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Introduction



BMJ OnExamination

BMJ OnExamination is an online learning and revision tool designed to support medical students' study practice by identifying areas of strength and weakness. It is one of the most experienced and effective learning support systems available for medical students today.

How BMJ OnExamination can help you

BMJ OnExamination is divided into resources for those studying in their early years of medical school (years 1-3) and those studying later on (years 4-5), with revision content varying appropriately for each year.

Years 1-3 resource: Focuses on the areas of integration of basic sciences and clinical medicine covered in the early years of medical school

Years 4-5 resource: Designed for the later years in medical school, this has all the material across all specialties including data interpretation and clinical images.

The site features adaptive learning which personalises the website to your educational needs. This effective revision tool means you can analyse your performance and quickly realise areas of weakness where you may need to turn your focus.

This guide will take you through the many useful features and functions of BMJ OnExamination to help you get the most out of the website.

Getting Started

FIRST TIME USERS

First time users need to enter the voucher code provided by their institution into the 'Got an institutional access code?' box.

This code must be entered within the IP range of your institution.

You will then be given the option to choose your own personal login username and password.

Once this process is completed you can use your personal login username and password anywhere; at home, remotely and from your institution. You will not need the voucher code again.

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This comprehensive collection of questions is written by medical experts to cover topics in medicine, surgery, obstetrics and gynaecology, paediatric, psychiatry and other specialities.

It is designed for medical students and junior medical staff to guide their learning and identify areas of strength and weakness.

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I agree to the Managed Account [terms and conditions](#) and [privacy policy](#) and understand certain personal data may be passed to my institution/employer.

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Getting Started

EXISTING USERS

- Simply sign in by clicking the 'Sign in to my account' link on the homepage.
- Enter the e-mail address and memorable password you chose during the initial registration process.
- Then click the 'Continue' button.

You will be taken directly to the 'Welcome' page on the 'Dashboard' section where you can view and practice your appropriate resource.

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Your revision course(s)

- ▶ Int Med Student Years 1 to 3 - Expires 02/09/2009
- ▶ Int Med Student Years 4 to 5 - Expires 02/09/2009

How would you like to revise today?

- **Work Smart** - use our revolutionary adaptive learning to help you increase your learning ability.
- **Work Hard** - we will serve you up every question in the database for your chosen revision course, one after another.
- **Mock Exams/Real Papers** - Sit timed mock exams created by our highly experienced authors, or [create your own!](#)

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Key Features

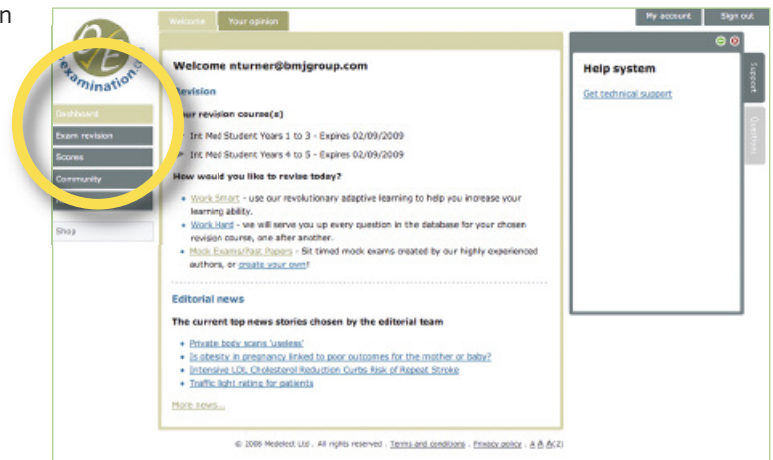
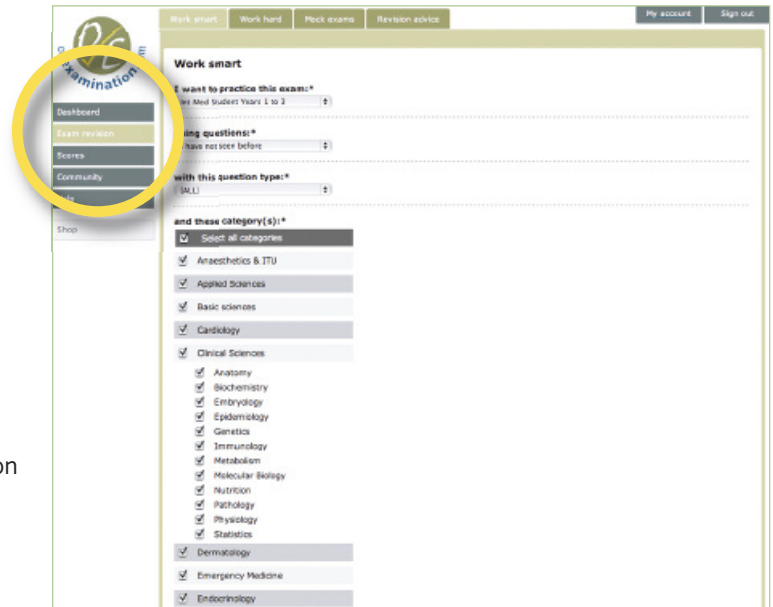
BMJ OnExamination provides a number of learning tools and revision methods to meet your educational needs.

