

ARIZ EXAMS MRCOG PART 2 ONLINE COURSE Information about Part 2 from RCOG & Reading List

As Per Updated Curriculum of RCOG in 2019
ARIZ EXAMS ONLINE MRCOG PART 2 COURSE
FROM 21 FEBRUARY to 01 JULY 2020

(For 7 July 2020 Part 2 Exam)

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85% pass rate in first attempt

All modules follow new RCOG curriculum.

GTG,NICE,SIP,TOG,OGRM,EBM,PIL covered

Total sessions 25

Duration: 3 to 4 hours (each session)

Quizzes (as per topic), 2 Mock Exams,

Access to around 300 EMQs & 600 SBAs based on RCOG's new curriculum after 2019 and updated material

Access to recordings till next day of exam in July 2020

A dynamic course covering all aspects of preparation.

Teach to pass approach

Effective time management, to the point information and no unnecessary details to save time and revise material

Past papers covered with emphasis on hot topics

Participants are exposed to a large variety of clinical cases to be ready for real exam.

Module details included

Active participation and preparation encouraged

Feedback provided

Active participation and recommended reading and links provided

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Tentative MRCOG Part 2 Course Plan

Week	Date	Module
1	February 21,2020	General gynaecology, menstrual disorders, menopause
2	February 28,2020	Early pregnancy complications
3	March 7, 2020	Subfertility
4	March 14,2020	Urogynaecology, pelvic organ prolapse
5	March 21,2020	Gynaecological oncology
6	March28,2020	Sexual and reproductive health
7	April 4,2020	Contraception
8	April 11,2020	Antenatal care
9	April18,2020	Maternal medicine
10	April25,2020	Fetal medicine
11	May 02 ,2020	Labour and delivery
12	May 09 ,2020	Obstetric emergencies & neonatal care
13	May 16,2020	Postnatal care
14	May 23,2020	Preoperative and postoperative care
15	May 30,2020	Clinical research, teaching, biostatistics and ethics
16	June 6,2020	Important ToG topics
17	June 13,2020	Infections in OB/GYN
18	June 20,2020	Non-technical skills
19	June 30,2020	Mock exam -7 hours duration .under exam conditions

MRCOG Part 2 Written Exam

Link: <https://www.rcog.org.uk/en/careers-training/mrcog-exams/part-2-mrcog/>

Changes in MRCOG Exams

- Six attempts
- Can be taken immediately after passing MRCOG Part 1
- No assessment of training required for Part 2 now it is essential for taking Part 3.

Remember: It is strongly recommended that candidates regularly visit RCOG website regularly for changes if any.

Exam Dates: Tuesday 7 July 2020

Applications

Booking applications open on Thursday 27 February 2020

Booking applications close at 4pm (UK time) on Thursday 23 April 2020

Exam: Tuesday 26 January 2021

Applications

Booking applications open on Thursday 17 September 2020

Booking applications close at 4pm (UK time) on Thursday 15 October 2020

Calendar Link: <https://www.rcog.org.uk/en/careers-training/mrcog-exams/part-2-mrcog/exam-calendar/>

Exam Format: Types of Questions

EMQs: extended matching questions 60 percent of the marks

SBA: single best answer questions 40 percent of the marks

Link: <https://www.rcog.org.uk/en/careers-training/mrcog-exams/part-2-mrcog/format/>

Question papers: Two questions papers

Duration: 3 hours each

Each paper counts for the same amount of marks (50% Paper 1 / 50% Paper 2).

Exam day:

Paper 1: Gynaecology
 Duration: 3 hours (180 minutes)
 Questions: 50 SBAs & 50 EMQs

Lunch break: 30 minutes

Paper 1: Obstetrics
 Duration: 3 hours (180 minutes)
 Questions: 50 SBAs & 50 EMQs

Modules

EMQ Paper 1 tests you on Modules 5, 6, 7, 13-18 i.e. Gynaecology

EMQ Paper 2 tests you on Modules 2, 3, 8-12 i.e. Obstetrics plus Teaching, Research, Governance etc.

Know MRCOG Part 2 modules and divide your revision accordingly as you will be tested in all of them. Visit RCOG website for all information about Part 2 and the modules:

<https://www.rcog.org.uk/en/careers-training/mrcog-exams/part-2-mrcog/>

Modules*	Knowledge Area	Modules*	Knowledge Area
1	Clinical skills	12	Postpartum problems
2,3	Teaching and Research, IT, CG	13	Gynaecological problems
5	Core surgical skills	14	Subfertility
6	Postoperative care	15	Sexual and reproductive health
8	Antenatal care	16	Early pregnancy care
9	Maternal medicine	17	Gynaecological oncology
10	Management of labour	18	Urogynaecology & pelvic floor problems
11	Management of delivery		

* Expect slight variation

How to attempt question SBAs and EMQs in the question papers

RCOG suggest “spending 70 minutes on the SBA paper and 110 minutes on the EMQ paper”.

