

# Ontario Provincial Police 10 Codes 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. Which code shows the subject is an Elopee?**
  - A. Code 10-73**
  - B. Code 10-74**
  - C. Code 10-75**
  - D. Code 10-70**
  
- 2. Which code number represents 'Assignment Complete'?**
  - A. 10-26**
  - B. 10-25**
  - C. 10-24**
  - D. 10-30**
  
- 3. Code 10-62 indicates?**
  - A. Subject Possibly Wanted**
  - B. Subject Negative**
  - C. Subject Positive Hit**
  - D. Assist with Wanted Person**
  
- 4. Which phrase corresponds to 10-92?**
  - A. Blockade: Set Up Roadblock**
  - B. Person in Custody**
  - C. Bomb Threat**
  - D. Bank Alarm**
  
- 5. Code 10-67 is associated with which subject category?**
  - A. Observation Category**
  - B. Parole Category**
  - C. Charged Category**
  - D. Prohibited Category**
  
- 6. Which code would you use to request assistance with a wanted person?**
  - A. 10-65 Assist with Wanted Person**
  - B. 10-46 Holding Suspect**
  - C. 10-50 Accident**
  - D. 10-52 Ambulance Needed**

- 7. Which code is used to request a tow truck?**
- A. Accident (Personal Injury/Property Damage)**
  - B. Tow Truck Needed**
  - C. Ambulance Needed**
  - D. Subject Negative**
- 8. Which 10-code is used to broadcast a major crime alert to all units?**
- A. 10-35 Major Crime Alert**
  - B. 10-33 Emergency, Come Quick**
  - C. 10-37 Drunk**
  - D. 10-31 Pick Up**
- 9. You need to determine whether a person is listed as wanted.**
- A. 10-29 Check Records for Wanted**
  - B. 10-23 Standby**
  - C. 10-26 Detaining Subject, Expedite**
  - D. 10-22 Disregard**
- 10. What does code 10-16 indicate?**
- A. Pick up Prisoner at...**
  - B. Go to...**
  - C. Weather and Road Conditions**
  - D. Dispatched Too Rapidly**

## Answers

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

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## **Explanations**

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### 1. Which code shows the subject is an Elopee?

- A. Code 10-73**
- B. Code 10-74**
- C. Code 10-75**
- D. Code 10-70**

Understanding how 10-codes work helps you read radio messages quickly. For missing person cases, there is a specific label used when the person has eloped. That label is what signals to dispatch and responders that the subject is an elopee, guiding the response with the right priorities and steps. The other codes describe different situations, so they wouldn't convey the elopement context. So, the option associated with the elopement designation is the correct one.

### 2. Which code number represents 'Assignment Complete'?

- A. 10-26**
- B. 10-25**
- C. 10-24**
- D. 10-30**

In the Ontario 10-code system, each status update from a unit uses a specific code. When you've finished the assigned task, you send the code that signifies completion of that assignment. Using this completion code clearly tells dispatch you're done with the job and available for another assignment, which keeps operations efficient and avoids unnecessary radio chatter. The other codes correspond to different statuses or needs—continuing the assignment, updating location, requesting assistance, or handling other steps—so they wouldn't accurately convey that you've finished the task.

### 3. Code 10-62 indicates?

- A. Subject Possibly Wanted**
- B. Subject Negative**
- C. Subject Positive Hit**
- D. Assist with Wanted Person**

Code 10-62 signals that the subject is possibly wanted. This status is used when there's information suggesting the person may be subject to an arrest warrant or is wanted for an offense, but the information isn't confirmed yet. It tells responding officers to proceed with caution, verify the person's identity, and check for warrants before taking action. This isn't a confirmation that the person is definitely wanted (that would be a positive hit), and it isn't an instruction to assist with a wanted person. It also isn't a designation of a negative finding—just a notice that there's a possibility the subject is wanted and warrants further verification.

#### 4. Which phrase corresponds to 10-92?

- A. Blockade: Set Up Roadblock
- B. Person in Custody**
- C. Bomb Threat
- D. Bank Alarm

In police radio codes, each number-statement conveys a specific status quickly. 10-92 is the signal that there is a person in custody. This tells dispatch and other units that an arrestee or detained individual is present and may need handling, transport, or processing, so everyone knows the exact situation without lengthy pauses. The other phrases describe entirely different scenarios (like setting up a roadblock, responding to a bomb threat, or noting a bank alarm) and use different codes or phrases, not 10-92. So the phrase that matches 10-92 is “Person in Custody.”