REVISION METHODS

- Work Smart – Select exam questions by curriculum
- Work Hard – Work your way systematically through case problems
- Mock Exams – Test yourself under exam style conditions

These revision methods can be found by clicking on the 'Exam Revision' tab and then selecting the required revision method on the toolbar.

You can also access these revision methods when you first log in to the 'Dashboard' section.



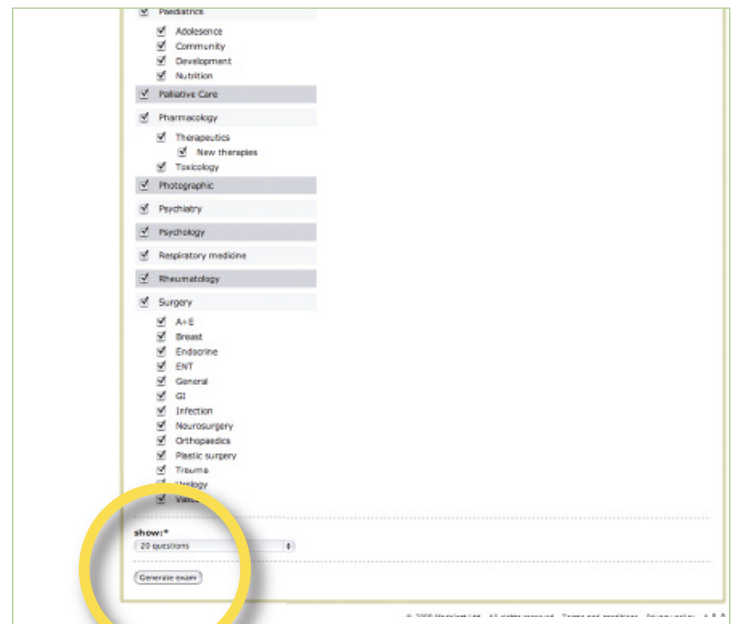
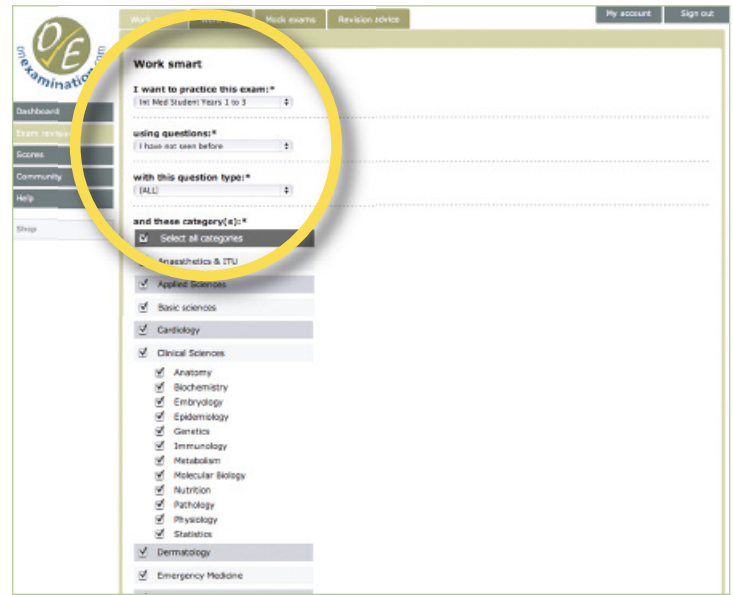
Creating and Answering Questions

CREATING QUESTIONS: WORKING SMART

BMJ OnExamination acts as a personal trainer to target revision in specific areas of the medical taxonomy.

