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Getting familiar with the urinalysis: interpreting and understanding the urinalysis as part of the minimum database

PRESENTATION TOPIC

Getting familiar with urinalysis: Interpreting and understanding the urinalysis as part of the minimum database. The learning objectives include; 1) to understand the importance of performing a urinalysis, 2) to review submission of the ideal sample and how sample collection method and patient variables can affect the way we interpret the results, 3) to recognize the possible benefits of sending urine out to a diagnostic laboratory rather than performing in clinic assessment, 4) to learn to maximize the diagnostic yield of a chemistry and complete blood count by incorporating urinalysis, 5) specific additional tests that can be performed via urinalysis (urine culture, CADET BRAF assessment, and RenalTech), 6) to understand the importance of proteinuria, the difference between persistent and transient proteinuria and the various ways protein in urine can be measured. Case examples will then be used to highlight how a urinalysis can help a clinician obtain a final diagnosis.

