

Saudi Licensing Examinations

Hematology and Oncology Blueprint

Blueprint outlines

Evaluation Item	Sections	Percentage (%)
(200 MCQs, 4 hours)	1. Red Cell Disorders	14%
	2. Benign White Cell Disorders	5%
	3. Bone Marrow Failure Syndromes	5%
	4. Bleeding Disorders	11%
	5. Thrombophilias	9%
	6. Myeloproliferative Disorders	11%
	7. Acute Leukemia and Myelodysplastic Syndromes	12%
	8. Lymphoproliferative Disorders (including plasma cell dyscrasias)	10%
	9. Hematologic Emergencies and Complications	5%
	10. Transfusion Medicine	5%
	11. Bone Marrow Transplant and its Complications	5%
	12. Patient Safety	3%
	13. Professionalism and Ethics	5%
Total		100%

Note:

• Test specifications and content have been reviewed and updated, therefore pass rates are adjusted accordingly.

Passing Score:

-Registrar: 65%

-Senior registrar: 70%

This applies for any test conducted as of June 7, 2022 and beyond.

- 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.



References:

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Note:

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