

# Saudi Licensing Examinations

## **Pediatric Surgery Blueprint**

## **Blueprint outlines**

Evaluation Item	Sections	Percentage (%)
(200 MCQs, 4 hours)	1. Principles of Surgery	5%
	2. General Paediatric Surgery	15%
	3. Specific Areas of Paediatric Surgery	5%
	4. Head and Neck	5%
	5. Genitourinary	5%
	6. Thoracic Surgery	15%
	7. Neonatal Surgery	15%
	8. Trauma	10%
	9. Oncology	15%
	10. Patient Safety	5%
	11. Professionalism and Ethics	5%
Total		100%

### 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 June 08, 2022 and beyond.

- 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.



#### **References:**

- 1. Pediatric Surgery by Grosfeld et., Latest Edition.
- 2. Ashcraft Paediatric Surgery, Latest Edition.
- 3. Prem Puri Pediatric Surgery Latest Edition.
- 4. Fundamentals of Pediatric Surgery by Peter Matter, Latest Edition.
- 5. Operative Pediatric Surgery, Lewis Spitz, Latest Edition.
- 6. Principles of Pediatric Surgery by James A O`niell, Latest Edition.
- 7. Professionalism and Ethics, Handbook for Residents, Practical guide, Prof. James Ware, Dr. Abdulaziz Fahad Alkaabba, Dr. Ghaiath MA Hussein, Prof. OmarHasan Kasule, SCFHS, Latest Edition.
- 8. Essentials of Patient Safety, SCHS, Latest Edition.

#### Note:

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