

# CDC Services 7-Level Block 4 Practice Test (Sample)

## Study Guide



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# Introduction

Preparing for a certification exam can feel overwhelming, but with the right tools, it becomes an opportunity to build confidence, sharpen your skills, and move one step closer to your goals. At Examzify, we believe that effective exam preparation isn't just about memorization, it's about understanding the material, identifying knowledge gaps, and building the test-taking strategies that lead to success.

This guide was designed to help you do exactly that.

Whether you're preparing for a licensing exam, professional certification, or entry-level qualification, this book offers structured practice to reinforce key concepts. You'll find a wide range of multiple-choice questions, each followed by clear explanations to help you understand not just the right answer, but why it's correct.

The content in this guide is based on real-world exam objectives and aligned with the types of questions and topics commonly found on official tests. It's ideal for learners who want to:

- Practice answering questions under realistic conditions,
- Improve accuracy and speed,
- Review explanations to strengthen weak areas, and
- Approach the exam with greater confidence.

We recommend using this book not as a stand-alone study tool, but alongside other resources like flashcards, textbooks, or hands-on training. For best results, we recommend working through each question, reflecting on the explanation provided, and revisiting the topics that challenge you most.

Remember: successful test preparation isn't about getting every question right the first time, it's about learning from your mistakes and improving over time. Stay focused, trust the process, and know that every page you turn brings you closer to success.

Let's begin.

# How to Use This Guide

**This guide is designed to help you study more effectively and approach your exam with confidence. Whether you're reviewing for the first time or doing a final refresh, here's how to get the most out of your Examzify study guide:**

## 1. Start with a Diagnostic Review

**Skim through the questions to get a sense of what you know and what you need to focus on. Your goal is to identify knowledge gaps early.**

## 2. Study in Short, Focused Sessions

**Break your study time into manageable blocks (e.g. 30 - 45 minutes). Review a handful of questions, reflect on the explanations.**

## 3. Learn from the Explanations

**After answering a question, always read the explanation, even if you got it right. It reinforces key points, corrects misunderstandings, and teaches subtle distinctions between similar answers.**

## 4. Track Your Progress

**Use bookmarks or notes (if reading digitally) to mark difficult questions. Revisit these regularly and track improvements over time.**

## 5. Simulate the Real Exam

**Once you're comfortable, try taking a full set of questions without pausing. Set a timer and simulate test-day conditions to build confidence and time management skills.**

## 6. Repeat and Review

**Don't just study once, repetition builds retention. Re-attempt questions after a few days and revisit explanations to reinforce learning. Pair this guide with other Examzify tools like flashcards, and digital practice tests to strengthen your preparation across formats.**

**There's no single right way to study, but consistent, thoughtful effort always wins. Use this guide flexibly, adapt the tips above to fit your pace and learning style. You've got this!**

## **Questions**

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- 1. To obtain a roster of deployed personnel assigned, services personnel should work closely with whom?**
  - A. PERSCO**
  - B. Logistics Operations**
  - C. Deployment Control Center**
  - D. Human Resources**
  
- 2. Which term refers to the assessment of personnel assignments during deployments?**
  - A. Force Support**
  - B. PERSCO**
  - C. Deployment Coordination**
  - D. Personnel Management**
  
- 3. What is the recommended action regarding tent swapping at a contingency site?**
  - A. It should be allowed at all times**
  - B. It should be closely monitored**
  - C. It should be prohibited unless coordinated**
  - D. It should be coordinated through any member**
  
- 4. What is the classification of the BSP Part II related to?**
  - A. Different from existing plans**
  - B. Same level as the operation plan it supports**
  - C. Higher than the operation plan it follows**
  - D. Lower than standard operational plans**
  
- 5. What does the acronym UTC stand for in the context of military support?**
  - A. Unified Task Command**
  - B. Unit Training Course**
  - C. Unique Task Configuration**
  - D. Unit Type Code**

**6. Who should coordinate the tent swapping process according to regulations?**

- A. Site coordinator**
- B. Unit housing representative**
- C. Operations officer**
- D. Logistics manager**

**7. When must Force Support units publish their Supply and Equipment budget for a 24-month period?**

- A. 1 April**
- B. 1 January**
- C. 1 July**
- D. 1 September**

**8. Services UTCs are designed around which core element?**

- A. Operational readiness**
- B. Support capabilities**
- C. Population supported**
- D. Technological advancements**

**9. For OPLANs, what refers to personnel and equipment engaged in direct combat activities?**

- A. Base operations**
- B. Operational support**
- C. Combat**
- D. Strategic analysis**

**10. What type of TPFDDs depicts Air Force capabilities not linked to a specific requirement?**

- A. Requirements-driven**
- B. Capabilities-driven**
- C. Infrastructure-driven**
- D. Mission-based**

## **Answers**

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1. A
2. B
3. C
4. B
5. D
6. B
7. A
8. C
9. C
10. B

