

Clinical Correlations Across the Lifespan

Very young and very old patients can challenge even the most experienced EMS student or provider. Differences in language, perception, sensory input, medical history, and other factors can make patients at either end of the age spectrum more challenging

Please answer the following questions about your observations and experiences assessing and managing a pediatric or geriatric patient.

Patient Type (circle one)

Pediatric

Geriatric

Using a comparison to an adult patient, explain any differences you observed or experienced while you and other members of the team assessed, managed, and communicated with the patient. **Answer all that apply.**

<p>Patient Assessment</p> <hr/>	<p>Vital Signs</p> <hr/>	<p>Medical History and Medications</p> <hr/>	<p>Patient Treatment / Management</p> <hr/>
<p>Senses, Mentation, Understanding</p> <hr/>	<p>Role of Family and Relatives</p> <hr/>	<p>Emotions or feelings you experienced in the encounter</p> <hr/>	