



SAUDI BOARD RESIDENCY TRAINING PROGRAM

PERIODONTICS

Part One Examination

Examination Format:

Part I Examination of Saudi board certificate shall consist of one paper with 150 Single Best Answer MCQs. Up to 10% unscored items can be added for pretesting purposes.

Passing Score:

1. The passing score is 65%.
2. If the percentage of candidates passing the exam before final approval is less than 70%, the passing score can be lowered by one mark at a time aiming at achieving 70% passing rate or a score of 60% whichever comes first. Under no circumstances, may the score can be reduced below 60%.





Suggested References:

1. Clinical Periodontology by Carranza, Newman, Glickman, 2018. 13th edition. Blueprint relevant topics.
2. Clinical Periodontology and Implant Dentistry, Seventh Edition, 2021 (volume 1 and 2). Edited by Jan Lindhe and Niklaus Lang.
3. Periodontics Medicine, surgery and implants 1st edition by Louis F. Rose, Brian Mealy, Robert Genco.
4. Journal of Periodontology.
5. Periodontology 2000. Willy Publishing.
6. Professionalism and Ethics, Handbook for Residents, Practical guide, Prof. James Ware, Dr. Abdulaziz Fahad Alkaabba, Dr. Ghaiath MA Hussein, Prof. Omar Hasan Kasule, SCFHS, Latest Edition.
7. Essentials of Patient Safety, SCHS, Latest Edition.
8. Code of Ethics for Healthcare Practitioners - English Translation, Department of medical education and postgraduate studies, Translated by Dr Ghaiath Hussain, Edited by Vittorianna Crisera.

Note:

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Blueprint Outlines:

No.	Sections	Percentage
1	Periodontal Tissue	16%
2	Aetiology and microbiology	16%
3	Pathogenesis	12%
4	Immunology	12%
5	Periodontal Examination	17%
6	Classification and prognosis	15%
7	Epidemiology and periodontal medicine	12%
Total		100%

Note:

- Blueprint distributions of the examination may differ up to +/-5% in each category.
- Percentages and content are subject to change at any time. See the SCFHS website for the most up-to-date information.
- Research, Ethics, Professionalism and Patient Safety are incorporated
- within various domains.

