

**Special Board in Geriatric Medicine – Hong Kong Geriatrics Society**  
**Guideline on Higher Physician Trainee Case Presentation in**  
**Inter-Hospital Geriatric Meeting**

**Requirement**

Each HPT will be assigned to present at least once during their training in Geriatric Medicine. The case presentation should be based on patients under their own care and focus on one of the topics in the list provided. Trainee should contact the IHGM coordinator at least 3 months before presentation for an agreed topic prior to preparation.

**Supervision of the Case Presentation**

All trainees should discuss with their training supervisor at least 2 months before their scheduled case presentation about the appropriateness of the case for presentation. Trainee should draft their presentation to be reviewed by their supervisor one month before the presentation.

**Content of the Presentation**

1. The case presentation should cover the clinical problem, investigations, diagnosis, differential diagnosis, and management of the case.
2. The content of the case should be digested by the trainee (and preferably together with his/her supervisor) and show the audience the points of interest.
3. Literature search should be geared to the points of interest, not just to "copy & paste" part of the textbook or article content. They should help the audience to have better insight of the question and possibly answer on the clinical management of the case.
4. The geriatric perspective (from diagnosis, investigation, to overall management) should be the main focus. Just a general discussion on a disease is not good enough. Trainees should review the case's relevance to the geriatric practice and care.

**Presentation**

The whole IHGM will be chaired by the regional programme director or his/her delegate. The 45-minute presentation will consist of two parts:

- 1) The actual case presentation, which should not exceed 30 minutes so as to allow enough time for discussion.
- 2) The discussion (Q&A, comments, teaching), which should be left to the end of the presentation so as to allow better time control.

**Assessment**

All case presentations by HPTs will be assessed and scored by the regional programme director (or his/her delegate) and a SBGM member/HTC as arranged by the RPD. A scoring will be marked based on pre-set criteria by the 2 assessors independently and submitted to the Board Secretary for record. The score will be feedback to the trainer for internal reference during annual assessment of the trainee. HPT with the highest score of the year will be presented a prize by the Hong Kong Geriatrics Society in her annual meeting.

**Attendance in Inter-Hospital Geriatric Meeting**

IHGM will operate in a hybrid format beginning in August 2023. All HPTs in Geriatric Medicine are required to attend IHGM on-site with an attendance of at least 50%. Trainers or supervisors of trainees should also attend IHGM on-site if the trainee is the speaker in the meeting.