

Dental Specialty Fellowship Examinations – Part 1 Exam Specification

Specialty	Restorative Dentistry
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The examination will have 180 Single Best Answer (SBA) questions, split equally across two two-hour papers of 90 questions each. On average, candidates will therefore have 1.5 minutes (90 seconds) to read and complete each question.

The questions are spread across the syllabus and will be divided into topics as follows. The question order will be randomised for each candidate. The weighting range indicates the number of potential questions for each topic. For example, a weighting range of 8-12 indicates that you will be asked between 8 and 12 questions on that topic in an examination diet.

	Topic	Weighting range
1.	History Taking and Examination	10 – 20
2.	Clinical Investigation and Imaging	10 – 20
3.	Diagnosis and Development of Treatment Strategies	5 – 20
4.	Health Promotion	5 – 8
5.	Dental Implants	10 – 20
6.	Multi-disciplinary Management	5 – 25
7.	Multidisciplinary Management of Hypodontia	5 – 25
8.	Multidisciplinary Management of Head and Neck Cancer	5 – 25
9.	Multidisciplinary Management of Dentofacial Trauma	5 – 20
10.	Multidisciplinary Management of Developmental Disorders	5 – 20
11.	Multidisciplinary Management of Cleft Lip and Palate, Craniofacial Conditions and Congenital Defects	5 – 25
12.	Management of Endodontic Conditions	5 – 15
13.	Management of Prosthodontic Conditions	5 – 15
14.	Management of Periodontic Conditions	5 – 15