual. Not only the effort but also the purpose is commendable. The USP of this manual is that the certification method has been framed by using reputed international clinical medicine textbooks as a reference.

I am sure this manual will prove to be very helpful for both teachers and students as it will help in reducing the subjective variation in certification and assessment of competencies. I also feel it will provide framework and motivation for designing such a manual for other specialties of the course.



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Preface to the Second Edition

The year 2019 proved to be a turning point in the history of medical education since the Board of Governors; Medical Council of India introduced the competency based curriculum for medical undergraduates (CBME). The primary objective of this new curriculum is improvement of clinical skills of the Indian Medical Graduate (IMG) via mandatory certification of certain essential clinical procedures across various disciplines of medicine, including Physiology. The previous edition of this logbook was a maiden venture of the authors in this direction. We received an overwhelming support and constructive comments from our fellow colleagues throughout India who whole-heartedly embraced this book. Based on some of the inputs which we have received and also on the logbook guidelines which were recently issued by the Board of Governors, Medical Council of India (now replaced by National Medical Commission), we have revamped this logbook with a few subtle yet important changes so as to make it more pragmatic. We hope to continue receiving your valuable inputs to improve the future editions also.

Salient features:

- 1. The layout and format has been revised based on the logbook guidelines issued by Medical Council of India.
- 2. Index section has been revamped to indicate the no. and type of attempt for a particular procedure.
- 3. The assessment system for competencies has been modified as per latest recommendations of MCI.
- 4. Observations/Results obtained by the students for a procedure can be recorded in the ACTIVITY PERFORMA that is provided with each procedure.
- 5. Checklists for various clinical procedures have been reframed by including important steps and precautions relevant to those procedures.

Jyoti Sethi Sharat Gupta

Preface to the First Edition

The Board of Governors, Medical Council of India, has recently overhauled the age-old medical curriculum and has recently introduced the Competency Based Undergraduate Curriculum for the Indian medical graduate. This new curriculum has been designed keeping in mind the long pending demand of the experts of removing redundancy from the age-old curriculum and incorporating contemporary methodologies centred on acquisition of clinical skills by the MBBS students right from 1st year itself. It has also been felt that the student should be competent enough in certain basic clinical procedures being taught in the subject of human physiology, so that when they enter clinical ward/OPDs in 2nd year during clinical postings, they should be confident enough in performing basic clinical examination procedures on actual patients. A total of 13 such procedures in clinical physiology have been identified which need to be certified by the Professor and Head, Department of Physiology of medical colleges throughout India, for each student.

In this regard, the present logbook serves a dual purpose. On the one hand, it provides a ready reference which will guide the teachers as to how to assess the student in a holistic manner and on the other, at the same time it will also serve as a record book in which the data pertaining to the student certification and assessment can be entered.

We would also like to appraise our worthy colleagues and students that the contents of this book are open to constructive comments/review/suggestions. We will try to incorporate these in the future editions of this book. It is recommended that both the teachers as well as the students should read the corresponding guidelines given at the beginning of this book so that they can derive maximum benefit from this book.

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