

THE ROYAL COLLEGE WRITTEN EXAMS: HOW TO PASS AND HOW TO USE THE E-LEARNING PORTAL

The only way to pass the written exams:

The purpose of the e-learning portal is to assist trainees with their written exams. This portal will allow trainees to gain exclusive access to online companies such as onexamination.com and medical-masterclass.com, which have online question banks containing thousands of mock questions. It is impossible to pass the written exams by reading text books only: the Royal Colleges ask certain questions that textbooks often fail to answer. The only way to pass is to answer at least 2,000 practice questions. When you get a question wrong, do not go to the next question. Look in a book, go online, and find out why you got the question wrong and why the right answer is the right answer. This is the only way to pass

How to access the learning portal:

Once you have made the decision to take the Royal College exams, please contact Dr Edward Luka +249912925346 at the South Sudan Doctors Association (SoSDA) or email sosda.sudan@yahoo.com. Then follow the following steps:

1) A deposit of BP £80 or USD \$131 or SSP 390 will be required. This should be paid into the following account:

South Sudan Medical Journal, Equity Bank

Account numbers : (SSP) 2001211149150 (USD) 2001211149151

2) Once this is done, show Dr Luka or provide SSMJ with copy of the deposit as proof. Then email the SSMJ on david@southsudanmedicaljournal.com.

3) The South Sudan Medical Journal (SSMJ) will then give you a password to use for onexamination.com. This will last for six months and gives access to the following mock exam questions:

- MRCGP
- MRCP Part 1 and 2 written
- MRCS Part 1 and 2
- MRCPCH Part 1 A and B
- MRCPCH Part 2
- MRCOG Part 1 and 2
- FRCA Primary
- FRCR Part 1

Please note: 1 password = one exam. Furthermore, you will also be given the password to medical-masterclass.com which houses further questions for the MRCP part 1 and part 2 written. This password will last for one year.

4) Log on to www.southsudanmedicaljournal.com and click on the e-learning portal and then choose the hyperlink that you wish to go to. In the case of onexamination.com:

a) click on Find my exam' box, and click 'Go'.

b) select the 6 month subscription length from the drop down list and click the 'Buy Now' button

c) Give your email address and password to register. At the checkout page, fill in your name and address details. Towards the top of this page, there is a box labelled: 'voucher code'. Enter your code and click the 'Submit Code' button. If the code is valid, the total price will change to £0.00.

d) Tick the 'I accept' box, then click the yellow 'Place order now' button.

5) Once you have been accepted to the Royal College exam, if you show proof of this to SSMJ/SoSDA, you will be refunded 50% of the fee you gave us as a goodwill gesture (£40 or \$65 or SSP 195).

We hope that you find this service useful. Good luck for the exams.