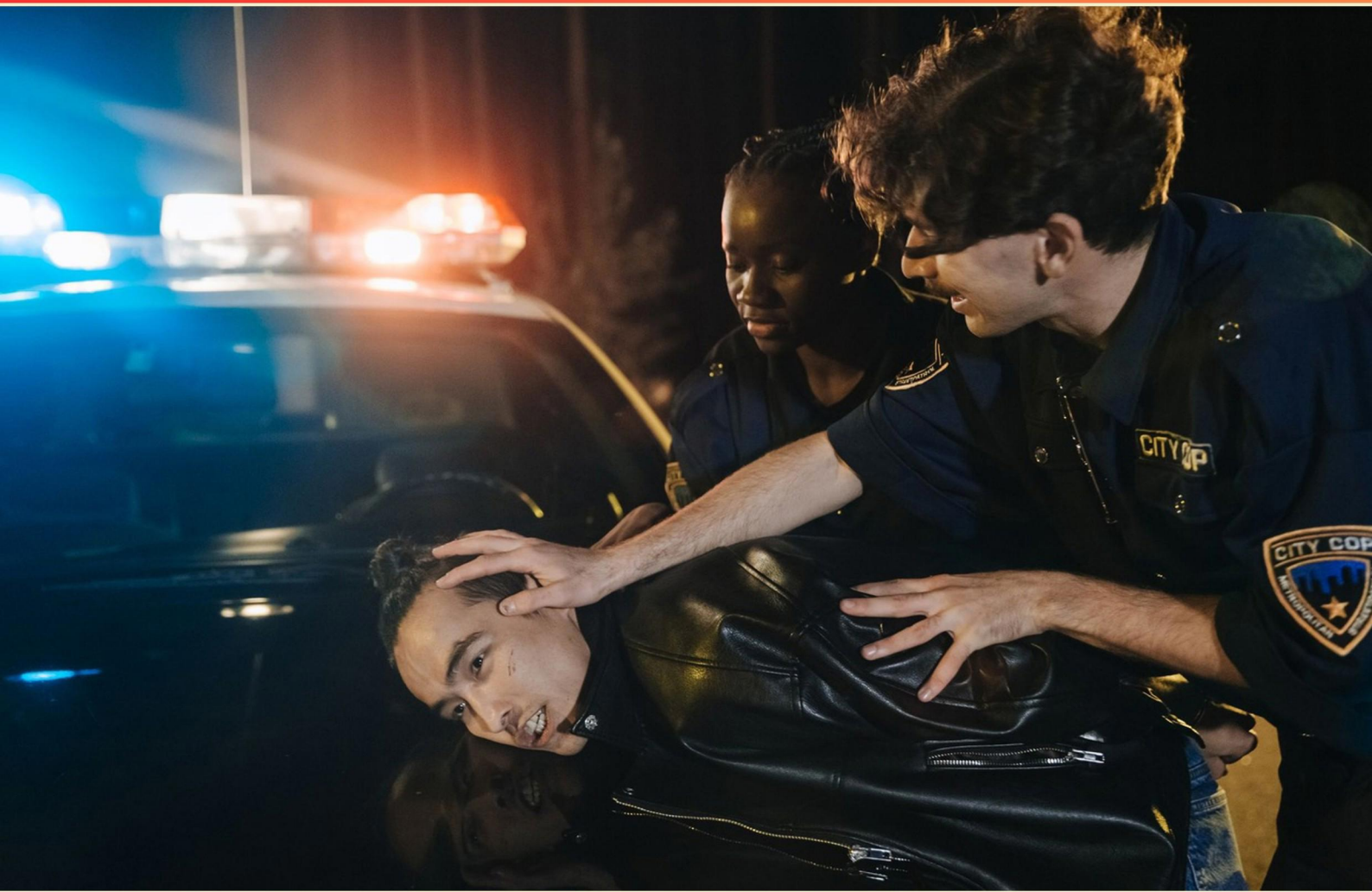


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Introduction

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 faction of Aryan Nations is expanding into East Tennessee?**
 - A. Ghost Face Gangsters (GFG)
 - B. Pagans
 - C. Aryan Brotherhood
 - D. White Knights

- 2. List the three types of drug dealers in Tennessee.**
 - A. Street level dealer, wholesaler, distributor
 - B. Retailer, distributor, courier
 - C. User, dealer, grower
 - D. Producer, distributor, seller

- 3. Grape Street is a faction of which gang?**
 - A. Crips
 - B. Bloods
 - C. Sureños
 - D. Norteños