It features four different question types. These include:

- Extended matching questions (EMQ)
 - Multiple choice questions (MCQ)
 - Short answer questions (SAQ)
 - Single best answer (SBA)
- To start your resource click the '**Exam Revision**' tab on the side toolbar and select a revision method.
 - Select the exam and question type you would like to study from the drop-down list.
 - On the second drop-down list you can choose to use all questions available or only questions that you have not used before. This ensures that you will never have to repeat questions.
 - Choose the subject areas you would like to revise by selecting the appropriate boxes. You can choose to study all of the categories or pick individual subjects.
 - Select how many questions you would like on the dropdown list. Finally, click the '**Generate exam**' button to begin your resource.



Creating and Answering Questions

ANSWERING QUESTIONS

BMJ OnExamination is a learning resource that teaches you while you practice.

The site provides immediate feedback to questions answered. The interactive case problems are marked as you proceed, providing answers, explanations and further reading.

- Select an answer from the list and click the 'Mark' button to see whether you have answered correctly.
- Click 'Next Question' to progress through your revision questions.

Work smart: Medical Student
Question: 19 of 30
This 19-year-old woman presents complaining of painful legs.

What is the diagnosis?
(Please select an option)

- Erythema multiforme
- Pyoderma gangrenosum
- Henoch-Schönlein purpura
- Erythema nodosum
- Kaposi's sarcoma

Mark

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Work smart: Medical Student
Question: 19 of 30 / Overall score: 52%
This 19-year-old woman presents complaining of painful legs.

What is the diagnosis?
(Please select an option)

- Erythema multiforme
- Pyoderma gangrenosum
- Henoch-Schönlein purpura
- Erythema nodosum ✓ Correct
- Kaposi's sarcoma

Next question

Rate this question

Statistics
Average score: 77.48%
Times answered: 1994
Option analysis

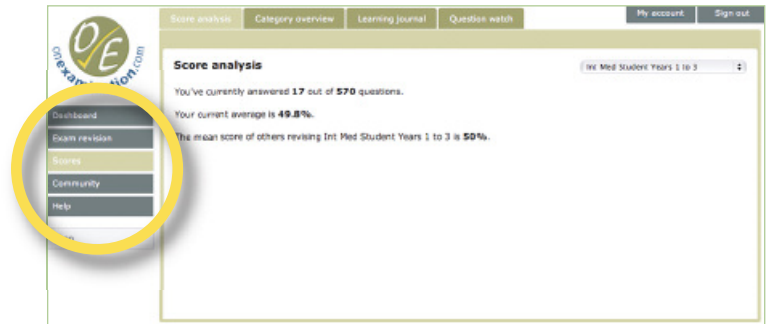
Option	Percentage
1	13%
2	3%
3	6%
4	78%
5	0%

Scores

FEEDBACK AND ANALYSIS

BMJ OnExamination also provides detailed analysis and feedback of your progress. By selecting the 'Scores' tab on the sidebar you can understand how many questions you have answered correctly, discover your average score and view how you compare to other users.

