Clinical Mind Al: Improving Clinical Reasoning Using Generative Al

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Introduction

- Importance of Clinical Reasoning: Essential skill for diagnosing based on patient history, physical examination, and medical tests (1-5).
- Challenges in Teaching and Learning: Traditional methods provide pre-summarized patient histories, unlike real-life doctor-patient interactions (1,7,8).
 OSCEs, introduced in 1975, they use actors for patient interaction simulations but are costly and hard to standardize (9–12).
- Limitations of Current Solutions: Virtual patients address cost and scalability but are confined to specific cases and lack adaptability (13–16).

The idea: Clinical Mind Al

We can use generative AI to act as a patient to improve clinical reasoning through deliberate practice, with the added benefit of adapting the scenarios to fit specific local contexts and learning outcomes.





Two users

Medical Teacher

Provides illness script to the platform. The app acts as the patient of the clinical case.



Medical Student

Interacts with the simulated patient and decides the working diagnosis.

Receives feedback about the interaction and problem-solving skills.

Feedback: Problem-solving framework

The **main differences** in problem-solving practices between expert physicians and medical students are:

| Differential Diagnosis Formulation | Diagnostic Plan and Execution |
|--|----------------------------------|
| Clinical Data | Clinical Solution |
| Reassessment | Review |

The feedback provided to medical students not only assesses the accuracy of their diagnoses but also focuses on specific problem-solving skills.

Authenticity: the role of immersive technologies and voice recognition

- The interaction is through voice and immersive technologies to create realistic experiences.
- Augmented reality is ideal for clinical simulations as it blends interactive digital elements with the realworld environment.



Prototype: Clinical Mind Al

Teacher's view



Student's view



Early results

- ChatGPT exhibited authentic performance in acting as a patient and in giving feedback about the diagnosis.
- The app has already been tested with 5 doctors to improve the prompt and authenticity of the responses.
- The model keeps the role of the patient, responding to up to 40 questions.





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