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ORTHOPEDIC EXAMINATION

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# Orthopedics – Examination

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# Shoulder Examination

Shoulder Examination Video: <https://youtu.be/HtLxvrJcYLM>

- At Start**
- Introduce yourself and hand hygiene.
  - Permission and chaperon.
  - Wash hands.
  - Proper Exposure: Above umbilicus.
  - Sequence: Look, Feel, Move, Special Tests.

<b>Inspection</b>	<i>In General</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• You must look from the <u>anterior</u>, <u>lateral</u>, <u>posterior</u> aspect and from <u>above</u>.</li> <li>• On <u>each side</u> look for:                             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Scars, skin discoloration/changes</li> <li>b. Deformities: (Asymmetry, Scoliosis, Arthritis, Trauma &amp; Clavicle Deformities). <i>mass, dislocation, fracture</i></li> <li>c. Muscle Wasting:                                     <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Deltoid: due to axillary nerve injury – Lateral view.</li> <li>b. <sup>OR infraspinatus</sup> Supraspinatus: prominent scapula – Posterior view.</li> </ol> </li> </ol> </li> </ul>
	<i>Lateral</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Alignment of the shoulder girdle.</li> <li>• Deltoid wasting.</li> </ul>
	<i>Posterior</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ask the pt to look to the wall and inspect him from behind.</li> <li>• Scapula <del>swinging</del>: due to long thoracic nerve injury.</li> <li>• Inspect if the scapula is prominent: supraspinatus injury/<i>infraspinatus injury</i></li> </ul>
	<i>Above</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Swelling of the shoulder.</li> <li>• Clavicle deformities.</li> <li>• Asymmetry of the supraclavicular fossa.</li> </ul>
	<i>Temperature</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• From medial to lateral.</li> </ul>
<b>Palpation</b>	<i>Palpation</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• From medial to lateral following the anatomical position:                             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Sternoclavicular joint. <i>(check for tenderness, crepitus, masses, if one side more prominent than the other indicates dislocation or OA)</i></li> <li>2. Clavicle. <i>(check for tenderness/prominence)</i></li> <li>3. Acromioclavicular joint: from anterior to posterior “to <sup>same</sup> check for tenderness or swelling”</li> <li>4. Acromion.</li> <li>5. Coracoid process “Short head of biceps”.</li> <li>6. Head of humerus, shaft and the greater tuberosity via the axilla.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>

		<p>7. Spine of the scapula. <i>L / above / below it for any abnormal structure</i></p> <p>8. Palpate the muscle tendons:</p> <p>a. Supraspinatus: extend the <sup>tendon</sup> <del>arm</del> <sup>shoulder</sup> and palpate (<i>check for tenderness</i>) anterolaterally in the subacromial area.</p> <p>b. Long head of biceps: roll over the lateral side between <i>the rot shoulder w/o neck</i> the greater and lesser tuberosities "feels like a cord".</p>
	Flexion	Normal range from 0° to 150° <del>170°</del> . 180°
	Extension	Normal range from 0° to 40° <del>60°</del> . 50-70°
<p><b>Movement</b></p> <p>"Always start with the active then passive movement"</p>	Abduction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal range from 0° to 160°-180° &amp; consist of 3 phases:</li> <li>1. 0° – 60° by <b>glenohumeral joint</b>.</li> <li>2. 60° – 120° by <b>glenohumeral joint &amp; scapulothoracic joint</b>.</li> <li>3. 120° – 180° by <b>scapulothoracic joint</b> (scapula goes up).</li> <li>Note: Initiation and maintaining by supraspinatus (around 15° of abduction), The remaining is done by the deltoid.</li> </ul>
	Adduction	Normal range from 0° – 40°: 45°
	External Rotation	Normal range from 0° – 70°. <i>best tested w elbow fix 90°</i>
	Internal Rotation	Normal if the patient can place his hand behind his back.
	Circumduction	All movements.

**Special Tests**

**Impingement Tests**

<p>1. Stabilize the scapula</p> <p>2. Grasp forearm</p> <p>3. Arm int rot &amp; thumb down</p> <p>4. Fix the shoulder over head</p> <p>5. +ve pain</p>	<p><i>impingement syn</i></p> <p>1 Painful arch "actively"</p> <p><a href="https://youtu.be/enqHP90A92U">https://youtu.be/enqHP90A92U</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Abduction from 60° – 120°, Due to rotator cuff syndrome. <i>(supraspinatus tendinitis)</i></li> <li>Ask the patient to abduct his arm then ask him if there is any pain and at any angle exactly, then ask him to complete the abduction, also know at any angle the pain disappears exactly.</li> <li>If the pain is between 60° - 120° then it is sign of rotator cuff syndrome.</li> </ul>
	<p>2 Kennedy hawking</p> <p>2 Neer's</p> <p>Impingement sign</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Empty can sign. <i>(Neer)</i></li> <li>Impingement position is flexion, abduction &amp; <i>shoulder 90° slight</i> internal rotation. <i>(elbow fix to make it easier)</i></li> <li>Put the arm of the patient in impingement position, in this position supraspinatus is in the narrowest position. If there is pain, then the patient has supraspinatus tendinitis. <i>pain relieved by ext rot</i></li> </ul>
	3 Impingement test	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Apply local anesthesia inside shoulder joint then do impingement position. <i>(intra articular)</i></li> </ul>

↳ if pain relieved then **supraspinatus tendinitis**

↳ if pain not relieved AC joint arthritis or **acromioclavicular joint abnormality**

infrapinatus  
(abd + ext rot) ←  
teres minor  
(abd + ext rot) ←

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If there is pain then there is an Acromioclavicular joint problem. E.g. Arthritis, If there is no pain then there is a supraspinatus tendinitis.</li> </ul>
4	<p>External rotation against resistance</p> <p>"infrapinatus tendinitis" &amp; teres minor tendinitis</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Elbow flexed at 90°, Shoulder flexed at 30°</li> <li>• Ask the patient to externally rotate his shoulder while you <b>apply light resistance</b>.</li> <li>• If there is pain then there is an Infrapinatus / teres minor tendinitis.</li> <li>• If there is loss of power then there is a Torn Infrapinatus / teres minor tendon.</li> </ul>
5	<p>Lift off test</p> <p>→ "subscapularis tendinitis"</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ask the patient to put the dorsum of his hand on their lower back then apply light resistant against his hand (by your finger) and ask him to move it away from his back. +ve → pain</li> <li>• If he is unable to do this, then there is a damage in the subscapularis muscle.</li> </ul>
6	<p>Stress lift off test</p> <p>"rotator cuff tear"</p> <p>Drop arm sign</p> <p><a href="https://youtu.be/JXgRBeqToik">https://youtu.be/JXgRBeqToik</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ask the pt to put his hand in the position of "Lift off test" but apply <b>pressure against his hand</b>, If there is pain then it's subscapularis tendinitis. "w resistance"</li> <li>• Do <b>passive abduction</b> to the patient then at 90° of abduction ask the patient to stay in this position by holding his hand.</li> <li>• If his arm dropped then there is a Supraspinatus complete tear.</li> </ul>

