



The American Board of Oral & Maxillofacial Radiology

Resources for Candidates

Purpose

The American Board of Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology has developed the following list of resources with input from Oral and Maxillofacial Radiology Program Directors, to assist candidates challenging the ABOMR certifying examination.

Some of the material covered in these references is outside the scope of the ABOMR certifying examination. Conversely, the listed resources do not necessarily cover the entire scope of the examination, nor should it be implied that any topic not explicitly covered by these resources may not appear on an examination. Candidates are encouraged to verify if a later version of any listed reference has been published. Candidates who use this resource list should do so in conjunction with the *ABOMR Study Guide for Candidates* in order to assist their preparation for the certifying examination.

General Radiology Textbook

The ABOMR considers the following textbook to be comprehensive, written at the predoctoral level, and to present the basic essentials of oral and maxillofacial radiology. This textbook forms the basis of knowledge for the *Specialty-Level Radiology Textbooks* that follow.

Oral Radiology Principles and Interpretation, 6th Edition.
SC White and MJ Pharoah, Mosby, 2009.

Specialty-Level Radiology Textbooks

The ABOMR considers the following textbooks as representative of the specialty-level knowledge expected of an Oral and Maxillofacial Radiologist.

Head and Neck Radiology (2 volumes), A. A. Mancuso, W. N. Hanafee,
Lippincott, Williams & Wilkins, 2010.

Color Atlas of Cone Beam Volumetric Imaging for Dental Applications, DA Miles,
Quintessence, 2008.

Cone-beam Volumetric Imaging in Dental, Oral and Maxillofacial Medicine-Fundamentals, Diagnosis and Treatment Planning, JE Zoller, J Neugebauer, Quintessence, 2008.

Christensen's Physics of Diagnostic Radiology, 4th Edition.
TS Curry, JE Dowdey and RC Murry, Jr, Lippincott, 1990.

Radiologic Science for Technologists – Physics, Biology and Protection, 8th Edition
SC Bushong, Mosby, 2008.

Valvassori's Imaging of the Head and Neck, 2nd Edition
Mafee, Valvassori and Becker, Thieme Medical Publishers, 2005

The Essential Physics of Medical Imaging, 2nd Edition
JT Bushberg, JA Seibert, EM Leidholdt, Jr, and JM Boone, Lippincott, 2001.

Radiobiology for the Radiologist, 6th Edition.
EJ Hall, Lippincott, 2006.

Radiation Protection in Dentistry
NCRP Report No. 145
NCRP Press, 2003

Head and Neck Imaging, 5th Edition
PM Som and HD Curtin, Mosby, 2011.

Diagnostic Imaging : Head and Neck, 2nd Edition
R Harnsberger, C Glastonbury, M Michel and B Koch, Lippincott, 2010.

Atlas of Normal Roentgen Variants That May Simulate Disease, 8th Edition
TE Keats and MW Anderson, Mosby, 2006.

Oral Pathology Textbook

The ABOMR considers the following textbook as representative of the level of knowledge expected of an Oral and Maxillofacial Radiologist in oral and maxillofacial pathology.

Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology, 3rd Edition.
BW Neville, DD Damm, CM Allen and JE Bouquot, Saunders, 2008.

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