

## SCE in Endocrinology & Diabetes Blueprint

Candidates are tested on a wide range of common and important disorders as set out in the syllabus of the curriculum.

The composition of the paper is as follows:

| Topic   | Number of questions* |
|---|----------------------|
| Diabetes mellitus (diagnosis and general management, delivery of diabetes care) | 28                   |
| Diabetic emergencies and management during acute illness/surgery                | 12                   |
| Complications of diabetes   | 28                   |
| Hypothalamus and pituitary  | 20                   |
| Thyroid   | 36                   |
| Adrenal   | 20                   |
| Gonads  | 24                   |
| Parathyroid/calcium   | 16                   |
| ^Other  | 16                   |
| <b>Total</b>  | <b>200</b>           |

\* This should be taken as an indication of the likely number of questions – the actual number may vary slightly.

The questions in each category are distributed across both papers.

^ Other is made up of the following topics:

Appetite/weight  
Genetic  
Miscellaneous conditions

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