• partial or total?  
1. inj anesthetic  
2. Ask to actively abd  
3. if no abd → complete  
if active abd → partial

**Stability Tests**

abd  
ext  
ext rot

1	<p>Apprehensive test</p> <p>repeat dislocation moves</p> <p><a href="https://youtu.be/hy7zgoEsbzQ">https://youtu.be/hy7zgoEsbzQ</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In <b>setting or supine position</b>, do abduction, extension &amp; external rotation to the patients' arm.</li> <li>• the test is positive when If the patient is afraid, had a vasovagal attack or resist you.</li> </ul>
2	<p>Relocation test</p> <p>↓ if +ve do this</p> <p><a href="https://youtu.be/YX1uJhjhWwq">https://youtu.be/YX1uJhjhWwq</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In setting or supine position do the apprehensive test but with your hand fixing his shoulder joint from <b>front</b>.</li> <li>• If the <b>fear disappears &amp; the patient is stable then the test is positive supporting apprehensive test.</b></li> </ul>
3	<p>if -ve do this</p> <p>Fulcrum test</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Used if the <b>apprehensive test is negative</b>.</li> <li>• In Supine position, do abduction and extension of the patient arm, with your hand being at the <b>back</b> of the shoulder joint.</li> </ul>

- 1. Shoulder add
- 2. locate the subacromial groove
- 3. apply traction
- 4. feel if groove widened (dimpling of skin)

hyperlaxity  
dislocation

- 1. 90° flex elbow
- 2. add across chest ←
- 3. apply pressure on it

- 1. flex shoulder 90°
- 2. ext elbow
- 3. sup
- 4. flex both elbows against resistance

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>If you feel that the head of the humerus coming out more than normal then the test is positive.</li> </ul>
4	<p>Anterior drawer test</p> <p><a href="https://youtu.be/XVebMNqLEGE">https://youtu.be/XVebMNqLEGE</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do abduction, stabilize the shoulder of the patient by putting your hand on Acromion process, then by your other hand move the head of the humerus anteriorly and posteriorly.</li> <li>If there is prominent movement of the head then there is Instability – multidirectional instability.</li> </ul>
5	<p>Sulcus sign</p> <p><a href="https://youtu.be/vV7u2JtdYWI">https://youtu.be/vV7u2JtdYWI</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>In Standing position, hold the hand of the patient (add) and push it down, then feel the subacromial space. (laterally)</li> <li>If the space is increased then the test is positive.</li> </ul>
6	<p>Scarf sign</p> <p><a href="https://youtu.be/OyGCRQpE2sw">https://youtu.be/OyGCRQpE2sw</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ask the patient to put his hand on the other shoulder, put your hand on his elbow and push his elbow (Passive adduction of the shoulder).</li> <li>If there is pain then there is an acromioclavicular joint pathology. E.g. Arthritis. "Ac joint OA"</li> </ul>

**Examination of the bicep's tendinitis**

1	<p>Speed's test</p> <p><a href="https://youtu.be/qbG_O9Gv8aQ">https://youtu.be/qbG_O9Gv8aQ</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ask the patient to flex his shoulder to 90°, fully extend his elbow &amp; supine his forearm, then apply resistant on his hand and ask him to flex his shoulder.</li> <li>If there is pain then the test is positive test and the patient has biceps tendinitis.</li> </ul>
2	<p>Yergason test</p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Cjahul5yul">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Cjahul5yul</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ask the patient to flex his elbow to 90° near his trunk in pronation position of the hand (To avoid external rotation of the shoulder), then ask him to supinate his hand against resistance.</li> <li>If there is pain then the test is positive.</li> </ul>

- 1. flex elbow + add
- 2. pron
- 3. ask to sup against resistance

bw index & thumb

+ve if skin dimples

in the shoulder

# Elbow Examination

→ stability  
→ functional  
→ ulnar n

Elbow Examination Video – Scientific Team: [https://youtu.be/kv0d\\_PfTrwc](https://youtu.be/kv0d_PfTrwc)

Elbow Examination Video – Geeky Medics: <https://youtu.be/Hy3t2Y9HUM>

## At Start

- Same Sequence
- Proper Exposure: the entire upper limbs – bilateral /above umbilicus
- Sequence: Look, Feel, Move, Special Tests

## Inspection

- Scars, Swelling, *synovium*, skin lesions
- Deformities:
  - Cubitus Valgus: Non-union of the lateral condyle ⊕ fracture ⊕ dislocation
  - Cubitus Varus: Malunion of medial supracondyle
- Carrying angle: normally around 15°: it is used as a clinical measurement of varus-valgus angulations of the arm with the elbow fully extended and the forearm fully supinated

sequence of palpation:  
 biceps tendon → brachial art →  
 M epicondyle → ulnar n →  
 ↳ low the tip of olecranon &  
 the two epicondyles →  
1-1.5cm below L epicondyle  
 Radio-carpal joint line → radial  
 head → around olecranon

- Temperature (Bilaterally), Tenderness, *crepitation*
- Brachial pulse (*medial to biceps tendon, locate it by sup + flx of elbow*)
- Bony prominence: Medial and lateral epicondyle & olecranon
- In full extension: the 3 bony prominences are in one line
- In flexion: the 3 bony prominences make an **Equilateral triangle**
- Radial head: under the midpoint between lateral epicondyle & olecranon
- Ulnar nerve: behind the medial condyle, with the elbow being flexed
- Biceps tendon: flex the elbow with maintained supination “Brachial artery & median nerve are medial to the tendon”

## Palpation

<i>Flexion</i>	Anatomical range 140°, Functional range <del>30</del> <sup>150</sup> – 130°
<i>Extension</i>	0°, <i>functional 30°</i>
<i>Supination</i>	90°
<i>Pronation</i>	90°
<i>Extension lag</i>	Inability to fully extend the arm “measure the angle that the patient stopped at”, <i>doesn't budge after passive movement</i>
<i>Flexion contracture</i>	When the patient can't extend his elbow anymore, try to extend it then measure the new angle, <i>budges after passive movement</i>

Examine Valgus & varus in  
 1. full ext  
 2. semi flx

## Stability Tests (Done with full extension and semi-flexion “twice”)

## Special Tests

1	<b>Varus Stress</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Varus Stress Test: For the <b>Lateral Collateral</b>: <a href="https://youtu.be/5zl8GsG3hR4">https://youtu.be/5zl8GsG3hR4</a></li> <li>• From the lateral side of the elbow: try to make varus to the patient</li> </ul>
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1. fully ext elbow
2. palpate the collaterals (medial/lateral)
3. hold forearm & apply varus (abd) & valgus (abd)
4. Repeat w arm in semi flx