- 4. Which of the following describes prejudice?**
 - A. A conscious belief about a group based on complete information
 - B. A prejudgment of a person made before facts are known
 - C. A system of laws that ensures equal treatment
 - D. An emotional reaction to a group

- 5. Which description best defines how crack cocaine is formed?**
 - A. The process of dissolving cocaine in cold water for injection
 - B. A method of preserving cocaine in powder form
 - C. The chemical process of converting cocaine hydrochloride to free base using baking soda and heat
 - D. The process of mixing cocaine with alcohol to create a salt

6. Which drug is a synthetic opioid used for extreme injuries and often added to other drugs?
- A. Heroin
 - B. Morphine
 - C. Codeine
 - D. Fentanyl
7. What describes a 'Counterfeit Controlled Substance' under Tennessee law?
- A. A substance represented to be a controlled substance (fake dope)
 - B. A substance produced illegally with no control
 - C. A drug that is misbranded
 - D. A drug with expired labeling
8. What are the three stages of GAS?
- A. Alarm, Exhaustion, Resistance
 - B. Alarm, Resistance, Exhaustion
 - C. Resistance, Alarm, Exhaustion
 - D. Exhaustion, Alarm, Resistance
9. How should you refer to victims in your report?
- A. as Victim #1
 - B. as the complainant
 - C. as the victim
 - D. by their names
10. Which of the following is listed as a bad side effect of anabolic steroids?
- A. Acne, gynecomastia, liver damage, high blood pressure
 - B. Weight gain and improved vision
 - C. Mood changes and increased energy
 - D. Decreased appetite and fatigue

Answers

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

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Explanations

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1. Which faction of Aryan Nations is expanding into East Tennessee?

A. Ghost Face Gangsters (GFG)

B. Pagans

C. Aryan Brotherhood

D. White Knights

Recognizing which faction of Aryan Nations is active in a region helps investigators map potential threats and understand local extremist activity. Ghost Face Gangsters are described in the material as a faction linked to Aryan Nations that has been expanding its presence into East Tennessee. This link to Aryan Nations combined with a noted geographic expansion makes this option the best fit for the scenario, since the other groups listed—Pagans, Aryan Brotherhood, and White Knights—are different organizations with distinct histories and regional footprints, not identified in the materials as Aryan Nations factions expanding into East Tennessee.

2. List the three types of drug dealers in Tennessee.

A. Street level dealer, wholesaler, distributor

B. Retailer, distributor, courier

C. User, dealer, grower

D. Producer, distributor, seller

Drug distribution is viewed in tiers by scale and reach: street level dealers, wholesalers, and distributors. Street level dealers are the ones who directly sell to end users in neighborhoods and on the streets; they operate on a small, local level and handle immediate transactions. Wholesalers buy large quantities from producers or importers and move product onward to distributors or numerous dealers, acting as the next rung up in the supply chain. Distributors take on the largest-scale operations, moving drugs regionally or nationally and coordinating how supply flows to retailers or street-level dealers. This tiered view helps investigators understand how the network is structured and where to focus disruptions. The other options mix roles that aren't part of the standard three-tier drug trafficking model, such as including couriers or users, or substituting producers for dealers, which isn't the same concept.

3. Grape Street is a faction of which gang?

A. Crips

B. Bloods

C. Sureños

D. Norteños

Grape Street is a faction of the Crips. The Crips are a large Los Angeles-based gang made up of many local sets, each operating in its own neighborhood and often identified by blue. Grape Street Watts Crips is one of those sets, centered in the Watts area. The Bloods are a separate rival gang, while Sureños and Norteños are Hispanic-led factions with different regional bases and alliances, not Crips sets. So the local Grape Street group belongs to the Crips.

4. Which of the following describes prejudice?

- A. A conscious belief about a group based on complete information
- B. A prejudgment of a person made before facts are known**
- C. A system of laws that ensures equal treatment
- D. An emotional reaction to a group

Prejudice is a preconceived opinion about someone or a group formed without considering the facts, often based on stereotypes. The statement that best fits this is a prejudgment of a person made before facts are known. It captures the idea of forming an opinion ahead of evidence, which can lead to biased or unfair treatment. In contrast, the other descriptions describe beliefs based on complete information, or a set of laws ensuring equal treatment, or merely an emotional reaction. Those either reflect informed judgment, institutional fairness, or emotion, none of which define prejudice. Recognizing this helps in policing to avoid biased judgments and to approach individuals based on actual behavior and facts.

