

Revision notes on examination of a child with Dysmorphism

Inspection

- **Head** Size, shape, sutures
- **Eyes** Hypo/hypertelorism = Outer & Inner canthus and inter pupillary distance
 - Epicanthic folds
 - Palpebral fissures - slant
 - Size
 - Coloboma
 - Pigment/ markings / clouding
- **Ears** Shape/ appendages
 - Low set – horizontal line from inner canthi – ears = % above line
- **Face** Shape/ symmetry
 - Jaw
 - Palate
 - Teeth
 - Hairline
- **Hands** Syndactyly = fused
 - Clinodactyly
 - Polydactyly = pre-axial = thumb side
 - Creases
 - Arachnodactyly
- **Arms** Thumbs touching shoulders
 - Carrying angle
 - Span
 - Legs and arms together – size discrepancy
- **Skin**
- **Back** Scoliosis lordosis
- **Genitalia**

Relevant system examination

Plot height weight etc