2	<b>Valgus Stress</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Valgus Stress Test: For the <b>Medial Collateral</b>: <a href="https://youtu.be/3xF9_5fbJ8A">https://youtu.be/3xF9_5fbJ8A</a></li> <li>• From the medial side of the elbow: try to make valgus to the patient</li> </ul>
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**Tendinitis Tests**

① Local tenderness  
palpate 1cm below L epicondyle, +ve tenderness

② Resisted ext of wrist  
1. clench hand  
2. ask to ext wrist against resist  
3. +ve if pain at L epicondyle

③ Resisted ext of middle finger  
1. ask pt to ext middle finger against resistance  
2. +ve if pain at L epicondyle

1	Lateral Epicondylitis "Tennis Elbow"
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lateral Epicondylitis Test: Tennis Elbow Test: <a href="https://youtu.be/r_A84ox9JRM">https://youtu.be/r_A84ox9JRM</a></li> <li>• In pronation position and fist clenching</li> <li>• Local tenderness over the lateral epicondyle.</li> <li>• Resistant extension of the wrist.</li> <li>• Resistant extension of the middle finger.</li> </ul>	<p>information of common ext ms origin</p>
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2	Medial Epicondylitis "Golfer Elbow"
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Medial Epicondylitis Test: Golfer Elbow Test: <a href="https://youtu.be/u5H9iG8QhYA">https://youtu.be/u5H9iG8QhYA</a></li> <li>• In supination position and fist clenching</li> <li>• Local tenderness over the medial epicondyle</li> <li>• Resistant flexion of the wrist.</li> <li>• Resistant flexion of the fingers.</li> </ul>	<p>① local tenderness palpate 1cm below M epicondyle &amp; assess for tenderness</p> <p>② Resisted flex of wrist 1. clench hand 2. ask pt to flex wrist against resistance, +ve pain at M epicondyle</p> <p>③ Resisted flex of all fingers ask pt to flex fingers against resistance, +ve pain at M epicondyle</p>
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**Ulnar Nerve Examination (Cubital Tunnel Syndrome)**

1	Tinel Test ⇒ use hammer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tinel Sign: <a href="https://youtu.be/ASRatLbu8i0">https://youtu.be/ASRatLbu8i0</a> <sup>4-6x</sup> below M epicondyle</li> <li>• Percussion on the ulnar nerve, positive sign is tingling &amp; numbness over the ulnar nerve distribution. (1 &amp; 1/2 M fingers)</li> </ul>
2	Flexion test of the elbow	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Elbow Flexion Test: <a href="https://youtu.be/brN-VLUETVU">https://youtu.be/brN-VLUETVU</a></li> <li>• Full flexion of elbow then press on the ulnar nerve for 20 sec, positive sign is numbness &amp; tingling over one half of the fingers.</li> </ul>

3 Subluxation of ulnar nerve

1. put finger behind M epicondyle & try to palpate ulnar nerve
2. Ask pt to flex & ext at elbow
3. Assess if nerve rolling during flex

⇒ more prone for cubital tunnel syn



# Wrist Examination

Wrist Examination Video: [https://youtu.be/KJcHQbsBT\\_M](https://youtu.be/KJcHQbsBT_M)

## At Start

- Same Sequence
- Proper Exposure: the entire upper limbs – bilateral
- Sequence: Look, Feel, Move, Special Tests

## Inspection

- Scars, Swelling, change in color, Nail and skin changes
- Deformities: Dinner fork, Garden spade, Ganglion cyst (the mc cyst),..  
"Callus" "Smith"
- Wrist drop: occurs in radial nerve injury
- Fasciculations, Tremors
- Muscle wasting: thenar and hypothenar eminence

• From medial to lateral dorsally, then ventrally "Circumflex movement"

• Radial pulse

• Radial styloid "Tip":

- First dorsal extensor compartment (Abductor pollicis longus, extensor pollicis brevis)

- This area is the most common site for De Quervain's disease

• Snuff box: 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> dorsal extensor compartment

- Scaphoid in the floor: tenderness on the snuff box: scaphoid fracture

• Lesser tubercle: works as a fulcrum:

- 1 cm distal to it > Wrist joint > 1cm lateral to wrist joint > Scapho-lunate ligament > 1cm lateral > Lunate (Tenderness is sign of Kienböck's disease) > 1cm lateral > Lunate-triquetrum ligament > 1cm lateral > Triquetrum then trapezoid.

• Head of ulna: extensor carpi ulnaris (Tendonitis)

• Now ventrally:

- Flexor carpi ulnaris

- Flexor carpi radialis

- Palmaris longus

- Metacarpophalangeal joint, interphalangeal joint

• Extension is more important than flexion, because in wrist we need strong grip and grip strength depends on Extension.

## Movement

- Flexion, Extension
- Radial & ulnar deviation.
- Supination & pronation.

1. Radial styloid  
↳ above it → 1st compartment  
if tender "De Quervain's disease"
2. Snuff box  
if tender scaphoid fracture
3. Lister tubercle (bony prominence at tip of the distal radius)  
tender for DISI
4. Anconeus
5. Anconeus-triquetrum lig (1cm distal to lister)
6. Ulnar styloid (ext carpi ulnaris tendon)
7. FCL

**Carpal Instability**

1	<p>"DISI" <i>scapholunate instability</i>                  Watson Test  <a href="https://youtu.be/xBBUwsVi2-o">https://youtu.be/xBBUwsVi2-o</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stability between Scaphoid &amp; Lunate</li> <li>• Thumb on Scaphoid tubercle ventrally, and the index is on the Scaphoid dorsally, then press it from ventral to dorsal and from radial side to ulnar side.</li> <li>• If there is clunk with pain &gt; Instability.</li> <li>• If there is simple clunk &gt; Ligamentous hyperlaxity.</li> </ul>
2	<p>Sheer Test                  "Scaphoid-lunate                  Ballottement"</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Move them in relation to each other.</li> </ul>
3	<p>Luno-Triquetrum                  Ballottement "DISI"</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• L-T Shear Test: <a href="https://youtu.be/9cvRan23qtY">https://youtu.be/9cvRan23qtY</a></li> <li>• Move them in relation to each other.</li> </ul>

*push lunate down & triquetrum above*

**Distal Radio-Ulnar Joint**

1	<p>"instability of distal radio-ulnar joint"                  Piano-key sign</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Piano-key test: <a href="https://youtu.be/xz_RwbJb88Q">https://youtu.be/xz_RwbJb88Q</a></li> <li>Dislocation of ulnar because of dorsal and ventral ulnar ligament. <i>1. pron 2. press on ulnar head</i></li> </ul>
2	<p>Stability of ulnar head</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hold the hand of the patient and do supination and pronation. <i>&gt; 5mm</i></li> <li>• If the ulna moves in the mid pronation position then the head is unstable.</li> <li>• If the ulna moves ventrally in full supination and don't move dorsally in full pronation then the head is unstable.</li> <li>• The head don't move dorsally in full pronation because ligaments become tight.</li> </ul>
3	<p>Full range of motion</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Active full pronation and supination.</li> </ul>

**Special Tests**



**De Quervain's Disease "Finkelstein test"**

- Finkelstein Test: <https://youtu.be/8WBVXBx34W0>
- Local tenderness over radial styloid process.
- Finkelstein test is diagnostic: ask the patient to hold his thumb inside the palm > Pain.
- Ulnar deviation is positive if there is a disease.

