



Saudi Licensure Examination
Sterilization Health Assistant

EXAMINATION CONTENT GUIDELINE



EXAMINATION MODEL

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%
	4. Processing Equipment and Classification of Surgical Instrument Types	20%
	5. Preparation, Packaging and Labeling of Instruments and Devices	10%
	6. Sterilization, Maintenance, Audit and Quality Control	25%
	7. Flexible Endoscope and Dental Instrument Processing	10%
	8. Use of Indicators, Load Control and Transportation from the CSSD	5%
	9. Inventory Control, Sterile Storage and Planned Maintenance	10%

Note:

Passing Score: 50%

- 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.

References:

- Medical Device Reprocessing (Decontamination Specialist), Course Curriculum.
- The Basics of Sterile Processing. Nancy Chobin. Sterile Processing University. LLC New Jersey, Latest Edition.
- Central Service Technical Manual. N.Lind; J.D. Ninemeier. International Association of Healthcare Central Service Material Management, Latest Edition.

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