

## **Saudi Licensing Examinations**

# **Audiology Specialist Blueprint**

### **Blueprint outlines**

Evaluation Item	Sections	Percentage (%)
(150 MCQs, 3 hours)	1. Pediatrics	20%
	2. Adults and Geriatrics	20%
	3. Auditory Evoked Potentials	5%
	4. Disorders and Syndromes	15%
	5. Hearing Aids and Implantable Hearing Devices	15%
	6. Counseling	10%
	7. Documentation and Communication	5%
	8. Infection Control	5%
	9. Professionalism and Ethics	5%
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 July 25, 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.



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