



NIHS FELLOWSHIP TRAINING PROGRAM

Program: Neonatology Subspecialty

Written Examination

Examination Format:

The NIHS Subspecialty Fellowship Written Examination shall consist of one paper with 80-120 single best answer Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs). Up to 10% unscored MCQs can be added for calibration purposes.

Passing Score:

The pass mark in the Final Written Examination will be determined according to the scientific standards and based on reliable practices in assessment.





Suggested References:

- Saudi Commission for Health Specialties, Pediatric curriculum (<https://www.scfhs.org.sa/examinations/TrainingExams/DocLib/Pediatric%20new.pdf>) last access 19/5/2018.
- The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada: Objectives of Training in the Subspecialty of Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine, 2014 (<http://www.royalcollege.ca/cs/groups/public/documents/document/y2vk/mdaw/edisp/tztest3rcpsced000916.pdf>) last access 19/5/2018.
- The Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada: Subspecialty Training Requirements in Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine, 2014 (<http://www.royalcollege.ca/cs/groups/public/documents/document/y2vk/mdaw/edisp/tztest3rcpsced000671.pdf>) last access 19/5/2018.
- WHO Report-Health Indicators, 2016 (<http://www.who.int/gho/publications/worldhealthstatistics/en/>) last access 20/5/2018.
- Manual for the McMaster Neonatal Perinatal Fellowship Program, Division of Neonatology, Department of Pediatrics at McMaster Children's Hospital (<http://macneonatal.ca/>) last access 20/5/2018.
- Avery's Diseases of the Newborn-10th Edition.
- Fanaroff and Martin's Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine: Diseases of the Fetus and Infant, (Current Therapy in Neonatal-Perinatal Medicine) 10th Edition.
- Gordon Avery, Pathophysiology of disease of newborn.
- Rennie & Robertson's Textbook of Neonatology-5th Edition.
- Neonatology-7th Edition





Note

This list is intended for use as a study aid only. NIHS does not intend the list to imply endorsement of these specific references, nor are the exam questions necessarily taken solely from these sources.

Blueprint Outline

No.	Sections	Percentage
1	Respiratory	13%
2	Cardiovascular	7%
3	Maternal Fetal Medicine, Asphyxia and Resuscitation	13%
4	Genetics, Metabolic and Orthopedic	6%
5	Nutrition	7%
6	Endocrine and Skin	8%
7	Renal and Eye / Ear	6%
8	Gastroenterology	5%
9	Immunology and Infections	7%
10	Hematology and Bilirubin	9%
11	Neurology	8%
12	Statistic and Research	6%
13	Pharmacology, Ethics, Professionalism and Patient	5%
	Total	100%





Note

- Blueprint distributions of the examination may differ up to +/-5% in each section.
- Percentages and content are subject to change at any time. See the NIHS website for the most up-to-date information.
- Research, Ethics, Professionalism, and Patient Safety are incorporated within various domains.
- Results will be published within 14 business days following the last date of your examination

Confidentiality

- Electronic devices are NOT permitted.
- Communication with other candidates during the evaluation is prohibited.

