



## SAUDI FELLOWSHIP TRAINING PROGRAM

### PERINATAL NEONATAL MEDICINE

#### Final Examination

##### Exam Format:

A Saudi subspecialty fellowship and diploma final examination shall consist of one paper with 80-120 single best answer Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs). Up to 10% unscored MSQs can be added for calibration purposes.

##### Passing Score:

The passing score is 70%. However, 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:

1. Saudi Commission for Health Specialties, Pediatric curriculum (<https://www.scfhs.org.sa/examinations/TrainingExams/DocLib/Pediatric%20new.pdf>) last access 19/5/2018.
2. The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada: Objectives of Training in the Subspecialty of Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine, 2014 (<http://www.royalcollege.ca/cs/groups/public/documents/document/y2vk/mdaw/-edisp/tztest3rcpsced000916.pdf>) last access 19/5/2018.
3. The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada: Subspecialty Training Requirements in Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine, 2014 (<http://www.royalcollege.ca/cs/groups/public/documents/document/y2vk/mdaw/-edisp/tztest3rcpsced000671.pdf>) last access 19/5/2018.
4. WHO Report-Health Indicators, 2016 (<http://www.who.int/gho/publications/worldhealthstatistics/en/>) last access 20/5/2018.
5. Manual for the McMaster Neonatal Perinatal Fellowship Program, Division of Neonatology, Department of Pediatrics at McMaster Children's Hospital (<http://macneonatal.ca/>) last access 20/5/2018.
6. Avery's Diseases of the Newborn-10th Edition.
7. Fanaroff and Martin's Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine: Diseases of the Fetus and Infant, (Current Therapy in Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine) 10th Edition.
8. Gordon Avery, Pathophysiology of disease of newborn.
9. Rennie & Robertson's Textbook of Neonatology-5th Edition.
10. Neonatology-7th 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	Respiratory	13%
2	Cardiovascular	7%
3	Maternal Fetal Medicine, Asphyxia and Resuscitation	13%
4	Genetics, Metabolic, and Orthopedic	6%
5	Nutrition	7%
6	Endocrine and Skin	8%
7	Renal and Eye / Ear	6%
8	Gastroenterology	5%
9	Immunology and Infections	7%
10	Hematology and Bilirubin	9%
11	Neurology	8%
12	Statistic and Research	6%
13	Pharmacology	5%
<b>Total</b>		<b>100%</b>

### 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.