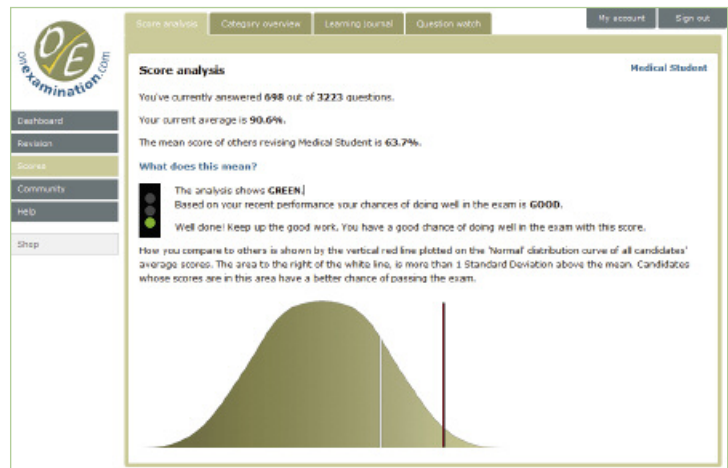
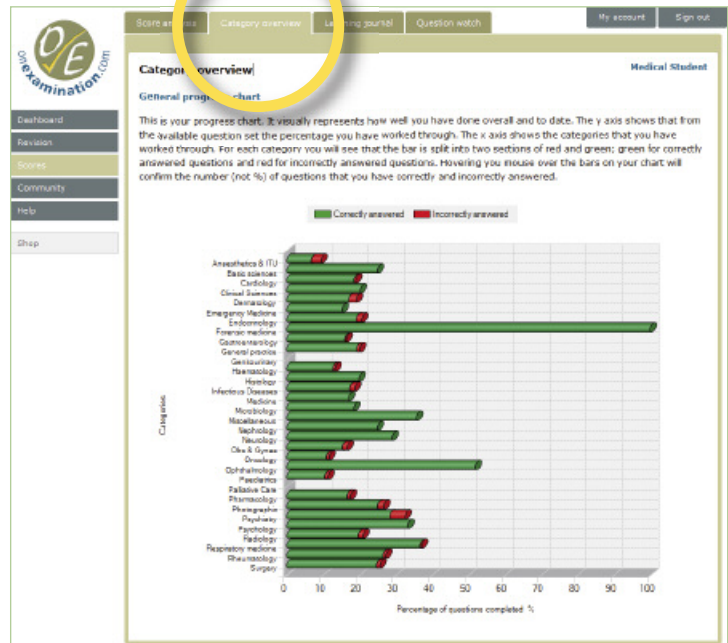
These scores and comparisons against your peers will provide a good indication of your progress and define the areas where you are most competent.



Scores

Use the navigational tabs on the top toolbar to view the various features providing feedback of your performance. Click on the 'Category overview' tab to view charts with analysis of your 'Current performance' and 'General progress'.

The General Progress Charts provide you with the number of case problems you have answered correctly or incorrectly. They highlight your areas of strength and weakness so that you can save future study time by focusing on specific areas relevant to your educational needs.

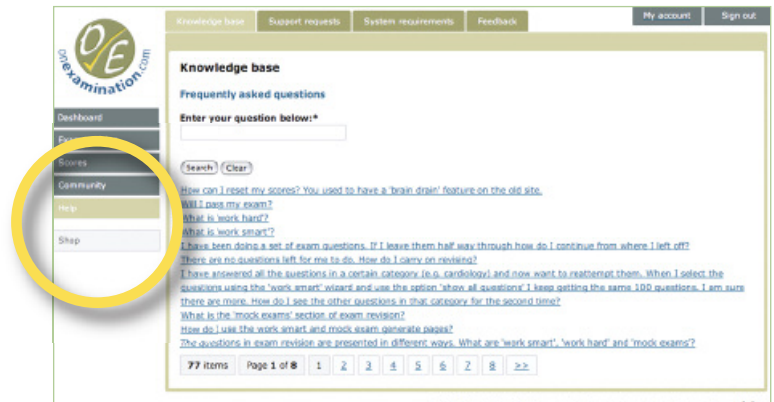
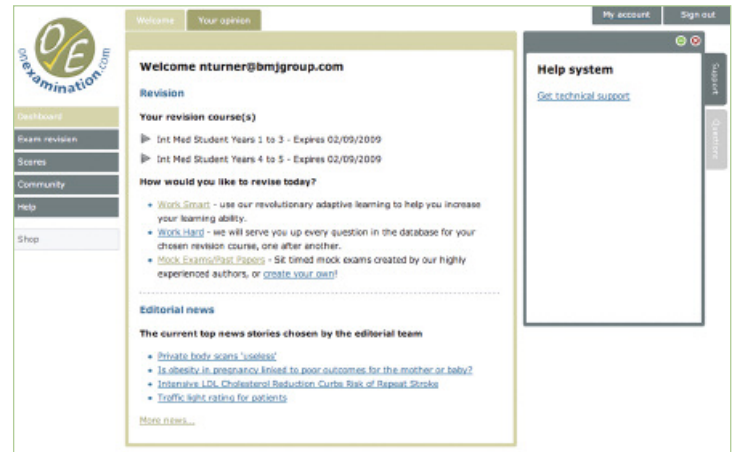


Other features

HELP

BMJ OnExamination features an in-built support system to ensure that your learning goes smoothly.

By clicking on the 'Help' tab you will also find a range of additional support features. These include 'Knowledge Base' – FAQ's, 'Support Requests', 'System Requirements' and 'Feedback' – a customer survey to help improve BMJ OnExamination.





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