



## Saudi Licensing Examinations

### Pediatrics Blueprint

#### Blueprint outlines

| Evaluation Item     | Sections  | Percentage (%) |
|---------------------|---|----------------|
| (200 MCQs, 4 hours) | 1. Growth and Development Adolescent and Behavior | 15%            |
|                     | 2. Gastroenterology                               | 5%             |
|                     | 3. Acute Care (ER, PICU, NICU)                    | 15%            |
|                     | 4. Metabolic and Endocrine                        | 5%             |
|                     | 5. Allergy / Immunology / Infectious Diseases     | 10%            |
|                     | 6. Respiratory                                    | 10%            |
|                     | 7. Cardiovascular                                 | 5%             |
|                     | 8. Hematology / Oncology                          | 5%             |
|                     | 9. Neurology                                      | 10%            |
|                     | 10. Renal / Musculoskeletal                       | 5%             |
|                     | 11. Pediatrics Surgery                            | 5%             |
|                     | 12. Professionalism and Ethics                    | 5%             |
|                     | 13. Patient Safety                                | 5%             |
| <b>Total</b>        |   | <b>100%</b>    |

#### 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 July 20, 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:**

1. Nelson's Textbook of Pediatrics, Kliegman et al., Saunders/Elsevier (Latest Edition)
2. Rudolph's Fundamentals of Pediatrics, Rudolph et al., McGraw-Hill (Latest Edition)
3. Principles and Practice of Pediatrics. , Oski et al Lippincot (Latest Edition)
4. WHO Health Programs, World Health Organization Website
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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