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Introduction and Top Tips

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SIMPLY Structure

Wednesday evenings until 2nd March 2016

1800 (sharp) Focused teaching on key topics

1900-2100 Specialist-led lectures

TTAs/guidance

Online lectures/resources: www.simplyrevision.org.uk

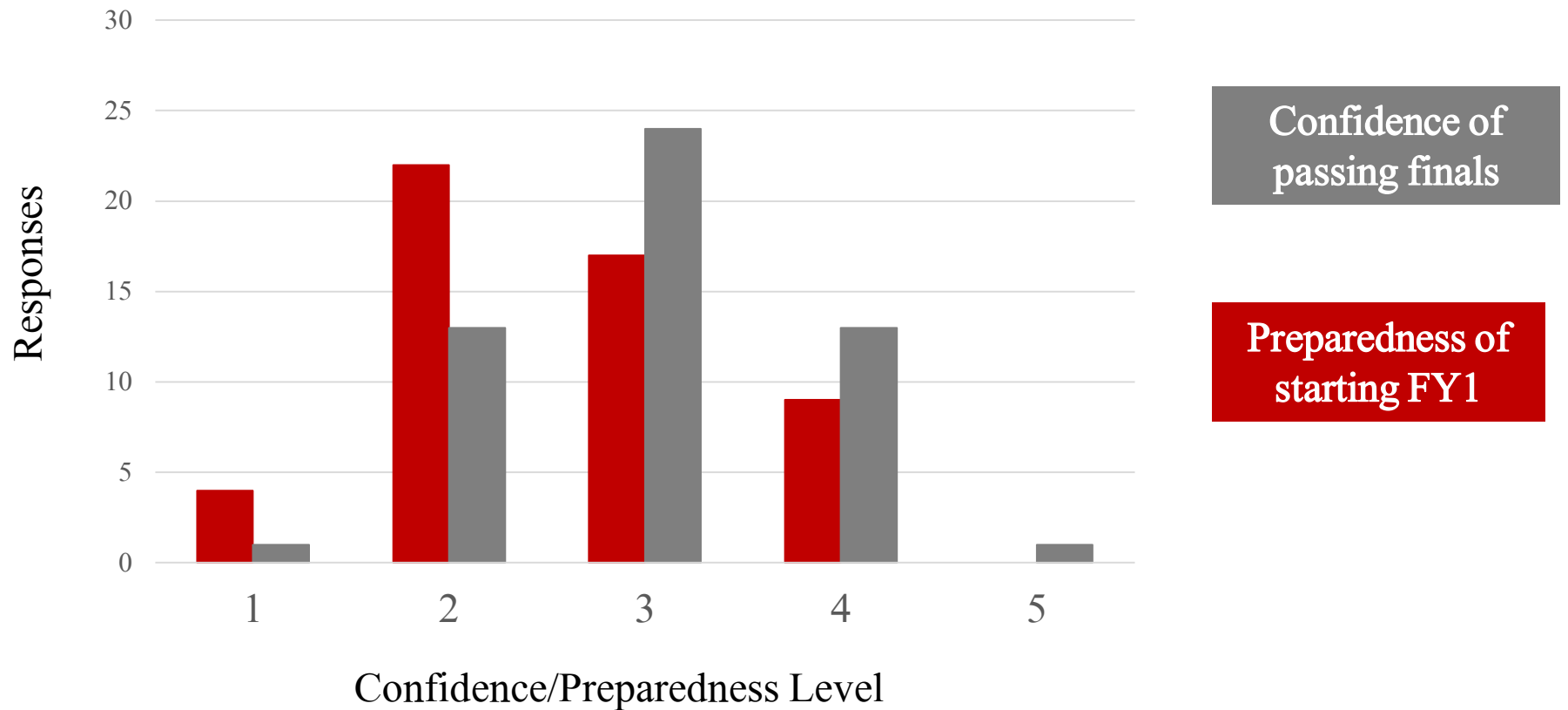


Week 1 Plan

- ECGs
- SBAR/Presentation skills
- SIMPLY... Cardiology by Dr Joshi



Survey Results (84 respondents)



Simply Topics via Survey

DRUGS	COMMUNICATION AND PRACTICAL SKILLS	DATA INTERPRETATION AND OTHER TOPICS
<p>Analgesics Antibiotics Asthma COPD Fluids Heart Failure Hypertension Insulin and Diabetes Oxygen Therapy</p>	<p>ABCDE Blood Transfusion Breaking Bad News Catheterisation Explaining Fundoscopy Pre-op assessment SBAR/Presenting</p>	<p>ABGs Acute Confusional States Bloods Complex Discharge Drug Calculations ECGs Loss of Consciousness Prescribing Techniques Sepsis X-rays</p>

New this year: Warfarin and Anti-arrhythmics



Specialties

- 6th January 2016 – **Cardiology** – *Dr Abhishek Joshi*
- 13th January 2016 – **Renal** – *Prof. Anthony Warrens*
- 20th January 2016 – **Gastroenterology** - *Prof. Parveen Kumar*
- 27th January 2015 – **Haematology** – *Dr Paul Greaves* – *New this year!*
- 3rd February 2016 – **Endocrinology** – *Dr John Flood*
- 10th February 2016 – **Neurology** – *Mr John Brecknell*
- 17th February 2016 – **Respiratory** – *Dr William Ricketts*
- 24th February 2016 – **Surgery** – *Mr Simon Fleming*
- 2nd March 2016 – **General Medicine** – *Dr Adam Feather*

Available online:

- Rheumatology
- Obs and Gynae
- Paediatrics



Winner of the £20 Amazon Voucher is...



Zarna Patel



Or if they're not here.... Sam Lipworth

Or if they're not here.... Ayesha Dalal

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Our Tips

Try to examine and take a focussed history of each system >2 times a week

- With **feedback** (exam-like practice)
- Peer-peer **marking** (with mark schemes)
- **Present** to them and offer a management plan

*Is what I'm doing beneficial
to finals?*



More Tips – *we'll give more throughout the lectures*

- OSCEs
 - Read the instructions and look for clues – what they're examining will be in **bold**
 - Smile (or try) and speak clearly and confidently
 - If stuck keep it simple...
 - Examination - Inspect / palpate / percuss / auscultate
 - Communication stations – Summarise
 - Investigations – Management
 - Bedside Tests, Routine bloods, Radiology, Special Tests
 - **If in doubt, ABCDE!**
- EMQs:
 - Read the question – does the answer fit (including grammatically, e.g. plurals-singular)?
 - Are there clues later in the question?
 - If you've never heard of the answer, is it really likely to be correct?



Simply...

enjoy!



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