*pain over radial styloid → de Quervain's  
 pain 5cm prox to radial styloid → intersection syn*

# Hand Examination

Hand Examination Video: <https://youtu.be/3LHPq9rseGg>

**At Start**

- Same Sequence
- Proper Exposure: the upper limbs
- Sequence: Look, Feel, Move, Special Tests

**Inspection, Palpation & Movement**

- Same as the wrist

**Vascular Tests**

**Special Tests**

1	Capillary Refill	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Normally is less than 2 sec.</li> </ul>
2	<p>"ganglion cyst vascular injury"</p> <p>Allen's Test</p> <p><a href="https://youtu.be/D1tJO0RW9UM">https://youtu.be/D1tJO0RW9UM</a></p> <p>=&gt; to know which art is dominant in case of injury</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Palpate radial &amp; ulnar pulses. <small>how to locate it? by ulnar deviating the wrist, locate the carpi ulnaris. ↳ to it is ulnar art</small></li> <li>• Radial pulse: Against radial bone.</li> <li>• Ulnar pulse: Against the ulna lateral to flexor carpi ulnaris. <small>first occlude both then each individually</small></li> <li>• Then occlude the radial artery first by applying pressure to it and ask the patient to open and close his hand until it becomes pale, then remove your hand and notice the refill. Repeat on the ulnar.</li> </ul>

**Flexor Tendons Tests "<https://youtu.be/xBfZLFkCvjQ>"**

1	Flexor Digitorum Superficialis "Flexion of PIP"	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hold all the patient fingers except the ring finger then ask him to flex it. "To exclude profundus"</li> </ul>
2	Flexor Digitorum Profundus "Flexion of DIP"	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Hold the PIP joints and ask the patient to flex his DIP. <small>do it for all fingers</small></li> </ul>
3	Lumbricals "Flexion of MCP"	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ask the patient to flex his fingers from the MCP joint with extended PIP &amp; DIP.</li> </ul>

# Hip Examination

Hip Examination Video: <https://youtu.be/EboUcF17w10>

## At Start

- Same Sequence
- Proper Exposure: Xiphisternum to the knees (Con umbilicus to mid thigh)
- Sequence: Look, Feel, Move, Special Tests

## Inspection

1. Anteriorly
2. Posteriorly
3. Laterally

- Scars, Swelling, Change in color, Masses, erythema
- Asymmetry: length, position & rotation
- Wasting: Quadriceps, Gluteal, Hamstrings,..)
- **Gait**: Pathological gait: waddling, antalgic, scissoring, in toeing, limbing discrepancy) high stepage (foot drop)
- **Deformities**: Unilateral is pathological, bilateral is congenital
  - **Rotational**: If there is external rotation > Intertrochanteric, femur neck or shaft fractures. , fracture of knee due to twisting force
  - **Positional**: If there is internal rotation, short, adducted & slightly flexed > Posterior hip dislocation. (dashboard injury)
- Look If there is fixed flexed Hip. (there might be ↑ lumbar lordosis commonly due to OA)
- Adduction.
- \*Foot deformities:
  - From side > Look for lumbar lordosis.
  - From behind > Scoliosis, Gluteal wasting.

Screening tests before moving

1. Rolling test (stiffness & tone)
  - for F range of rotation
2. SLR (dx of P hip patho, as in piriformis syn)
  - for testing flex +ve if pain in back or paraesthesia at sciatic distribution
  - if not equals problem outside limb (e.g. scoliosis)
  - if not equal problem in limb w a compensatory mechanism ⇒ do galleazzi test
  - if both not equal → uncompensated



- **Leg Discrepancy**: the patient is in supine position:
  - Apparently one leg is shorter than the other, this may be true or false.
  - False if the patient has pelvic tilt.
  - Also if the two legs are equal in length this may be false and they appear equal by compensatory mechanism.
  - There are two types of Discrepancy **APPARANT & TRUE LENGTH**.
- **1) Apparent**:
  - From the same point & for both legs.
  - Compared with the Umbilicus or Xiphisternum. to medial malleolus
  - If equal > apparently same length.
- **2) True length**:
  - Each leg is compared with reference point (ASIS) to medial malleolus
  - If they are not equal > there is shortening.

1. 90° flx of knees
2. heels at the same level
3. look from above → tibia shortening
4. look from below → femur shortening

- Now to know if the shortening is from the femur or tibia, we do **Geliazzi test** which is done by: 45° of flexion on knee joint, the hip and feet is on same level. If the **patellas** are not at the same level > **Tibial** shortening. If the **tibial tuberosities** are not at the same level > **Femur** shortening.

• Palpate the tissues overlying the hip joint for **tenderness or warmth** > Infection or inflammation.

**Palpation**

- Palpate **greater trochanter** for tenderness > **Bursitis**.
- Palpate **lateral side of the hip** > Infection or fracture.
- **Posterior hip** tenderness > Labrum tear, Posterior hip fracture or piriformis tendinitis. ⊕ peripheral pulses

<b>Movement</b>	Sagittal	<b>Flexion</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Normal range from 0° - 120° A / 90° F <sup>SLR</sup></li> <li>• Normal range from 0° - 10°</li> <li>• With the patient in <b>prone position</b>, place your hand on the pelvis to assess for movement then lift one leg at a time to assess the range of extension.</li> </ul>
		<b>Hyper-Extension</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Normal range 45° A / 30° F</li> <li>• While stabilizing the contralateral iliac crest abduct the hip until you feel the pelvis begins to tilt.</li> </ul>
	Coronal	<b>Abduction</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Normal range from 30° A / 15° F</li> <li>• While stabilizing the contralateral <sup>ASIS</sup> iliac crest adduct the leg across the midline as far as possible.</li> </ul>
		<b>Adduction</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Normal range from 45° A / 15° F</li> <li>• Hip and knee flexed &amp; rotate medially. <sup>varus</sup></li> </ul>
	axial	<b>External Rotation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Normal range 40° A / 30° F</li> <li>• Hip and knee flexed and rotate laterally. <sup>valgus</sup></li> </ul>
		<b>Internal Rotation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Femoral Stretch Test: <a href="https://youtu.be/w6bqDypQJ-w">https://youtu.be/w6bqDypQJ-w</a></li> <li>• The patient in <b>prone position</b>, <b>knee is passively flexed to the thigh &amp; the hip is passively extended</b>.</li> <li>• The test is positive if there is <b>anterior thigh pain</b>.</li> </ul>

