

SAUDI FELLOWSHIP TRAINING PROGRAM

CORNEA/ EXTERNAL DISEASE

Final Written Examination

Examination Format:

A Saudi subspecialty fellowship final written examination shall consist of one paper with 80-120 Single Best Answer MCQs. 10% unscored items can be added for pretesting purposes.

Passing Score:

The passing score is 70%. If the percentage of candidates passing the examination before final approval is less than 70%, the passing score must be lowered by one mark at a time aiming at achieving 70% passing rate or 65% passing score whichever comes first. Under no circumstances can the passing score be reduced below 65%.



Suggested References:

- American Academy of Ophthalmology (AAO) Basic and Clinical Science Course (BCSC) Sections 8, 11, and 13
- Cornea: Fundamentals, Diagnosis and Management, 5th 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	Cornea	30%
2	External Eye Disease	20%
3	Lens	20%
4	Refraction and Refractive Surgery	20%
5	Ancillary Test	5%
6	Optics	5%
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 various domains.