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## **Explanations**

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**1. To obtain a roster of deployed personnel assigned, services personnel should work closely with whom?**

- A. PERSCO**
- B. Logistics Operations**
- C. Deployment Control Center**
- D. Human Resources**

To obtain a roster of deployed personnel assigned, services personnel should work closely with PERSCO. PERSCO, which stands for Personnel Accountability System, is responsible for managing personnel data and ensuring that accurate rosters of deployed personnel are maintained. They play a critical role in tracking who is on deployment, which is essential for operational readiness and accountability. By coordinating with PERSCO, services personnel can access up-to-date information about assignments, movements, and the status of deployed individuals. This collaboration ensures that personnel records are accurate and readily available, enabling effective support for mission operations. The other options do play important roles in deployment processes. For example, the Deployment Control Center is involved in managing the logistics and operational aspects of deployment but may not be directly focused on personnel data. Similarly, Human Resources encompasses broader personnel management functions that include various support services but may not specifically manage deployed rosters. Logistics Operations focuses on the supply and movement of goods rather than personnel tracking. Hence, PERSCO is the most appropriate and relevant choice for obtaining a roster of deployed personnel.

**2. Which term refers to the assessment of personnel assignments during deployments?**

- A. Force Support**
- B. PERSCO**
- C. Deployment Coordination**
- D. Personnel Management**

The term that refers to the assessment of personnel assignments during deployments is PERSCO, which stands for Personnel Support for Contingency Operations. PERSCO is focused specifically on ensuring that personnel are properly managed and accounted for during various operational scenarios, particularly during deployments. This system is crucial for maintaining an accurate record of service members' assignments and ensuring that the right personnel are placed in the right roles to achieve mission success. PERSCO encompasses tasks such as tracking the location and status of deployed individuals, managing their assignments, and facilitating the movement of personnel as needed. This ensures that deployment operations are efficient and that the appropriate skill sets are available to support the mission. The other terms, while related to personnel management, do not specifically address the assessment of personnel assignments in the deployment context as directly as PERSCO does.

**3. What is the recommended action regarding tent swapping at a contingency site?**

- A. It should be allowed at all times**
- B. It should be closely monitored**
- C. It should be prohibited unless coordinated**
- D. It should be coordinated through any member**

The recommended action regarding tent swapping at a contingency site being that it should be prohibited unless coordinated reflects the importance of maintaining order, safety, and operational integrity during contingencies. Coordination helps ensure that changes in tent assignments do not disrupt logistics, communication, or resource allocation within the contingency framework. When tent swapping occurs without proper coordination, it can lead to a variety of issues, such as confusion about personnel assignments, disruption of supplies, and security risks. Therefore, requiring coordination ensures that all parties involved are aware of the changes and can adjust their operations accordingly. This approach facilitates effective management of the site, prevents misunderstandings, and enhances the overall efficiency of the response efforts.

**4. What is the classification of the BSP Part II related to?**

- A. Different from existing plans**
- B. Same level as the operation plan it supports**
- C. Higher than the operation plan it follows**
- D. Lower than standard operational plans**

The classification of the BSP (Business Strategic Plan) Part II as being the same level as the operation plan it supports is correct because strategic and operational plans are interrelated components of organizational planning. The BSP Part II serves to provide detailed guidance and support for the operational plans, ensuring alignment with the broader strategic goals of the organization. This relationship highlights how the operational plans derive from and are influenced by the strategic direction set forth in the BSP, allowing for coherent execution of strategies at the operational level. In many organizations, the operational plan translates strategic objectives into actionable items, establishing how resources will be allocated and activities will be conducted. Thus, both plans work in harmony, and acknowledging that they exist on the same level enhances understanding of their interconnected nature and how they facilitate the overall mission of the organization.

## 5. What does the acronym UTC stand for in the context of military support?

- A. Unified Task Command**
- B. Unit Training Course**
- C. Unique Task Configuration**
- D. Unit Type Code**

The acronym UTC stands for Unit Type Code in the context of military support. This code is a critical component used by the U.S. military to categorize and accurately identify various units, such as their capabilities, functions, and requirements. Each UTC is designed to provide a standardized means of describing the composition and functions of a unit, which is essential for effective planning, deployment, and operational support. Unit Type Codes enable military planners to understand what types of units are available for specific missions and how they can be effectively mobilized. This classification allows for efficient resource allocation and helps ensure that the correct units are available to meet mission objectives. It also facilitates logistics and enhances joint operations by providing a common language across different branches of the military. In contrast, the other options do not represent established military terms or concepts related to unit identification in the same way that Unit Type Code does. Understanding UTC is fundamental for those involved in military planning and operations, as it directly relates to mission readiness and the strategic deployment of forces.