<b>Special Tests</b>	1	<b>Thomas Test</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Thomas (5:37): <a href="https://youtu.be/EboUcF17w10">https://youtu.be/EboUcF17w10</a></li> <li>• Place your hand under the patients' spine, and then passively flex both legs by as far as you can and ensure that the curve of lumbar lordosis has been flattened by your hand, finally ask the patient to fully extend his hip.</li> <li>• If he can do full extension &gt; No deformity.</li> <li>• If he is unable to fully extend his hip &gt; <b>Fixed flexion deformity</b>. (10-15°)</li> </ul>
			<p>↳ due to iliopsoas ms contracture → as compensation → hyperlordosis in OA</p>

1. put hand under lumbar spine, check for lordosis
2. if +ve → fully flx to other hip
3. if the ext leg raises to flx this is +ve

2	<i>Trendelenburg's Test</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Trendelenburg's Test: <i>standing</i></li><li>a) <a href="https://youtu.be/0rcczDEWDqU">https://youtu.be/0rcczDEWDqU</a></li><li>b) <a href="https://youtu.be/wHVMPD45IFo">https://youtu.be/wHVMPD45IFo</a></li><li>• Place your hands on the iliac crests on both sides of the pelvis and ask the patient to stand on one leg for 30 sec. Observe your hands to see which moves up or down.</li><li>• If the pelvis falls on the side that the foot off the ground &gt; Positive test.</li><li>• Suggest weak hip abductors on the contralateral side of the pelvis"</li></ul>
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# Knee Examination

Knee Examination Video:

a) Scientific Team: <https://youtu.be/5D6nQc0mUuA>

b) Geeky Medics: <https://youtu.be/17ZKya9yR2Y>



c) Oxford Medical Education: <https://youtu.be/wlLfNls75RY>

## At Start

- Same Sequence
- Proper Exposure: **Mid-thigh to below**
- Position: Flat hip and spine and knee's in semi-setting position / *Supine*
- Sequence: **Look, Feel, Move, Special Tests**

1. Anteriorly
2. Posteriorly
3. Laterally

## Inspection

- Scars: **Midline scar (universal)**, Arthroscopy scar, Cut wounds.
- Swelling: Localized (Anterior, superior, suprapatellar), Diffused (Intra-articular causes), *effusion, lacerations, effusion (absence of medial dimple)*
- **Deformities, Gait**
- **Alignment** (normally slight valgus 5° - 7°)
  - ↳ *Varus (tibia deviates medially)* 
  - ↳ *Valgus (tibia deviates laterally)* 
- Position of the patella (Should be upward)

## "Standing position"

- Skin problems: Psoriasis, Dermatitis, Nodules, Change in color,...
- Muscle wasting:
  - ↳ *part of quadriceps femoris*
  - **First muscle to be wasted is vastus medialis because it acts last 15° of extension & any knee problem the patient will lose this action.**
  - Measured by taking fixed point (eg. 10 cm above the patella > compare for symmetry)

*use dorsum of hand*

- **Temperature:** Normally the joint is cold, if not > Inflammation.
- Knee, wrist and elbow are superficial joints, so any mild change in temperature swelling will appear. *palpate above & below*

## Tenderness:

- Start from the **tibial tuberosity** then go medially, feel the medial condyle of tibia then feel above it you'll find a depression called tibial plateau, then move down and posteriorly according to the joint line to detect any pain here, which indicates **meniscal problems**, feel medial femoral condyle & adductor tuberosity. *↳ insertion of adductor longus & brevis BOA*

## Palpation

*palpate:*  
 tibial tuberosity → medially to it is SAS insertion → medial tibial condyle → joint line → medial femoral condyle → adductor tuberosity  
 laterally same but check fibularis

- From tibial tuberosity, and after detecting joint line, move laterally to detect fibular head and neck (Where common peroneal nerve is located)
- **Patellar tendon:** (Above tibial tuberosity)
- Feel patellar tendon in flexion position.
- Feel the Fats pad in extension position.

→ the central area should palpated white *flx* then palpate patella & patellar lig, then *ext* knee push patella M & L to feel articular surface

<b>Movement</b>  in passive check for cruciatas	<i>Flexion</i>	• Normal range from <b>140°– 160°</b>
	<i>Extension</i>	• Put your hand under the knee. (on popliteal fossa) • If the knee touch hard > Full extension. • If the foot raise > Hyper extension
	<i>Flexion Contracture</i>	• Shortening in posterior elements (Muscles, Tendons or capsule) • No passive or active contraction "Flexion"
	<i>Extension Lag</i>	• Full extension passively & no extension actively.

**Effusion Tests**

Medial groove present on ext & lateral on flex

<b>Special Tests</b>	1	<b>Juxtrapatellar hallow test</b>	• Flex the knee joint 90°, normally there is a groove medially and laterally to the patella, if there was effusion these grooves will not be apparent. "Fullness"
	2	<b>Patellar tap</b> "Ballotement"	• Ballotement Test: <a href="https://youtu.be/r18O50lzMGw">https://youtu.be/r18O50lzMGw</a> • Push the patella downward from the thigh to the knee "Squeezing" then tap on it, then check if there is effusion.
	3	<b>Milking test</b> "Cross fluctuation test"	• Milking Test: <a href="https://youtu.be/LHOmmWB_PFo">https://youtu.be/LHOmmWB_PFo</a> • Sensitive for mild effusion • Squeeze the patella medially then tap on the lateral side of it, if there is effusion you'll feel bulging.

**Q Angle**

- Q Angle: <https://youtu.be/m8XH30DiNeQ>
- Q angle is between quadriceps & patellar ligaments, normally it is 15° &:
  - Increased in females "Wide pelvis and shorter patients"
  - Increased in valgus deformity.
  - Increased in internal femoral torsion.
  - Increased in external tibial torsion.
- Patella normally slides from proximal to distal, and because of Q angle it will have movement on X direction & Y direction. So, patella hits lateral femoral condyle as the Q angle increases > Patellar dislocation & chondromalacia crepitus.
- Q angle increasing can be treated by physiotherapy to Vastus medialis. "Increase strength"



### Patella Examination

<b>Inspection</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Q angle and Scars → measured by goniometer</li> </ul>
<b>Palpation</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Patellar tendon "Flexion" • Ext by SLR test</li> <li>Patella under surface of patella <u>Move</u></li> <li>Tibial Tuberosity</li> </ul>
<b>Movement</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>if fix → <b>Gliding</b>: move the patella proximally and distally &gt; pain = crepitus.</li> <li><b>Grinding</b>: squeeze &amp; fix the patella distally &amp; ask the patient to contract quadriceps &gt; Pain = positive test. by exacerbating chondromalacia &amp; crepitation</li> </ul>

### Collateral ligament

⊕ Apprehension test:  
1. push the patella L & fix  
2. +ve if pt contracts quadriceps

