

Exam Resources – Paediatrics

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Don't forget to read all the chapters relating to Paediatrics. This is always the first place to start when studying each system for the exam. Ideal for the approach to the case and diagnostic options, look elsewhere for up to date management guidelines.

NPS Medicinewise News/ NPS News

These are probably the best summaries on this website

http://www.nps.org.au/health_professionals/publications/nps_news

<http://www.nps.org.au/publications/health-professional/medicinewise-news>

MRI - <http://www.nps.org.au/publications/health-professional/medicinewise-news/2012/MRI-in-primary-care>

How to treat – Australian Doctor

The weekly Australian Doctor magazines inside section "How To Treat" have great summaries. Not all the articles are online, some are available through their iphone/ipad app or in their annual yearbooks available to purchase

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/education/how-to-treat>

You must be logged on and registered to be able to access the articles. It is free to register online with Australian doctor. There are lots of articles, but the main ones to focus are on some of the common or important conditions

Adolescent medicine -

Behavioural problems in children

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=649823d3-36cc-4098-b023-f7bd42d71390>

Depression in adolescents

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=c5501b6a-f4ad-4165-9db7-b3192e1e4bed>

ADHD <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=190f4d0f-baef-436a-8a5a-9cb3a2726285>

Endocrine disorders of puberty

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=b1191e52-ef9f-487b-8a76-a674dafb615a>

Faints, fits and funny turns in adolescents

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=8d1ab5af-71dc-4e96-9f59-3a0210e65665>

Anxiety disorders in children

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=2cbfa4a8-123f-498e-83ef-17945a967825>

Adolescent gynaecology

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=09510ff4-b668-4106-a79c-0939479851c3>

Immunology -

Primary immunodeficiency recurrent infections in children

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=b104e519-1171-4df3-9dd6-98708f53e9d2>

Immunisation -

Childhood immunisation

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=389891c0-0127-4e1e-baed-e35b2ee2df9f>

Neurology -

Febrile convulsions <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=eaea46c2-8015-4ec8-b108-ac12c75f9e58>

Paediatrics -

Paediatric eye conditions

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=f2e44b86-01a0-4e54-a19c-f6c9257e670f>

Childhood epilepsy <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=39148691-aabe-404c-bd5a-f73780a36c18> ;

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=b51d5feb-989c-4e4a-a981-893b8f06ffff>

Child struggling at school

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=18a667fe-6136-4cf2-b737-d8834c735a40>

Tourette's disorder <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=ed88b5e7-cddb-481e-a18f-3ebad1db4c3e>

The crying baby <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=e2625894-011f-4742-b159-d26c8b0bcc8d>

The limping child <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=bc4ce50a-aaa8-466d-9cda-265f2b76d01e>

Asthma in children - <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=84856b08-6910-4cbc-8b1e-c0aaaa1cef74>

Paediatric dentistry - <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=01f963ac-53cc-4084-bcd7-db338a23361d>

Food allergy in children -

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=e3c9a20e-c529-4972-b6db-f19e6c7e170c>

Congenital heart disease

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=e534f9bb-15fe-4691-8f3e-71d9007f4e1c>

Toddler feeding and nutrition

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=185180d5-7033-49ca-99c4-354ea541e1ec>

Infant feeding and nutrition

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=c7257fb4-9da6-409b-b5f0-7b4ed6314528>

Child and adolescent obesity

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=c2c76a4e-dbb8-49b9-81b6-75d3fa31b2e0>

Paediatric pituitary disorders

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=9972cdb3-5fb6-4fd1-9d8f-836648cbee60>

Abnormal infant head shapes

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=1df7f5a4-e443-4db9-aace-f85af4c2ae95>

Autism spectrum disorders

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=7dab4420-1dad-496d-a098-299e65fedaab>

Cystic fibrosis <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=0d582071-a636-44a5-920c-75161d11939f>

Sports injuries in children

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=ff6a543b-94c7-43b4-9ca1-ee58045a02a1>

Juvenile idiopathic arthritis

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=fe94f210-ac7c-4f69-b7ff-70df447391de>

Speech and language problems in children

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=fcbb17bf-e74b-4925-8e1f-2c2aa7b6a515>

Acute abdominal pain in children

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=fdeb1c37-babb-4b2f-8b4b-82dd084020b0>

UTI in children <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=b1a4d2c4-a4d6-4a19-9029-2eb177e2498c>

Refugee children <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=cbe2f629-5e15-49c0-a3fe-0a305b9be951>

Heart disease in children

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=d91ff4ea-9f40-4a3a-bd44-edb3e16c0a9b>

Skin infections and infestations in children

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=7d60106e-6195-4e48-8c03-f4891a0429fb>

Cancer in children <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=eff61490-635d-4c4e-91e5-36e24c5bc32a>

Neonatal jaundice <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=df477341-19e2-48ab-b49e-a19d92a971fa>

Watery eye in children <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=b9eb0fed-13f9-4503-910c-b74dfa753769>

Paediatric gastroenteritis

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=090177dc-2927-4ab9-b5a3-79a36faf719f>

Paediatric limb fractures and dislocations

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=2d33bca8-2f00-4ca8-a343-5ff28c45b178>

