## Patient's Problem List

### Exploration of Patient's Problems

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### Background Information - Context
- Past Medical History
- Drug and Allergy History
- Family History
- Personal and Social History
- Review of Systems

### Physical Examination

### Differential Diagnosis - Hypotheses
- Including both disease and illness issues

### Physician’s Plan of Management
- Investigations
- Treatment alternatives

### Explanation and Planning with Patient
- What the patient has been told
- Plan of action negotiated