<b>1</b>	<p><b>Stress Test</b></p> <p>+ve if joint line opens &amp; ↑ in joint space</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Valgus Stress Test</b>: For the Medial Collateral: <a href="https://youtu.be/GSFbttpxCuQ">https://youtu.be/GSFbttpxCuQ</a></li> <li><b>Varus Stress Test</b>: For the Lateral Collateral: <a href="https://youtu.be/sg1gk6QKARw">https://youtu.be/sg1gk6QKARw</a></li> <li>Fix the foot of the patient under your axilla, then full <b>extend</b> the patients' knee &amp; <u>palpate the joint line</u>, then <u>stress varus</u> (Lateral collateral ligament) &amp; <u>stress valgus</u> (Medial collateral ligament) then do the same <b>with the knee flexed at 30°</b>.</li> <li>Flexion 30° is due to MCL &amp; LCL ligaments only.</li> <li>Full extension is due to CLs, Cruciate ligaments &amp; capsule.</li> </ul>
<b>Special Tests</b>	<p>1. fix, abd. ext rot the affected knee &amp; put it above the knee (dist. femur)</p> <p><b>Figure of 4 test</b></p> <p>"Faber Test"</p> <p>2. push the knee down while holding ASIS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Faber Test:                     <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="https://youtu.be/X6trjwpyidM">https://youtu.be/X6trjwpyidM</a></li> <li><a href="https://youtu.be/89Qih82zmg">https://youtu.be/89Qih82zmg</a></li> </ol> </li> <li><b>Varus cause tear of the LCL.</b></li> <li>Performance of the "figure of 4" test is performed by <u>having the patient place the foot of the affected extremity on the contralateral knee</u>. For a right knee, this resembles the number "4". Pain = positive test.</li> </ul>

### Cruciate Ligaments "Intra-articular – Extra-capsular"

"Hamstring muscle help cruciate ligament. So, to treat tear of this ligament we strengthen this muscle"

<b>1</b>	<p>*always start w this*</p> <p><b>Posterior sagging of tibia test</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Posterior Sag Sign</b>: For the Posterior Cruciate: <a href="https://youtu.be/7vgTMnfP4fs">https://youtu.be/7vgTMnfP4fs</a></li> <li><u>Flex both knees &amp; detect both tibial tuberosities.</u></li> <li>Should be at the same level, if not, then there is a <b>Posterior Cruciate Ligament tear.</b></li> </ul>
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↑ move suggests  
cruciate laxity or  
rupture

1	<p>1. 90° flex knee &amp; sit on foot 2. relax hamstrings</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anterior Drawer Test: For the Anterior Cruciate: <a href="https://youtu.be/IdnBKv38EEQ">https://youtu.be/IdnBKv38EEQ</a></li> <li>• Posterior Drawer Test: For the Posterior Cruciate: <a href="https://youtu.be/wDIGII5wzZs">https://youtu.be/wDIGII5wzZs</a></li> </ul>
2	<p><b>Drawers Test</b> 3. put hand on tibial tuberos &amp; pull tibia A &amp; P</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Start with sagging test to be sure that there is no PCL tear &amp; Relax hamstring to avoid false positive.</li> <li>• Do anterior pulling to check ACL.</li> </ul>
3	<p>* Most sensitive* <b>Lachman Test</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lachman Test: <a href="https://youtu.be/JFkbKNNa7xQ">https://youtu.be/JFkbKNNa7xQ</a></li> <li>• Flex the knee 30 then pull tibia upward.</li> <li>• Normal &gt; Hard lock. ↳ for ACL</li> <li>• Abnormal &gt; Soft lock "Gradual resistance if force can move."</li> </ul>

1. 30° flex  
2. immobilize femur  
3. A translation

**Meniscus "McMurray's Test"**

- McMurray Test: <https://youtu.be/lwDFPAyGGgI>
- Full flexion then palpate the joint line.
- Internal rotation > Varus + Extension (Lateral meniscus)
- External rotation > Valgus + Extension (Medial meniscus)
- Positive: if you hear a click (Pop sound), It is palpable move then heard.

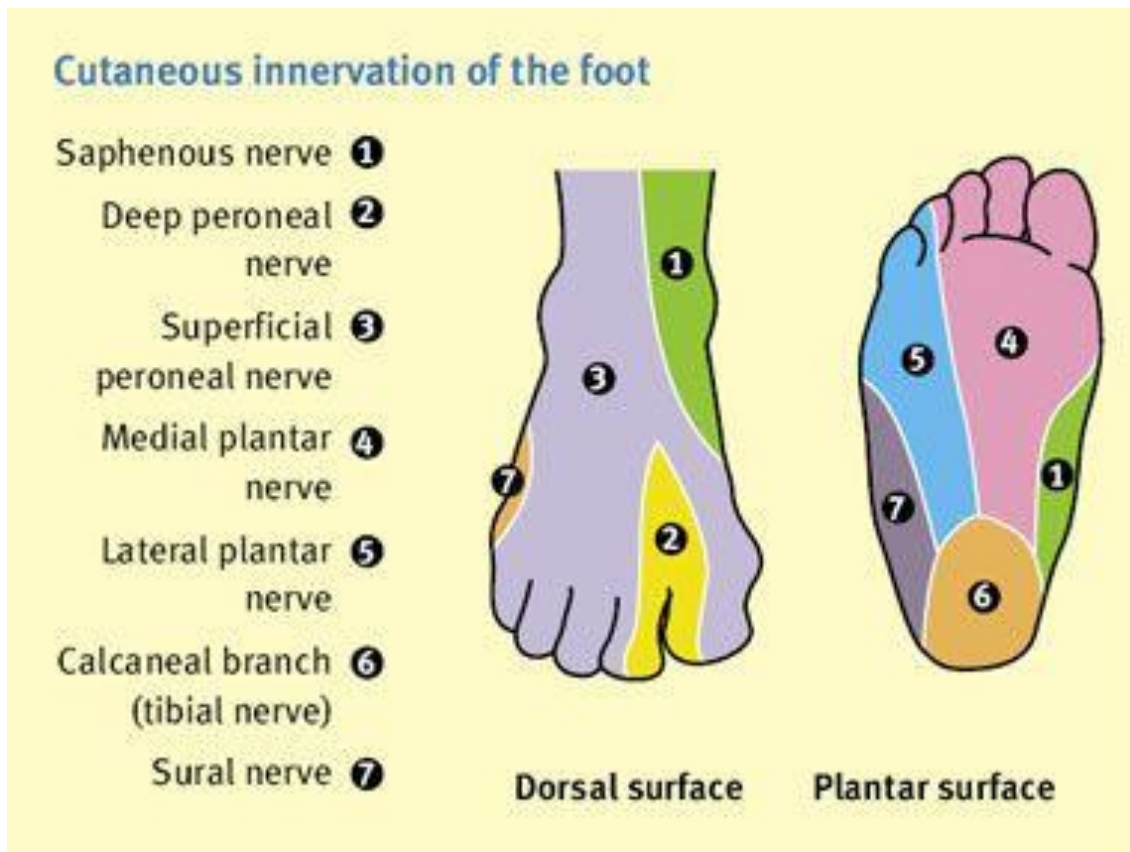
⇒ if pain or crepitation → OA

# Sensory Foot Examination

Sensory Foot Examination Video: [https://youtu.be/cpOTXT\\_Zd0g](https://youtu.be/cpOTXT_Zd0g)

