First Examination for the Fellowship in Clinical Oncology

Instructions for Candidates

Please read, and comply with, the instructions below. Listen carefully to the oral announcement made by the invigilator and follow the instructions given.

**Cancer Biology & Radiobiology and Physics:** You are allowed 2½ hours to answer all the Single Best Answer (SBA) questions for each of these subjects.

**Clinical Pharmacology and Medical Statistics:** You are allowed 2 hours to answer all the SBA questions for each of these subjects.

- You will be provided with a question paper (in booklet form) and a separate answer sheet.
- Write your candidate number on the question paper in the space provided.
- If a separate diagram sheet is provided, write your candidate number in the space provided.
- Your answer sheet will be marked by computer. You must follow these instructions to ensure your sheet is acceptable and that your responses can be read and scored:
  - Only use pencil on the answer sheet. Use firm pressure. Amend any mistakes carefully using an eraser and avoid making smudges. Follow the guidance on the answer sheet about how to mark your answers.
  - Write your name in the space at the top right hand corner of the answer sheet.
  - Write your candidate number in the space at the top right hand corner of the answer sheet and also complete the appropriate boxes to represent your candidate number.
  - Mark the answer sheet in the space provided to the left of the title of the subject that you are sitting.
  - For each question indicate the item that you think represents the best answer by marking one of the [ A ] [ B ] [ C ] [ D ] [ E ] lozenges.
  - You should answer all questions. The examination is not negatively marked. Incorrect responses will be awarded a score of zero.
  - Do not bend, crease or fold the answer sheet.
  - If you indicate your answers on the question paper in the first instance, ensure you leave yourself enough time to transfer these to the answer sheet. You will not be given extra time to do this. Answers written on the question paper will not be marked.
The answer sheet will accommodate up to 50 questions. For Cancer Biology & Radiobiology and Physics you should enter a response in each of the rows. For Clinical Pharmacology and Medical Statistics you should leave rows 41-50 blank.

At the end of the examination, hand your question paper and answer sheet to the invigilator.

Candidates will be disqualified for the following:

- attempting to make a copy of, or transmit, any examination materials
- being found with any electronic device during the examination
- refusing to stop writing after the examination has ended