Lecturing and Powerpoint

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Learning Objectives

 Identify the key components of lecture "anatomy"



- Describe techniques for exploiting the visual power of powerpoint
- Describe means of creating interaction in lectures

Learning Objective #1: Anatomy of a Lecture



Anatomy of a Lecture





Learning Objective #2: The Visual Power of Powerpoint



Rules for Text: Bullet Laws

- Max 7 lines text per slide
- max 7 words per line
- 36-40 point fonts for titles
- 24-30 points for major points



• Use phrases or key words, not sentences

Emphasizing Concepts with Text - Layout



Emphasizing Concepts with Text- Key Words

The Long Version

- To prepare for a surgical case, you should read the full description the night before.
- You should rehearse to yourself the steps of the procedure at the scrub sink.
- Identify a simple part of the case you can start to do, and ask for the opprotunity.

The Key Word Version

- Read before
- Rehearse at the sink
- Ask for an opportunity

Learning Objective #3: Creating Interaction



Questions & Clickers



Think-Pair-Share

- one thing you've learned
- one question you've generated
- something you've connected to this lecture

Patient Cases

- Present one at the beginning and solve it along the way
- Break into groups after 20 minutes, solve 2-5 different cases, then bring back to large group

Effective Handouts

- Outlines
- Questions to answer
- Cases to solve
- Pictures/diagrams to label
- Tables to fill in/complete



Summarize

- Take home points
- Possibilities for application
- Directions for future learning



In Summary

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- A good lecture has anatomy built around clearly defined learning objectives.
- Powerpoint can emphasize this anatomy and illustrate and visually organize content.
- Engaging learners is key!

Other Resources

- Irby, D. Practical Teaching: Great Presentations Everytime. The Clinical Teacher. Vol 1, p 5-9. Last accessed April 18, 2011 at: <u>http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/j.1743-</u> <u>498X.2004.00007.x/pdf</u>
- How to Prepare Lecture Handouts. Wayne State University School of Medicine Faculty Lecture Guide. Last accessed April 18, 2011 at: <u>http://www.teachingacademy.med.wayne.edu/pdf/preparing_lect</u> <u>ure_handouts_wsu_som.pdf</u>
- <u>www.thiagi.com</u> has perhaps the longer list of games, pairwork, groupwork and other interactive options that can be built into a lecture.