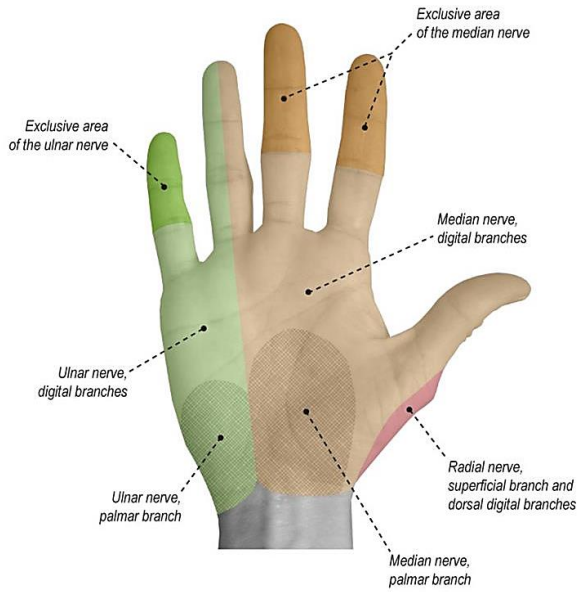
\* You only need to know the distribution of nerve supply of the feet

Lateral Aspect of the foot	Sural Nerve
Dorsum of the foot	Superficial Peroneal Nerve
Medial Aspect of the foot	Saphenous Nerve
Sole of the foot	Medial and Lateral Planter Branches of the Tibial Nerve
First Web Space	Deep Peroneal Nerve

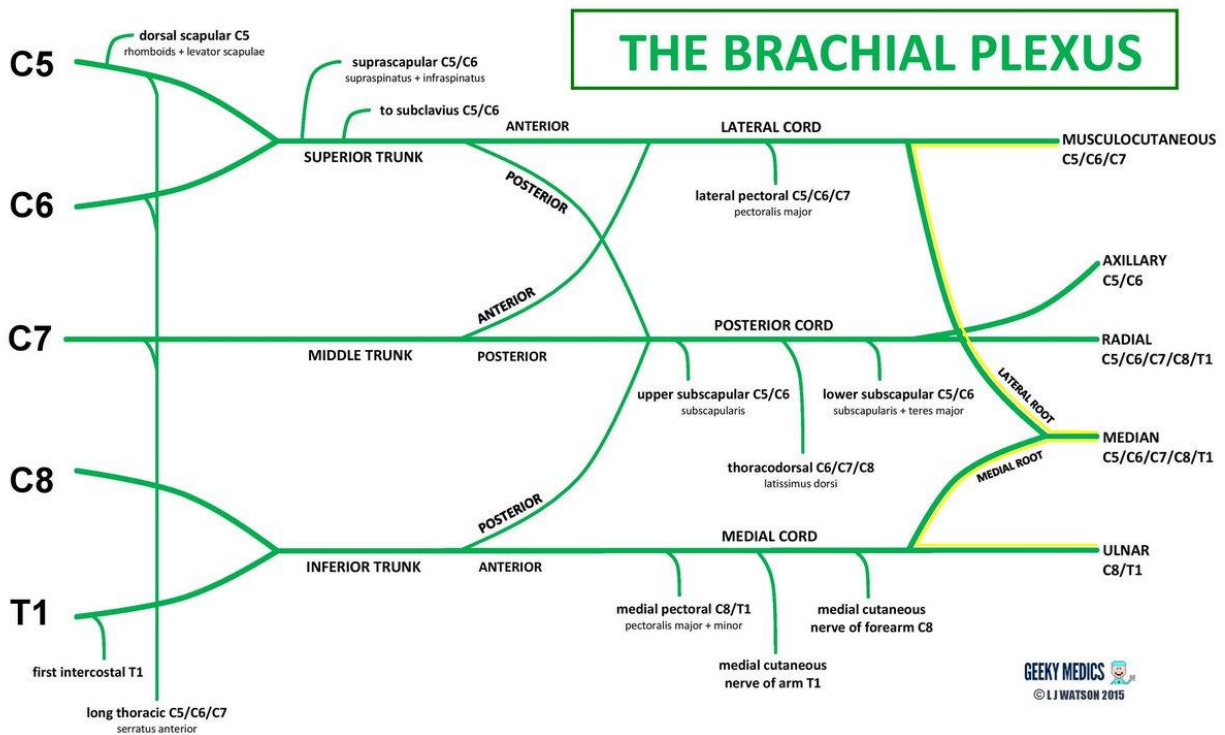
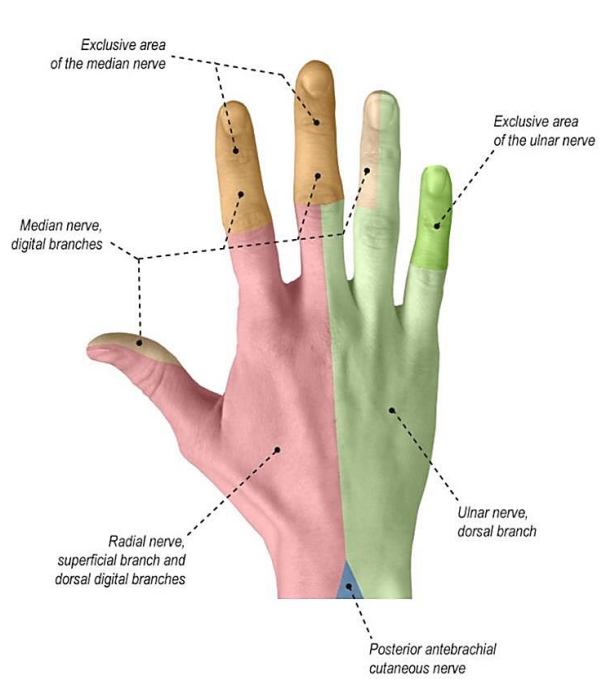


# Nerves of the Hand

**Sensory Territories and Innervations (Volar View)**



**Sensory Territories and Innervations (Dorsal View)**



# Median Nerve Examination

Median Nerve Examination: <https://youtu.be/sypBEG9F6uU>

## Info

• median proper  
=> 3 1/2 fingers  
• palmar cutaneous  
=> thenar eminence

- It's a branch of the lateral and medial cord of brachial plexus
- Course: Medial to brachial artery in the cubital fossa
- Gives off these branches:
  1. **Anterior interosseous:** supplies all flexors except flexor carpi ulnaris *1/2 flexor digitorum profundus, flex pollicis longus, pronator quadratus*
  2. **Palmer Branch:** supply volar side of the 1<sup>st</sup> 3 & half fingers. Dorsally, it supplies the tip of these fingers to PIP joints
  3. **Recurrent branch:** starts after the carpal tunnel, for the thenar muscles and the lateral 2 lumbricals

## At Start

- Same Sequence
- Proper Exposure: Entire upper limbs
- Sequence: Look, Feel, Move, Special Tests

## Inspection

- **Ape like deformity** "Adducted thumb & Pointed index" *+ beundiction (pointing)*
- **Thenar wasting**
- **Forearm atrophy**
- **Trophic ulcers** => CTS (thenar eminence is spared)
- **Partial weakness of middle finger** => prox lesion (thenar + 3 1/2 fingers)
- **Skin changes and dryness**

## Palpation

- Feel the 3 and half fingers supplied by the nerve by 2-point discrimination "not less than 5 mm", if more than 5 mm, for example 10 mm there is partial weakness and so on

## Movement

- We examine the muscles responsible for movement and not supplied by any other nerve
- Thumb abduction against resistance
- Examine **abductor pollicis brevis** which is innervated by the median nerve
- **Abductor pollicis longus** don't work without abductor pollicis brevis

## Ok sign

- Ask the patient to do Ok sign then try to move fingers away.

