

# Training Course on The Management of **ACUTE MALNUTRITION**



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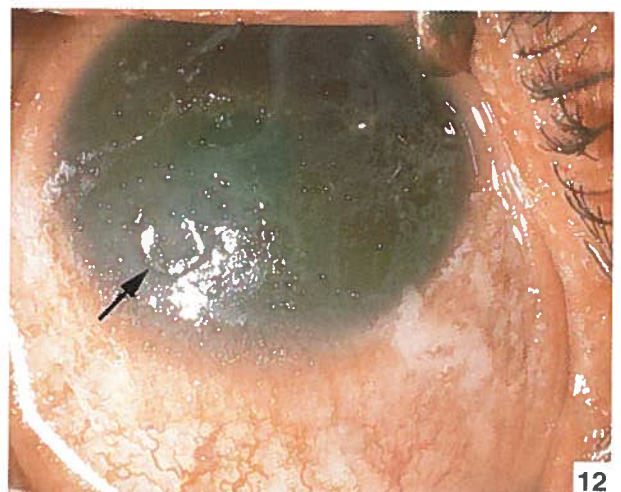
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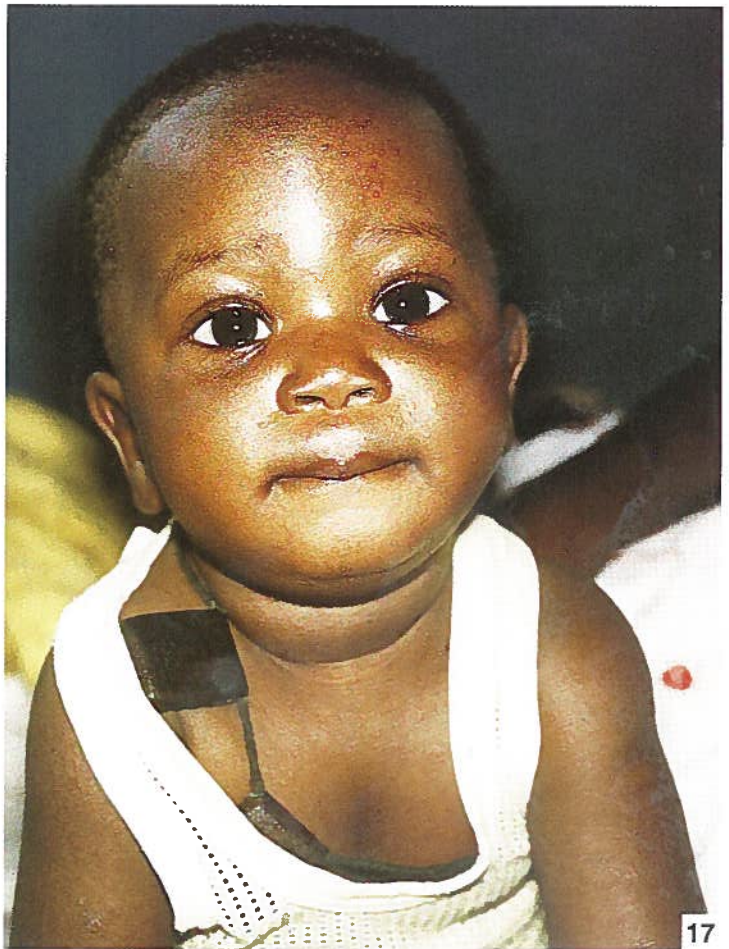








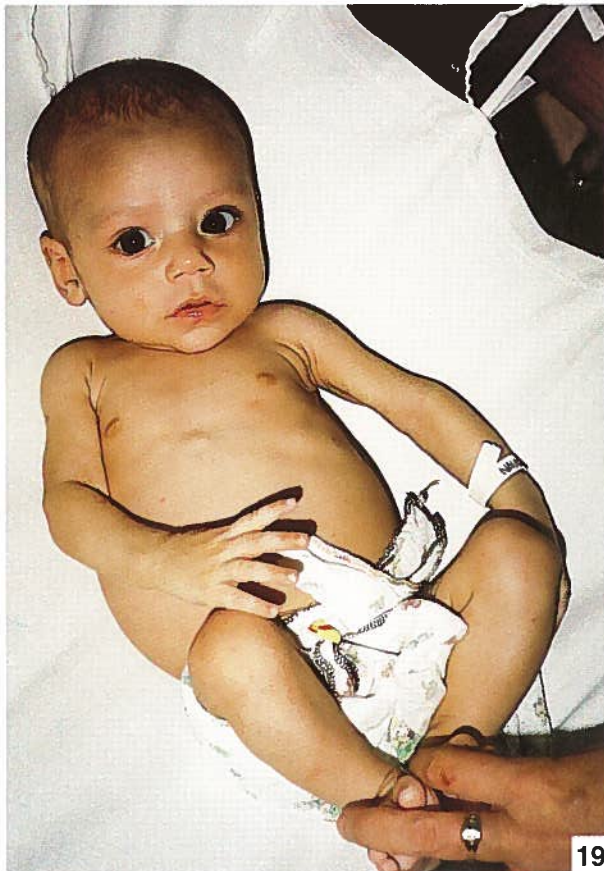








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Severely wasted child on admission, length 74 cm, weight 6 kg, weight-for-length  $< -4SD$ ,  $< 60\%$ .



