



SAUDI FELLOWSHIP TRAINING PROGRAM

PEDIATRIC ECHOCARDIOGRAPHY

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:

- Echocardiography in Pediatric and Congenital Heart Disease, from Fetus to Adult. ISBN:9780470674642, Wiley 2016
- Echocardiography in Congenital Heart Disease. ISBN-13: 978-1437726961, Elsevier 2012

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	Basics of 2D Echocardiography	20%
2	Basics of Doppler Echocardiography	20%
3	Echocardiographic assessment of congenital cardiac malformation	20%
4	Post-operative Echocardiographic assessment	10%
5	Trans-esophageal Echocardiography	10%
6	Fetal Echocardiography	10%
7	Basic Morphology of the Normal Heart	10%
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.

