



SAUDI BOARD RESIDENCY TRAINING PROGRAM

UROLOGY

Final Examination

Written Examination:

Exam Format:

A Saudi board final specialty written examination shall consist of two papers, each with 100-125 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 a 70% passing rate or a 65% passing score, whichever comes first. Under no circumstances can the passing score be reduced below 65%.





Suggested References:

- Campbell urology 12th edition .
- 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.
- Essentials of Patient Safety, SCHS, Latest Edition.
- Campbell-Walsh-Wein Urology, 13th Edition
by Roger R. Dmochowski, MD, Louis R. Kavoussi, MD, and Craig A. Peters, MD.

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.





Final Written Exam Blueprint Outlines:

| No. | Sections | Percentage |
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| 1 | Anatomy/physiology & pathophysiology | 5% |
| 2 | Basics of Urologic Surgery | 5% |
| 3 | Infections/inflammation | 10% |
| 4 | Reproductive/sexual health | 10% |
| 5 | Urine transport/storage and emptying | 13% |
| 6 | Trauma/ Reconstruction | 10% |
| 7 | Renal failure/transplantation & urolithiasis | 12% |
| 8 | Benign and malignant GU Neoplasm | 12% |
| 9 | Prostate/Adrenal | 11% |
| 10 | Pediatric Urology | 12% |
| Total | | 100% |

¹Anatomy / physiology & pathophysiology

²Renal failure / transplantation & urolithiasis

Notes:

- Blueprint distributions of the examination may differ up to +/-5% in each section.
- 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.