SBAs are typically given as single stand alone questions: you read the question, pick the ‘single best answer’ and then move on to the next question which will probably be a new question on a different topic.

For SBA obstetrics and gynaecology question formats visit given RCOG link showing 10 practice questions each:

10 SBAs Obstetrics

<https://www.rcog.org.uk/globalassets/documents/careers-and-training/mrcog-exam/part-2/sample-sba-questions-obstetrics.pdf>

10 SBAs Gynaecology

<https://www.rcog.org.uk/globalassets/documents/careers-and-training/mrcog-exam/part-2/sample-sba-questions---gynaecology.pdf>

SBAs are easier than EMQs. Since SBAs account for less marks it maybe recommend you do the SBAs first and use all of the remaining time to concentrate on the EMQs.

EMQs, in contrast, tend to be given in sets of three. They have a lead in which is relevant for all three questions. The same is true for the options, which do not change. Whilst more work is required when starting a new set of EMQs once you have invested time in looking at the options this will help with the next couple of questions. MRCOG Part 2 EMQs example questions are available on the given college link:

<https://www.rcog.org.uk/en/careers-training/mrcog-exams/part-2-mrcog/format/emqs/>



Time management

Keep checking the clock as you will be without a watch and make sure you move on to the EMQs as soon as 70 minutes have passed.

Answering SBAs

For each Paper, the SBA answer sheet is numbered 1–50.

Each question in the question booklet consists of:

A lead-in statement, which tells you clearly what to do

A list of 5 options in alphabetical / numerical order labelled A–E

Choose the single best answer from the options list: there may be several possible answers but you must choose the most likely one

Answering EMQs: Explained to the course students

Incorrect answers are not penalized

What is the pass mark?

There is no fix pass marks. It varies from exam to exam. The RCOG use modified Angoff method for the EMQ to determine a threshold or cut-off mark that needs to be achieved to pass. The cut-offs are legally defensible if derived from psychometrically advanced methods and are commonly used for competence-based exams such as the MRCOG. Consultants, or subject-matter experts (SMEs), examine the content of each question and then estimate how many 'minimally-qualified candidates' would answer it correctly. The pass mark is determined from an average of their scores. However, the cut-offs from the most recent exams show the average pass mark could be 65% for the EMQs. This means you only need to get 2 of every 3 correct as EMQs are split into sets of 3's in each section.

Important lessons

Answer all questions as no negative marking for wrong answers

Allow time for all questions as all questions carry equal marks

A smart candidate is likely to answer easier questions correctly as the pass mark will be higher in these.

Previous exam analysis show that many candidates get their highest marks on the questions they know the least about and drop marks on the easier questions.

Try to solve SBAs first so that you have more time to answer the EMQs which typically require more time to solve as pointed out by the RCOG itself.

Recommended reading list and links for MRCOG Part 2 students:

1. Your Essential Revision Guide by Lisa Joels & Edmund Neale

2. RCOG Resources

Greentop: <https://www.rcog.org.uk/en/guidelines-research-services/guidelines/>

TOG: <https://www.rcog.org.uk/en/guidelines-research-services/tog/>

Nice: <https://www.rcog.org.uk/en/about-us/nga/guidelines/>

PILs: <https://www.rcog.org.uk/en/patients/patient-leaflets/>

Online resources <https://elearning.rcog.org.uk/tutorials/exam-preparation/part-3-mrcog/part-3-mrcog-online-resource>

Free Videos: <https://elearning.rcog.org.uk/tutorials/exam-preparation/part-3-mrcog/free-sample-video-part-3-mrcog-online-resource>

Consent Guidelines: <https://www.rcog.org.uk/en/guidelines-research-services/guidelines/?q=&subject=&type=Consent+Advice&orderby=datedesc>

Clinical Governance Advice: <https://www.rcog.org.uk/en/guidelines-research-services/guidelines/?q=&subject=&type=Clinical+Governance+Advice&orderby=datedesc>

MRCOG Part 2 FAQs

<https://www.rcog.org.uk/en/careers-training/mrcog-exams/part-2-mrcog/part-2-mrcog-faqs/>

Finally, Ariz Exams can help you pass the exam with its carefully prepared material which give you enough time to revise the course. We therefore look forward to you to join our course.