

PALLOR

oxy Hb →

⊖ of Pallor doesn't r/o anemia

Area of superficial vessels → oxy Hb → red colour → visible or not

Location →

- ① Anterior rim of lower palpebral conjunctiva
- ② Tongue / oral mucosa
- ③ Palm
- ④ Nail bed

causes of pallor

When visible?
Grading?

Concn of Hb ↓ (oxy) in these vessels

Skin & mucous memb → <10gm%.

Cream less pigmented than surrounding → <8gm%.

① Hb ↓ → Anemia → ♂ → <13g%
♀ → <12g%

Koilonychia
↓
Fe def.

Knuckle hyperpigmentation
↓
B12

Bleeding tendencies
↓
Bone marrow

Hyperextended hand

