

SAUDI BOARD RESIDENCY TRAINING PROGRAM

Prosthodontic

Part One Examination

Examination Format:

1. Part I Examination of Saudi board certificate shall consist of one paper with 150 multiple-choice questions (single best answer out of four options). Up to 10% unscored items can be added for pretesting purposes.
2. If any other assessment format is used, the Central Assessment Committee must agree to its implementation.

Passing Score:

1. The passing score is 65%.
2. If the percentage of candidates passing the exam before final approval is less than 70%, the passing score can be lowered by one mark at a time aiming at achieving 70% passing rate or a score of 60% whichever comes first. Under no circumstances, may the score can be reduced below 60%.

Suggested References:

1- Fixed prosthodontics

- Rosenstiel SF, Land MF. Contemporary Fixed Prosthodontics-E-Book: Elsevier Health Sciences; 2016
- Fixed Prosthodontics literatures 1&2

2- Removable Partial Prosthodontics

- McCracken's Removal Partial Prosthodontics. 13th ed. Amsterdam, The Netherlands: Elsevier; 2015
- Removable Partial Prosthodontics literatures 1&2

3- Complete Denture Prosthodontics

- Zarb GA, Hobkirk J, Eckert S, Jacob R. Prosthodontic Treatment for Edentulous Patients: Complete Dentures and Implant-Supported Protheses. 2013
- Complete Denture Prosthodontics literatures 1&2

4- Occlusion

- Dawson PE. Functional Occlusion: From TMJ to Smile Design. 7th ed. Amsterdam, The Netherlands: Elsevier; 2006
- Occlusion literatures

5- Dental biomaterials

- Anusavice KJ, Shen C, Rawls HR. Phillips' science of dental materials. Elsevier Health Sciences; 2012
- Dental biomaterials literatures

6- Dental Implants

- Misch CE. Contemporary implant dentistry. St-Louis: Mosby Elsevier; 2008.
- Dental Implants literatures 1&2

7- Esthetic dentistry

- Fradeani M. Esthetic Rehabilitation in Fixed Prosthodontics. Hanover Park, IL, USA: Quintessence Publishing Co Inc; 2008

8- Interdisciplinary treatment interrelationship

- Interdisciplinary treatment interrelationship literatures 1&2

9- 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.
- Essentials of Patient Safety, SCHS, Latest Edition.

Note:

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Blueprint Outlines:

No.	Sections	Percentage (%)
1	Basic Science	8%
2	Fixed prosthodontics	15%
3	Removable Partial Prosthodontics	14%
3	Complete Denture Prosthodontics	15%
5	Occlusion	10%
6	Dental biomaterials	10%
7	Dental Implants	11%
8	Aesthetic dentistry	7%
9	Interdisciplinary treatment interrelationship	5%
10	Research, Ethics & Professionalism and patient safety	5%
Total		100%

Note:

- 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.

Example Questions

EXAMPLE OF K2 QUESTIONS

Question 1

Which of the following centric relation recording methods is the most precise?

- A. Chin point guidance
- B. Bilateral manipulation
- C. Swallowing or free closure
- D. Chin point guidance with anterior jig

EXAMPLE OF K1

Question 2



A patient presented to the clinic with severely compromised location and extension of the edentulous areas, abutments required extensive therapy, and reestablishment of the occlusion (see image).

What is the intended PDI classification for this patient?

- A. Class I
- B. Class II
- C. Class III
- D. Class IV