



SAUDI BOARD RESIDENCY TRAINING PROGRAM

RESTORATIVE DENTISTRY

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%.



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Suggested References:

- 1. Oral and maxillofacial Pathology 4th Edition
- 2. Clinically Oriented Anatomy, 7th Edition
- 3. Lippincott illustrated reviews Pharmacology 5th edition
- 4. Oral Radiology, Principles and Interpretation. 7th Edition
- 5. Essentials of Oral Histology and Embryology. A clinical approach 4th Edition
- 6. Microbiology; an Introduction, Tortora, Funk, and Case. 8th Edition
- 7. Diagnosis and Treatment Planning in Dentistry, 3rd edition (2016)
- 8. Summitt's Fundamentals of Operative Dentistry: A Contemporary Approach 4th Ed. (2013)
- 9. Sturdevant's Art and Science of Operative Dentistry 6th edition
- 10. Dental Caries: The Disease and Its Clinical Management, 3rd edition (2015)
- 11. Pathways of the Pulp 11th edition Ch. 1 + 2
- 12. Phillips SCIENCE OF DENTAL MATERIALS, 12th Edition (2013)
- 13. Fundamentals of Fixed Prosthodontics, 4th edition
- 14. Contemporary Fixed Prosthodontics, 5th edition
- 15. Carrana's Clinical Periodontology 12th edition
- 16. 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
- 17. Essentials of Patient Safety, SCHS, Latest Edition
- 18. In addition to references stated in the main curriculum document Version 3 (2021)

Note:

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Blueprint Outlines:

No.	Sections	Percentage
1	Basic Science ¹	40%
2	Operative	20%
3	Cariology	15%
4	Prosthodontics	15%
5	Periodontal-Restorative Interrelationship	5%
6	Esthetic	5%
Total		100%

¹Topics of Basic Science might include the following:

Head and Neck Anatomy

Radiology

Oral Biology

Oral Pathology

Oral Microbiology

Pharmacology

Applied dental biomaterial

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.

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