Diploma in Dental and Maxillofacial Radiology

Suggested Reading List

The Diploma in Dental and Maxillofacial Radiology (DDMFR) Examination Board considers that the following publications are among the more helpful available for DDMFR Examination candidates. The list applies to current editions. It is clearly not appropriate that the whole of every book should be read. The list has been prepared as a guide for candidates and their trainers. It is appreciated that trainers may also recommend other suitable titles.

Dental Anatomy and Radiography

- *Oral Radiology: Principles and Interpretation* – White & Pharoah (Mosby)
- *An Atlas of Dental Radiographic Anatomy* – Kasle (Saunders)
- *Essentials of Dental Radiography and Radiology* – Whaites (Churchill Livingstone)
- *Diagnostic Imaging of the Jaws* – Langlais, Langland & Nortje (Lippincott Williams & Wilkins)
- *Panoramic Radiology* – Langland (Lea & Febiger)
- *Principles of Dental Imaging* – Langland, Langlais & Preece (Lippincott Williams & Wilkins)

General Anatomy

- *Anatomy for Diagnostic Imaging* – Ryan, McNicholas & Eust (Saunders)
- *Clinical Anatomy* – Ellis (Blackwell Science)

General Radiography

- *Diagnostic Radiography* – Bryan (Harcourt)

Radiological Techniques, Contrast Media and Drugs


Physics, Photography and Apparatus

- *Physics for Medical Imaging* – Farr, Roberts & Weir (Bailliere Tindall)
- *Christensen’s Physics of Diagnostic Radiology* – Curry, Dowdey & Murry (Lea & Febiger)
- *Fundamentals of Radiographic Photography* (Kodak)

Radiation Biology, Radiation Hazards and Protection

- *Radiation Protection of Patients* – Wootton (Cambridge University Press)
- *Guidelines for the Use of Radiographs in Clinical Orthodontics* – Isaacson & Thom (British Orthodontic Society)
- *Selection Criteria for Dental Radiography* (Faculty of Dental Practitioners)
- *The Ionising Radiation (Medical Exposure) Regulations 2000* (The Stationery Office)
- *The Ionising Radiations Regulations 1999* (The Stationery Office)
- *Guidance Notes for Dental Practitioners on the Safe Use of X-Ray Equipment* (National Radiological Protection Board)
- *Notes on Ionising Radiation: Biological Effects, Quantities, Dose Limits and Regulations* – Hughes (H&H Scientific Consultants)
- *Radiation Protection 136: European Guidelines on Radiation Protection in Dental Radiology – The Safe Use of Radiographs in Dental Practice* (The European Commission)
Quality Control

- Assurance of Quality in the Diagnostic X-Ray Department – Garrett, Gifford, Harvey & Goddard (Butterworth Heinemann)

Radioisotopes and Nuclear Medicine

- Essentials of Nuclear Medicine – Merrick (Springer-Verlag & Heidelberg)
- Clinical Nuclear Medicine – Britton, Maisey, Collier & Siraj (Hodder Arnold)

Ultrasound

- Practical Head and Neck Ultrasound – Ahuja & Evans (Greenwich Medical Media Ltd)

Magnetic Resonance Imaging

- Understanding Magnetic Resonance Imaging – Newhouse & Wiener (Lippincott Williams & Wilkins)

Head and Neck Imaging

- Handbook of Head and Neck Imaging – Harnsberger (Mosby)
- Grainger and Allison’s Diagnostic Radiology: A Textbook of Medical Imaging – Grainger, Allison, Adam & Dixon (Churchill Livingstone)
- Head and Neck Imaging – Som & Curtin (Mosby)
- Fractures of the Facial Skeleton – Banks & Brown (Wright)
- Cysts of the Oral Region – Shear (Butterworth Heinemann)