Orthopaedics; NeuroSurgery; Urology

General Information

ORTHOPAEDICS AND NEUROSURGERY: you write both tests on the same day in a combined computer exam where the photos are on the screen and you write your answer on paper.

ORTHOPAEDICS ORAL: 30min to see the pt and get a history and do an examination. Don't make the mistake of thinking you'll get asked only fractures. We had torn knee ligaments, intertrochanteric fracture, hallux valgus, radial nerve palsy patient, pathological humerus shaft fracture from metastases, club feet, non-accidental injury etc. So make sure you know your work for that and how to do tests you said you did - like they'll ask you "so how did you do the McMurray test" etc. Then after you present to them - they show you some x-rays and ask you to interpret and ask you follow up q's on it... And also ask you theoretical cases like " so, if a mother brings in her 3 year old that fell at school and now isn't moving his leg, what are your worries about" etc.

UROLOGY: NB topics are ED, which catheters to use for which kind of patients (that's in the spots), bilharzia, enuresis, prostate cancer, testicular cancer, urethral trauma, bladder cancer, renal cell carcinoma, varicocele, circumcision, interpretation of imaging and what images they are - ie. MCUG, IVP etc.