## Special Tests

Normally you cannot move his fingers. → *flex digitorum profundus & flex digitorum profundus*

## Anterior interosseous branch

Anterior Interosseous Nerve: <https://youtu.be/R15I0JzYIDc>

- Info
- Anterior interosseous branch supply:
    1. Flexor digitorum profundus.

	2. Flexor polices longus.
	3. Pronator quadrates. → pron while flx (pron tens relaxed)
1	Ok sign
2	Flexion of the PIP joint of the thumb -ve
3	Flexion of DIP of middle & Index fingers

**Carpal tunnel syndrome** "<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6bOYvEADHyU>"

1	<i>Phalen's sign</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Phalen's Test: <a href="https://youtu.be/rQJNrKq7tIs">https://youtu.be/rQJNrKq7tIs</a></li> <li>• Reverse prayer sign for 1 min. (flx of wrist)</li> <li>• If pain &amp; Carpal tunnel symptoms &gt; Positive test.</li> </ul>
2	<i>Tinel's sign</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tinel's Test: <a href="https://youtu.be/U8cPjPeZgFw">https://youtu.be/U8cPjPeZgFw</a></li> <li>• Tapping of median nerve at its course in wrist. at CT</li> <li>• Test is positive when the Tingling worsen.</li> </ul>

*Dortheus* • direct compression of CT

# Mnemonic: DR.CUMA

**D**rop  
**R**adial  
**C**law  
**U**lna  
**M**edian  
**A**pe



# Radial Nerve Examination

Radial Nerve Examination: <https://youtu.be/oeYHwybp5Yc>

⇒ if distal 1/3 of humerus frac  
biceps not affected (ext affected)

- It's a branch of the posterior cord of the brachial plexus
- Course: Anterior in the cubital fossa

3. p. extensors in (distal arm & forearm)

• Branches: → pure sensory

4. Superficial radial (dorsus of hand)

1. Superficial branch: Sensory supply for the radial 3 and half fingers excluding the finger tips "Above PIP"

5. Digital beds (fingers)

## Info

⇒ if below elbow (only sensory)

2. Posterior interosseous branch: supplies all the extensors except:

- a. Extensor carpi radialis longus
- b. Extensor carpi radialis brevis
- c. Brachio-radialis

Which are supplied by the radial nerve before division

⇒ around axilla (all) aka Saturday night syn

- Same Sequence

## At Start

- Proper Exposure: Entire upper limbs
- Sequence: Look, Feel, and movement. **There is no Special Tests here**

## Inspection

- Deformities:
  - **Wrist drop**: due to high injury to the radial nerve before division (distal 1/3 of humerus or axilla)
  - **Finger drop**: due to low injury to posterior interosseous branch
- Muscle Atrophy

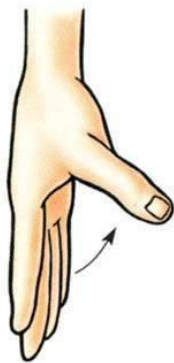
## Palpation

- Sensory by sharp pin "Crude sensation"
- With the palm facing down check the snuff box "compare both sides"

## Movement

- **Extension of fingers against resistance**
- **Extension of thumb against resistance**

brachioradialis (flx on mid pron)  
Supinator (Sup while fully ext)



Abduction



Adduction



Extension



Flexion



Opposition



Reposition

# Ulnar Nerve Examination

Ulnar Nerve Examination: <https://youtu.be/PTpUzXdBvpo>

- It's a continuation of the median cord of brachial plexus
- Course: at the wrist it passes anterior to flexor retinaculum & lateral to pisiform bone, medial to hamate then it divides into:
  1. Superficial (sensory) branch: supply medial half & 1 finger. "Volar part"
  2. Deep terminal (motor) branch: supply all intrinsic muscles of the hand except; Thenar and 2 lumbricals.

## Info

- Before division it supplies flexor carpi ulnaris & medial half of flexor digitorum profundus.
- Dorsal cutaneous branch: Dorsal side of the medial one and half fingers.
- Intrinsic muscles supplied by ulnar nerve:
  - Adductor policis longus of the thumb.
  - 3rd and 4th lumbricals. "Flex MCP joints & Extend IP joints"
  - Palmar interossei. "Adduct fingers"
  - Dorsal interossei. "Abduct fingers"

## At Start

- Same Sequence
- Proper Exposure: Entire upper limbs
- Sequence: Look, Feel, Move, Special Tests

## Inspection

- Deformities: Claw hand "Flexion of DIP & Hyper-extension of PIP"
- Atrophy: Hypothenar & 1<sup>st</sup> dorsal interosseous "Flat or concave hand"
- Trophic ulcers over the little finger

## Palpation

- Sensory by Sharp pin "Two-point discrimination"

## Movement

- Adduction of fingers using a paper
- Abduction of fingers against resistance

### Froment Test "Adductor policis longus"

## Special Tests

- Froment's Test:
  - a. <https://youtu.be/yJTlhm1VfSI>
  - b. [https://youtu.be/1I\\_djZaX9M](https://youtu.be/1I_djZaX9M)

- Paper between the thumb and index, then ask the patient to hold it. If he ABDUCT his finger to hold it > Positive.

### Resistant abduction of the little finger "Abductor digiti minimi"

- If collapse to the affected side > Positive test.



**Cubital Tunnel Syndrome (Mentioned in the elbow examination)**

1	<i>Tinel Test</i>	Tinel Sign: <a href="https://youtu.be/ASRatLbu8i0">https://youtu.be/ASRatLbu8i0</a> Percussion on the ulnar nerve > Tingling & numbness over the ulnar nerve distribution.
2	<i>Flexion test of the elbow</i>	Elbow Flexion Test: <a href="https://youtu.be/brN-VLUETVU">https://youtu.be/brN-VLUETVU</a> Full flexion of elbow > press on the ulnar nerve for 20 sec > Numbness & tingling over one half of the fingers.

# Nerve Palsies

## Ulnar



**Claw Hand**



## Median

**Pointing finger**



**Ape Hand**



## Radial



**Wrist Drop**



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