

OPTOMETRY OSCE - INTERACTIVE CASE

CASE INFORMATION		
Case Name	Presbyopia Management	
Case Type	Interactive	
Issue	Presbyopia requiring a prescription for progressive glasses	
Practice Areas	(primary practice area marked *; other areas are secondary)	
	Communication	
	Patient Centred Care	
	Diagnosis and Planning	
	*Patient Management	
Competency(ies)	Select communication style appropriate to situation	
	Establish a shared decision making process with the patient	
	Engage in dialogue with patient to bring about understanding , acceptance	
	and cooperation	
	Formulate a management plan	
Objective(s)	Explain the diagnosis of presbyopia	
	2. Explain the treatment options	
	3.Recommend progressive lenses	
Type of Encounter	New patient	
Setting	Optometry Clinic	

REFERENCES

Mo Jalie, Opthalmic Lenses and Dispensing (3rd Ed.) 2008 page 169 176-178

CASE SYNOPSIS

This 48-year-old patient with successful laser refractive surgery at age 35 is now presbyopic requiring progressive addition lenses.

Instructions to Candidate:

You are an optometrist working in a private clinic.

You have just completed an eye examination for Alison Lee, age 48. She is a new patient to your clinic.

Explain your diagnosis and treatment plan

You have 8 minutes to complete this task.

Equipment and Props Supplied

Summary of Patient Exam Record

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Patient Name	Alison Lee			
Gender	Female			
Age	48			
Occupation	Hospital emergency care nurse			
Hobbies				
Chief Complaint	More difficult seeing fine print. Eyes are tired at end of the day. Having a hard time entering data on the computer and focusing down the hall.			
Additional History	Working 12 hour shifts at the hospital. At night, small print is worse. Likes to do crafts.			
Ocular History	Successful refractive laser surgery at age 35 to treat myopia. Last eye exam was 5 years ago and the optometrist told her at some point to get magnifiers but never got them.			
Medical History	None			
Family History	Parents wear spectacles full time			
Clinical Data				
	OD	none	6/	
Current Spectacles	OS	none	6/	
	OU			
Unaided Visual Acuity	OD		6/7.5	
Charact Visual Acuity	OS		6/7.5	
Subjective Refraction	OD	+0.00/-0.50x090 Add 2.00	6/6	
	OS	-0.25 Add 2.00	6/6	
Binocular Vision	Normal			
Colour Vision	OD	normal		
Ishihara Plates		normal		
Tonometry	OD 12 mmHg			
	OS 10 mmHg			
Pupils				
Slit Lamp Examination		emarkable		
Fundus Examination	Unremarkable			
Diagnosis	Pres	sbyopia		

EXAMINER FORM

You will be evaluated on your performance in the station based on:

- the Patient Interaction Rating Scale in the OEBC Blueprint your communication skills in the areas of empathy, coherence, verbal expression, non-verbal expression, trust, honesty & integrity, focus on the patient, and respect
- the Global Rating Scale (GRS) whether the assessor perceives that you have solved the patient's problem. You will be assessed on whether your performance was an outright fail, poor, a borderline fail, a borderline pass, good, or excellent.

EXAMINER INFORMATION

Examiners receive specific information related to the case and to the global rating scale to assist them in rating your performance.

SP PROFILE		
Case Name	Presbyopia Management	

Standardized Patients (SPs) receive a profile that outlines

- Description of the condition
- Demographics of the patient
- Appearance, behaviour and starting position
- Details of the chief complaint (and any secondary complaints)
- Relevant ocular, medical and social history
- Signs and/or symptoms to portray
- Statements or questions to use at the beginning of the interaction, in response to the candidate, or to prompt the candidate if necessary

SPs may use make-up or other props to present features of the case. In situations where the SP is unable to portray a specific sign or symptom a photograph may be used, or the assessor may provide the information when specific conditions are met.

PROPS AND EQUIPMENT			
Station Door	Instructions for Candidate		
	Summary of Patient Exam Record		
Inside Station	Instructions for Candidate		
	Summary of Patient Exam Record		
	Chair for Assessor		
	Chair for Candidate		
	Chair for SP		