

Saudi Licensing Examinations

Neurology Blueprint

Blueprint outlines

Evaluation Item	Sections	Percentage (%)
(200 MCQs, 4 hours)	1. Cerebrovascular Disorders	15%
	2. Epilepsy and Paroxysmal Disorders	15%
	3. Cognitive Disorders	7%
	4. Movement Disorders	7%
	5. Neuro-Immunological Disorders	7%
	6. Neuro-Infectious Disorders	7%
	7. Neuromuscular Disorders	7%
	8. Cephalgia and Headache Disorders	15%
	9. Neurology of Systemic Diseases ¹	5%
	10. Clinical Neurophysiology	5%
	11. Patient Safety	5%
	12. Professionalism and Ethics	5%
Total		100%

¹Neurology of Systemic Diseases: Includes nutrition, metabolic, etc.

Note:

- Test specifications and content have been reviewed and updated, therefore pass rates are adjusted accordingly.

Passing Score

Registrar: 65%

Senior Registrar: 70%

Above applies to eligibilities issued as of Aug 03, 2020 and beyond.

- Blueprint distributions of the examination may differ up to +/-3% 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:

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4. Localization in Clinical Neurology Sixth Edition, by Paul W. Brazis, MD, Joseph C. Masdeu, MD, PhD, and Joes Biller, MD, FACP, FAAN, FAHA
5. Essentials of Patient Safety, SCHS, Latest Edition
6. 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

Note:

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