## 6. Who should coordinate the tent swapping process according to regulations?

- A. Site coordinator**
- B. Unit housing representative**
- C. Operations officer**
- D. Logistics manager**

The unit housing representative is designated to coordinate the tent swapping process according to regulations. This role is crucial because the housing representative is specifically responsible for overseeing the accommodations within their unit, ensuring that all housing arrangements meet the necessary standards and requirements. Their familiarity with the needs and conditions of the unit makes them well-suited to manage the logistics involved in tent swapping, including scheduling, resource allocation, and communication with other personnel involved in the process. The responsibilities of a unit housing representative are inherently tied to ensuring comfort and safety for personnel, making this coordination vital during operations where living conditions may frequently change. This specialized focus allows them to effectively navigate issues that may arise during the tent swapping, ensuring that everything runs smoothly and adheres to regulatory standards.

**7. When must Force Support units publish their Supply and Equipment budget for a 24-month period?**

- A. 1 April**
- B. 1 January**
- C. 1 July**
- D. 1 September**

The correct timing for Force Support units to publish their Supply and Equipment budget for a 24-month period is April 1st. This deadline is critical because it aligns with fiscal planning and ensures that units have a clear understanding of their financial requirements and allocations beginning in the new fiscal cycle. By publishing the budget on this date, Force Support units can effectively plan for upcoming expenditures and resource allocations, which aids in maintaining operational readiness and supporting mission requirements over the two-year period. Choosing April 1st allows adequate time for review and adjustments before the start of the new fiscal year, ensuring that the units are well-prepared to manage their resources efficiently. All involved parties can then align their strategies and support systems according to the approved budget, ultimately contributing to enhanced operational effectiveness.

**8. Services UTCs are designed around which core element?**

- A. Operational readiness**
- B. Support capabilities**
- C. Population supported**
- D. Technological advancements**

Services UTCs, or Unit Type Codes, are primarily designed with a focus on the population supported. This means that the structure and organization of the units are established based on the specific needs and demographics of the populations they serve. In a military context, this is particularly crucial because different populations may require varying levels of support, resources, and services tailored to their unique situations.

When designing these UTCs, planners consider factors such as the type of mission, where the unit will be deployed, and the specific needs of the civilians or military personnel in that area. Operational readiness, support capabilities, and technological advancements are important aspects of military planning and operations, but they are secondary to ensuring that the Services UTCs are effectively addressing the needs of the populations they are intended to support. This focus on the population ensures that military forces can provide appropriate and effective assistance in various scenarios, highlighting the central role the supported population plays in shaping the structure and function of UTCs.

**9. For OPLANs, what refers to personnel and equipment engaged in direct combat activities?**

- A. Base operations**
- B. Operational support**
- C. Combat**
- D. Strategic analysis**

The term that describes personnel and equipment engaged in direct combat activities is "Combat." This encompasses the various military forces and their respective assets that are actively involved in fighting operations. Combat units are specifically organized, trained, and equipped to carry out offensive and defensive operations against adversaries, making them distinct from other support functions that may be part of a broader operation plan. In contrast, base operations primarily involve the management and maintenance of the facilities and support structures that sustain military activities, which does not directly involve combat. Operational support includes activities that assist combat operations but are not engaged in the fighting themselves, such as logistics and intelligence roles. Strategic analysis pertains to the assessment and planning of long-term military strategies and does not directly relate to the execution of combat activities. Therefore, the distinguishing feature of "Combat" is the direct involvement in fighting, setting it apart from the other concepts.

**10. What type of TPFDDs depicts Air Force capabilities not linked to a specific requirement?**

- A. Requirements-driven**
- B. Capabilities-driven**
- C. Infrastructure-driven**
- D. Mission-based**

The correct choice is capabilities-driven TPFDDs, which represent the Air Force's capabilities without being tied to particular requirements. This type of TPFDD focuses on the overall available resources and capabilities that the Air Force can leverage, rather than responding to specific operational needs or missions. Capabilities-driven TPFDDs provide a broad overview of what is readily available, supporting strategic planning and ensuring that leadership is aware of the full range of Air Force assets, skills, and functionalities. This approach is especially useful for understanding the potential support options that can be mobilized in various operational contexts, making it easier to allocate resources effectively in times of need. The other types of TPFDDs relate to more specific frameworks: requirements-driven TPFDDs focus on meeting defined operational requirements, which guide the allocation of resources based on specific missions. Infrastructure-driven TPFDDs are concerned with the physical facilities and systems needed to support missions, while mission-based TPFDDs align closely with particular tasks or operations that must be accomplished. Each of these other types is more focused on specific needs or missions, distinct from the more general capabilities-focused approach.

# Next Steps

**Congratulations on reaching the final section of this guide. You've taken a meaningful step toward passing your certification exam and advancing your career.**

**As you continue preparing, remember that consistent practice, review, and self-reflection are key to success. Make time to revisit difficult topics, simulate exam conditions, and track your progress along the way.**

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