

Saudi Licensing Examinations

Sterilization Specialist Blueprint

Blueprint outlines

Evaluation Item	Sections	Percentage (%)
(150 MCQs, 3 hours)	1. Overview of the CSSD and Decontamination	5%
	2. Principles of Asepsis, Microbiology and Infection Control	5%
	3. Transportation of Solid Items to CSSD and Disinfection Process	10%
	 Processing Equipment and Classification of Surgical Instrument Types 	20%
	 Preparation, Packaging and Labeling of Instruments and Devices 	10%
	6. Sterilisation, Maintenance, Audit and Quality Control	25%
	7. Flexible Endoscope and Dental Instrument Processing	10%
	8. Use of Indicators, Load Control and	5%
	9. Transportation from the CSSD	10%
Total		100%

Note:

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

Passing Score: 60%

This applies for any test conducted as of June 20, 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.