#### 5. Code 10-67 is associated with which subject category?

- A. Observation Category
- B. Parole Category**
- C. Charged Category
- D. Prohibited Category

10-67 is used to flag matters that involve parole status and supervision. This category is chosen because the code is meant to quickly indicate that the case concerns someone on parole, their conditions, or interactions with parole authorities. It helps route the information appropriately and highlights the need to consider parole-related procedures. The other topics—observations, charges, or prohibited items—cover different kinds of information and don’t specifically address parole supervision, so they aren’t the correct fit for this code.

#### 6. Which code would you use to request assistance with a wanted person?

- A. 10-65 Assist with Wanted Person**
- B. 10-46 Holding Suspect
- C. 10-50 Accident
- D. 10-52 Ambulance Needed

When you need support to locate or deal with a person who is wanted, you use the code that signals Assist with Wanted Person. This code is specifically designated for bringing in extra resources to handle a wanted individual, making it the direct fit for requesting help in that situation. The other codes refer to different incidents: holding a suspect, an automobile accident, or needing an ambulance, which don’t address the need for assistance with a wanted person. So the correct code to use is the one that explicitly matches the scenario of assisting with a wanted person.

**7. Which code is used to request a tow truck?**

- A. Accident (Personal Injury/Property Damage)**
- B. Tow Truck Needed**
- C. Ambulance Needed**
- D. Subject Negative**

When a vehicle needs to be removed from a scene, the direct request is to call for a tow truck. Saying “Tow Truck Needed” communicates exactly that you need a towing or wrecker service dispatched to handle the vehicle. This keeps the call concise, unambiguous, and ensures the right resource is sent quickly. The other phrases describe something else: the first indicates an accident scenario with injuries or property damage, not the removal of a vehicle; the ambulance request is for medical transport; and the “subject negative” status is about a person’s cooperation, not vehicle removal. Using the specific tow request avoids confusion and speeds up getting the proper assistance to the scene.

**8. Which 10-code is used to broadcast a major crime alert to all units?**

- A. 10-35 Major Crime Alert**
- B. 10-33 Emergency, Come Quick**
- C. 10-37 Drunk**
- D. 10-31 Pick Up**

Broadcasting a major crime alert uses the 10-35 code because it’s specifically designed to push critical information to every unit in the area for rapid, coordinated action. When 10-35 is activated, dispatch provides essential details—such as suspect description, vehicle, location, and direction of travel—and all units are alerted to be on the lookout and ready to respond. This ensures wide coverage and quick mobilization during significant crimes like shootings, kidnappings, or other urgent incidents, where time and coordination matter most. Other codes describe different situations (an immediate emergency response, intoxicated person, or a pickup task) and do not trigger the same broad, system-wide alert.

**9. You need to determine whether a person is listed as wanted.**

- A. 10-29 Check Records for Wanted**
- B. 10-23 Standby**
- C. 10-26 Detaining Subject, Expedite**
- D. 10-22 Disregard**

To verify if someone is listed as wanted, you need a direct status check in the records. The 10-29 code is specifically used to Check Records for Wanted, giving you the current warrant or wanted status before taking further action. This is the best choice because it directly confirms whether the person is on the wanted list, ensuring your next steps are based on up-to-date information. The other options don’t perform a status lookup: Standby means you’re waiting; Detaining Subject, Expedite refers to handling a detained person more quickly; and Disregard means to ignore a previous instruction.

**10. What does code 10-16 indicate?**

- A. Pick up Prisoner at...**
- B. Go to...**
- C. Weather and Road Conditions**
- D. Dispatched Too Rapidly**

In this radio code system, 10-16 is used to signal that a prisoner needs to be picked up. It's the shorthand you'd use when you've arrested someone or another agency is holding a prisoner and you need to retrieve them for transport to custody. The typical message goes with a location, like "Pickup prisoner at ...," which tells the dispatcher where to send the unit to retrieve the prisoner and bring them into custody. That makes it the best fit here: the intent is specifically about obtaining a prisoner for transport, not just going to a location, reporting weather or road conditions, or describing how rapidly something was dispatched. The other options describe different tasks or information and don't align with the standard meaning of 10-16.

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## 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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**We wish you the very best on your exam journey. You've got this!**

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