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The same child after two weeks.



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The same child after 4 weeks, 8 kg, weight-for-length  $-2SD$ ,  $80\%$ .





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Seven-year-old girl, 10 kg on admission, length unknown, weight-for-age  $<-3SD$ .



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Same child after recovery, 16 kg (about  $-1SD$  weight-for-age).

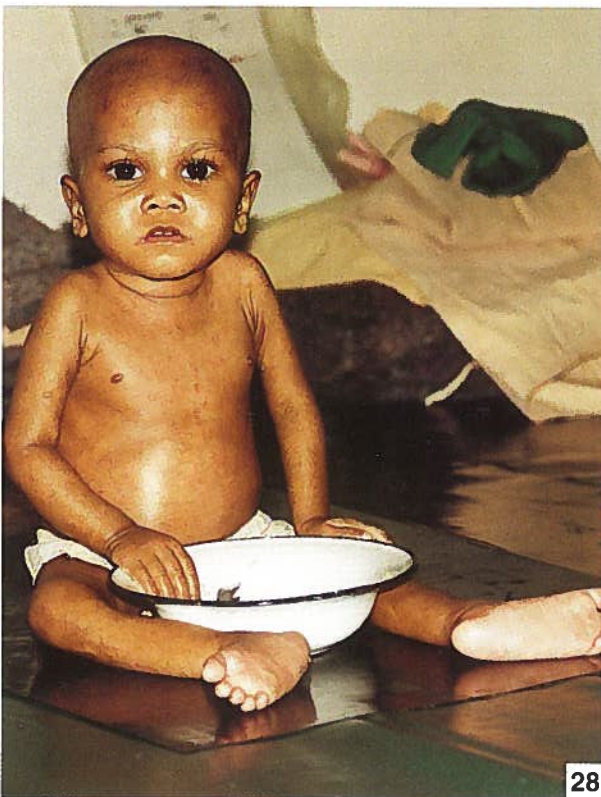




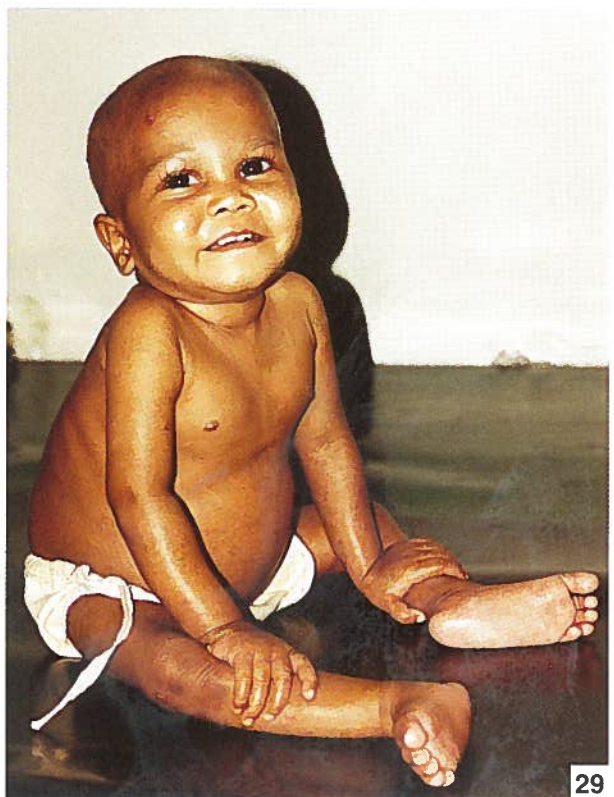
Sheema on admission : girl age 2, weight 3.875 kg, length 67 cm, weight-for-length <-4SD, < 60%, apprehensive and irritated.



2 weeks later : weight 4.75 kg, length 67.4 cm, weight-for-length <-3SD, < 70%, disinterested.



4 weeks later : weight 5.31 kg, length 67.7 cm, weight-for-length almost -3SD, 70%, taking interest in her surroundings.



5 weeks later : weight 6.28 kg, length 67.8 cm, weight-for-length about -2SD, 80%. Sheema is looking forward to going home.



