



SAUDI BOARD RESIDENCY TRAINING PROGRAM

ORTHODONTICS

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:

- Proffit WR. CONTEMPORARY ORTHODONTICS. 6th edition, St. Louis, MO, USA, Mosby, Inc., 2012.
- Radiographic cephalometry from basics to 3-D imaging, Alexander Jacobson, Richard Jacobson, second edition
- References recommended from the crush courses instructors.
- 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.
- Essentials of Patient Safety, SCHS, Latest Edition.

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

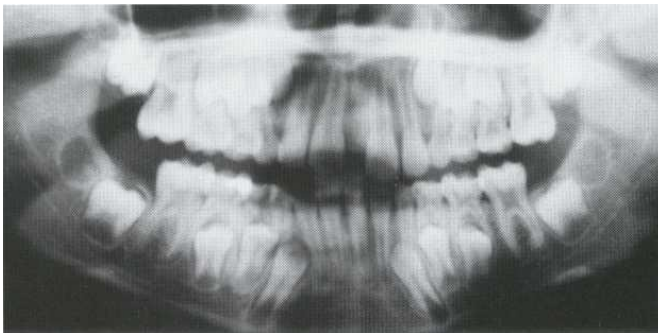
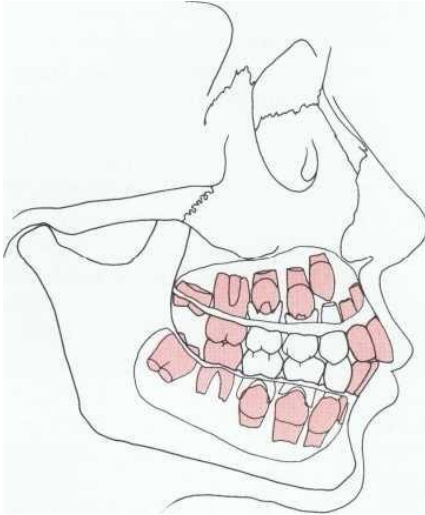
No.	Sections	Percentage
1	The Development of Orthodontic Problems	12%
2	Diagnosis and Treatment Planning	14%
3	Biomechanics, Biomaterials, And Contemporary Orthodontic Appliance	13%
4	Treatment in Preadolescent Children	14%
5	Growth Modification	12%
6	Comprehensive Orthodontic in Early Permanent Dentition	10%
7	Treatment for Adults	8%
8	Integrated Basic Science Course 1	5%
9	Integrated Basic Science Course 2	5%
10	Advanced Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology	7%
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 the various domains

EXAMPLE OF K2 QUESTIONS

Question 1



A young boy came to the clinic with his parents seeking the right time for orthodontic treatment, on examination patient is in the mixed dentition stage, a panoramic view is taken for him illustrated (see images).

What is the most appropriate dental age for him?

- a. Dental age 8
- b. Dental age 9
- c. Dental age 10
- d. Dental age 11



EXAMPLE OF K1

Question 2

The steroid in obstructive sleep apnea has a roles.

Which of the following is the role of the steroid in obstructive sleep apneatrement?

- A. It has no significant role
- B. It has high significant role
- C. Less than surgical approach
- D. Equal role to ventilator mask