



Saudi Classification Examination Diagnostic Radiology

EXAMINATION CONTENT GUIDELINE



Blueprint outlines:

Evaluation Item	Sections	Percentage (%)
(200 MCQs, 4 hours)	1. Body Imaging	12%
	2. Neuro Imaging	12%
	3. Head and Neck Imaging	5%
	4. Musculoskeletal Imaging	12%
	5. Chest Imaging	12%
	6. Cardiovascular Imaging	7%
	7. Pediatrics Imaging	12%
	8. Women Imaging	8%
	9. Ethics and Research	5%
	10. Patient Safety	5%
	11. Contrast, Physics and Radiation Safety	10%

Note:**Passing Score**

Registrar: 65%

Senior Registrar: 70%

- **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.**

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