

**Clinical Skills Evaluation
Patient Note**

HISTORY: Describe the history you just obtained from this patient. Include only information (pertinent positives and negatives) relevant to this patient's problem(s).

Ms. Bingham is a 24 yo woman who complains of worsening sore throat since yesterday morning. She has never had a similar problem in the past. The pain is worse with swallowing; nothing makes it better. There is no SOB or difficulty swallowing. She has fatigue and has had some anorexia since the symptoms began. She has had some fevers but has not taken her temperature. There are no sick contacts at home or at work.

ROS: No chest pain, SOB, abdominal pain, headache

PMHx: none

PSHx: none

FHx: no significant medical issues in the family

SHx: married with 2 children, No ETOH or drugs, monogamous with husband

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION: Describe any positive and negative findings relevant to this patient's problem(s). Be careful to include *only* those parts of examination you performed in *this* encounter.

She is in no acute distress, her speech is clear and she is handling her secretions well. Her temperature is 99.4 but her other vitals are normal. She has no adenopathy, mucus membranes are moist, throat has minimal redness. Her abdomen is soft, non tender and there is no notable splenic or hepatic enlargement or tenderness.

DATA INTERPRETATION: Based on what you have learned from the history and physical examination, list up to 3 diagnoses that might explain this patient's complaint(s). List your diagnoses from most to least likely. For some cases, fewer than 3 diagnoses will be appropriate. Then, enter the positive or negative findings from the history and the physical examination (if present) that support each diagnosis. Lastly, list initial *diagnostic* studies (if any) you would order for this patient (e.g. restricted physical exam maneuvers, laboratory tests, imaging, ECG, etc.).

Diagnosis #1: Pharyngitis

History Finding(s)	Physical Exam Finding(s)
Fever	Low grade fever
Sore throat	
Pain with swallowing	

(+) Click to add row(s)

Diagnosis #2: Mononucleosis

History Finding(s)	Physical Exam Finding(s)
Fatigue	Low grade fever
Anorexia	
Subjective fever	
Sore throat	

(+) Click to add row(s)

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Diagnosis #3:

History Finding(s)	Physical Exam Finding(s)

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Diagnostic Study/Studies
Strep culture of throat
Monospot test

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