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Endocrine system and child

Development and growth

sexual differentiation and reproduction

Maintenance of internal environment

regulation of metabolism and nutrition
supply

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Under functioning gland

Hypothyroidism
Hypoparathyroidism

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Hyper functioning gland

Hyperthyroidism
Hyperparathyroidism

single hormone affected

Hypoadrenalism
Primary hyperparathyroidism

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Multiple hormones affected

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*How can endocrine problems
present*

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Transient endocrine problems

*transient reduced testosterone after sudden
cessation of high dose steroid therapy*

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permanent (life long) endocrine problems

acromegaly *hypoparathyroidism*

Congenital

congenital hypoparathyroidism

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Acquired

diabetes mellitus

Under functioning gland

Hypothyroidism
hypopituitarism

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Hyper functioning gland

hyperthyroidism
hyperaldosterinism

single hormone affected

hypothyroidism

growth hormone deficiency

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Multiple hormones affected

hypopituitarism - GH, TSH, ACTH

Transient endocrine problems

transient adrenal insufficiency after sudden cessation of high dose steroid therapy

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permanent/ life long endocrine problems

congenital hypothyroidism

Congenital

congenital hypopituitarism

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Acquired

diabetes mellitus

Aetiology

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Genetic factors - eg Diabetes mellitus

Dysgenesis or agenesis of glands - eg hypogonadism

Infections - eg meningitis --> pituitary gland infection

Trauma / surgical trauma - eg hypothyroidism/ hypoparathyroidism

Tumours - eg - brain tumour --> hypopituitarism