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Crack cocaine forms from cocaine hydrochloride, the water-soluble salt form, being converted into its free-base form through a basic reaction with heat. Using a base (like baking soda) and heat removes the hydrochloride, yielding free-base cocaine. This free base is nonpolar and volatile, so it can be heated and smoked, producing rapid absorption and a quick, intense effect. This concept is about the chemical change to a smokable form, not about dissolving for injection, preserving the powder, or forming a salt with alcohol.

6. Which drug is a synthetic opioid used for extreme injuries and often added to other drugs?

- A. Heroin
- B. Morphine
- C. Codeine
- D. Fentanyl**

Fentanyl is a synthetic opioid renowned for its extreme potency and its role in both legitimate medical care and illicit drug use. In medical settings, it's used to treat severe pain, such as after serious injuries or during surgery, because a very small amount provides strong analgesia. In the illegal drug market, fentanyl is often added to other drugs—like heroin or counterfeit pills—to boost potency, which greatly raises the risk of overdose for users who don't know it's present. Heroin is a semi-synthetic opioid derived from morphine, not fully synthetic. Morphine and codeine are natural or partially synthetic opiates derived from opium. These distinctions matter because the question points to a fully synthetic opioid that is notorious for being used as an additive to other drugs, which points to fentanyl.

7. What describes a 'Counterfeit Controlled Substance' under Tennessee law?

- A. A substance represented to be a controlled substance (fake dope)
- B. A substance produced illegally with no control
- C. A drug that is misbranded
- D. A drug with expired labeling

A counterfeit controlled substance is defined by deception about the substance's true identity as a controlled drug. The key point is that the item is presented as a controlled substance, even if its actual contents are different. That deceptive representation is what makes it counterfeit under Tennessee law. So the best description is a substance represented to be a controlled substance. The other ideas miss the essential element of fraud about what the substance actually is: misbranding focuses on labeling, not the substance's identity; an illegally produced product with no control describes manufacture rather than misrepresentation of what it is; and a substance produced with no control doesn't capture the crucial aspect of presenting it as a controlled substance.

8. What are the three stages of GAS?

- A. Alarm, Exhaustion, Resistance
- B. Alarm, Resistance, Exhaustion
- C. Resistance, Alarm, Exhaustion
- D. Exhaustion, Alarm, Resistance

General Adaptation Syndrome unfolds in a sequence: alarm, resistance, then exhaustion. The alarm stage is the immediate reaction to a stressor, when the body activates the sympathetic nervous system and the HPA axis, releasing adrenaline and cortisol to mobilize energy for a fight-or-flight response. If the stress continues, the body moves into the resistance stage, using available resources to cope, maintain heightened alertness, and keep systems functioning while trying to adapt to the ongoing demand. When stress persists beyond the body's ability to cope, energy reserves become depleted, leading to exhaustion, where resilience drops, fatigue increases, and vulnerability to illness or burnout rises. In practice, this order matters because exhaustion without the preceding alarm and sustained resistance wouldn't accurately reflect the physiological process of how the body handles prolonged stress.

9. How should you refer to victims in your report?

- A. as Victim #1
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- C. as the victim
- D. by their names

Referencing the person harmed by their name in the report keeps the documentation precise, professional, and respectful. A name provides a clear, unique way to identify the individual across statements, evidence, and subsequent records, which helps investigators avoid confusion when there are multiple people involved and ensures the person's record can be properly linked to the case. Using labels like "Victim #1" dehumanizes the person and can blur identity, while referring to someone as "the complainant" or "the victim" is too generic in many criminal scenarios and can create ambiguity, especially if there are multiple victims or changing roles. Therefore, using the person's name is the best practice, provided it complies with privacy rules and agency policy.

10. Which of the following is listed as a bad side effect of anabolic steroids?

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B. Weight gain and improved vision

C. Mood changes and increased energy

D. Decreased appetite and fatigue

Anabolic steroids can cause adverse effects across several body systems, especially the skin, hormonal balance, liver, and cardiovascular system. Acne happens because increased androgen activity boosts oil production in the skin, clogging pores. Gynecomastia occurs when hormonal imbalances or conversion to estrogen stimulate breast tissue growth in men. Some oral steroids are hepatotoxic, so liver damage can occur with long-term or high-dose use. High blood pressure can result from fluid retention, unfavorable lipid changes, and other cardiovascular stresses linked to steroid use. The other options describe effects that aren't typical or as clearly harmful consequences of steroid use—for example, improved vision isn't a known adverse effect, and decreased appetite with fatigue isn't a classic steroid-related outcome.

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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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