Chronic abdominal pain in children

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=7bb25f86-0716-40a5-b776-91e08b9c4501>

Childhood atopic dermatitis

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=2b767b90-e12b-4f5a-93aa-f9556a28628c>

Down syndrome <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=43927d9d-72be-460b-aa8a-44e7b7710bf7>

Meningitis in children <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=19068699-7365-4f4b-8a20-864565944c19>

Still birth and SIDS <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=bdcdef03-4d08-4257-9c80-d3989f8842d0>

The short child <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=721d7027-3157-44da-8892-a4cd5bd301f4>

ENT

Childhood snoring <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=bafe8e64-2dc6-449f-a4ba-82d6af4f6a99>

Otitis media in children

<http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=25237e99-02f8-498f-85d3-7a64e659a4d7>

If you scroll through the front page

Nocturnal enuresis <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=a09a805c-1e6a-403c-bd94-70ba0cf8b84c>

TB in children <http://www.australiandoctor.com.au/cmspages/getfile.aspx?guid=f02627e7-7ea0-4536-a136-5f7fe5b3a239>

Medical observer – Guide to guidelines

The other weekly magazine that comes out has a great inside section – the clinical updates. They're difficult to find online, so it's best if you subscribe and tear out the middle section. They also have a great list of all the up to date guidelines. These are often the best up to date summaries of diseases and their management. (You'll find some of Murtagh's management is out of date)

<http://www.medicalobserver.com.au/about/guide-to-guidelines>

Key guidelines

The best guidelines to use to help with your study (that can be found from the medical observer list) are listed below

Asthma Council Guidelines

http://www.nationalasthma.org.au/cms/images/stories/amh2006_web_5.pdf

Australian Family Physician

Hopefully you are already receiving this. The GP specific medical journal, they have great quizzes linked to them as well including check

<http://www.racgp.org.au/afp>

Squints in children - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2013/december/evaluating-squints/>

Psychosis in adolescents - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2013/september/emerging-psychosis-in-adolescents/>

Procedural pain management for kids - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2013/august/sweet-solutions/>

Kawasaki - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2013/july/kawasaki-disease/>

Pica - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2013/may/pica/>

Mothers kiss for foreign bodies - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2013/may/mothers-kiss/>

Childhood headache and H pylori - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2013/march/childhood-headache/>

Chronic suppurative OM - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2012/december/suppurative-otitis-media/>

Children in care - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2012/october/children-and-young-people-in-care/>

Infant abusive head trauma - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2012/october/infant-abusive-head-trauma/>

Entire issue on the first 3 months of life - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2012/may/>

Feeding in the first year - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2012/april/feeding-in-the-first-year-of-life/>

Non accidental injury in childhood - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2011/november/nonaccidental-injury-in-childhood/>

The prepubertal hymen - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2011/november/the-prepubertal-hymen/>

Child abuse mandatory reporting - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2011/november/child-abuse/>

Whole issues on child development - <https://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2011/september/>

Cosmetic surgery on children - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2011/july/cosmetic-surgery-on-children/>

Cerebral palsy in children - <https://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2011/april/cerebral-palsy-in-childhood/>

Whole issue on adolescent health - <https://www.racgp.org.au/afp/2011/march/>

Juvenile idiopathic arthritis - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/201009/201009boros.pdf>

Whole issue on paediatric emergencies - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/201005>

Sleeping infants safely - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/201001/201001wilson.pdf>
 Childhood immunisation rates - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200910/200910ali.pdf>
 Children and type 2 diabetes - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200909/200909phillips.pdf>
 Food allergy and intolerance - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200909/200909hodge.pdf>
 Childhood obesity - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200909/200909kjones.pdf>
 Supplement on paediatric conditions - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200806/paediaticconditions>
 Issue on Challenging children - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200806>
 Allergy testing in children - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200804/200804robinson.pdf>
 Cyclic nausea and vomiting in children - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200801/200801forbes.pdf>
 Stroke in children - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200711/200711Mackay.pdf>
 Children and autism part 1 – <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200709/200709anglely.pdf>
 Part 2 - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200710/200710anglely.pdf>
 Learning disorders, dyslexia and vision - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200710/200710wright.pdf>
 The vomiting child - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200709/200709allen.pdf>
 Adolescent issue ('07) - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200708>
 Consent for adolescents and children - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200703/200703bird.pdf>
 Pertussis - <http://www.racgp.org.au/afp/200701/20070129senayake.pdf>

GP learning – includes check and multiple choice questions

Since it's up date, only has small number of questions available. Your best options are to search for multiple choice questions, or clinical challenge.

Check GP learning closer to the exams as this is where they will give you some practice papers prior to the exam, and they give you feedback on how you went.

<http://www.gplearning.com.au>

Think GP

You can subscribe to this for free; it has some great information and takes you through a wide range of topics with questions attached.

<http://thinkgp.com.au>

Text books and other resources

Murtagh – is essential reading but its greatest use is for his diagnostic framework, diagnostic triads and red flags

Medicine Today is a journal you can get for free – too much detail for the exams, but good articles

Australian Medicine Handbook – introductory pages in each section are a great way to revise management.