



SAUDI FELLOWSHIP TRAINING PROGRAM

PEDIATRIC RHEUMATOLOGY

Final Written Examination

Examination Format:

A Saudi subspecialty fellowship final written examination shall consist of one paper with 80-120 Single Best Answer MCQs. 10% unscored items can be added for pretesting purposes.

Passing Score:

The passing score is 70%. 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 70% passing rate or 65% passing score whichever comes first. Under no circumstances can the passing score be reduced below 65%.





Suggested References:

- Textbook of Pediatric Rheumatology - 8th Edition

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.





Blueprint Outlines:

No.	Sections	Percentage
1	Basic concepts (Anatomy, Research, drug therapy, Immunology, labs and imaging)	10%
2	Chronic inflammatory Arthritis	17%
3	Systemic Lupus Erythematosus and Antiphospholipid Syndrome	12%
4	Inflammatory myositis & Myopathy	12%
5	Scleroderma and undifferentiated connective tissue diseases	10%
6	Arthritis related to Infections	10%
7	Autoinflammatory diseases	12%
8	Vasculitis & vasculopathy	12%
9	Non-inflammatory musculoskeletal pain	5%
Total		100%

Note:

- 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.
- Research, Ethics, Professionalism and Patient Safety are incorporated within various domains.

