



SAUDI FELLOWSHIP TRAINING PROGRAM

DEVELOPMENTAL AND BEHAVIORAL PEDIATRICS

Final Written Examination

Examination Format:

A Saudi subspecialty fellowship final written examination shall consist of one paper with 80-120 Single Best Answer MCQs. 10% unscored items can be added for pretesting purposes.

Passing Score:

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





Suggested References:

- Danielson ML, Bitsko RH, Ghandour RM, Holbrook JR, Kogan MD, Blumberg SJ. Prevalence of Parent-Reported ADHD Diagnosis and Associated Treatment Among US Children and Adolescents, 2016. *J Clin Child Adolesc Psychol.* 2018;47(2):199-212. DOI: 10.1080/15374416.2017.1417860.
- Baio J, Wiggins LD, Christensen DL, et al.. Prevalence of Autism Spectrum Disorder Among Children Aged 8 Years — Autism and Developmental Disabilities Monitoring Network. 11 Sites. United States, 2014. *MMWR Surveill Summ.* 2018; 67(6):1-23. DOI: 10.15585/mmwr.ss6706a1.
- Zablotsky B, Black LI, Maenner MJ et al. Prevalence and trends of developmental disabilities among children in the United States: 2009-2017. *Pediatrics.* 2019;144(4):e20190811. DOI: 10.1542/peds.20190811.
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- El-Hazmi MAF, Al-Swailem AA, N, Al-Mosa A. A A Al-Jarallah. Prevalence of mental retardation among children in Saudi Arabia. *East Mediterr Health J.* 2003;9(1-2):6-11.

Note:

This list is intended for use as a study aid only. SCFHS does not intend the list to imply endorsement of these specific references, nor are the exam questions necessarily taken solely from these sources.





Blueprint Outlines:

No.	Sections	Percentage
1	Developmental Pediatrics	40
2	Behavioral Pediatrics	20
3	Developmental assessment	5
4	Pediatric Rehabilitation	8
5	CAP (Anxiety disorders, Mood disorders, Tic disorders, Psychosis, Substance use, Psychopharmacotherapy)	7
6	Neurodevelopmental	5
7	Genetics	5
8	Child Psychology	5
9	Psychosocial	5
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.

