

# Exam Content Information

Test Plan Category	Exam Weight	Items in Category	Content Areas
General Information	15%	8-9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Governmental regulations related to the administration of medication</li> <li>• Terminology, abbreviations, and symbols</li> <li>• Basic nursing tasks/functions/activities</li> <li>• Accountability and functioning as a member of the health care team</li> </ul>
Medication Specific Information	25%	13-14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Medication administration systems</li> <li>• Forms of medication</li> <li>• Procedures and routes of medication administration (oral, topical, inhalation, rectal, vaginal)</li> <li>• Medication references</li> </ul>
Delegation and Rights of Medication Administration	30%	16-17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Role of UMA in administering medications</li> <li>• Rights of medication administration</li> <li>• Infection control policies and procedures</li> <li>• Communication with nurse</li> <li>• Preventive measures to protect patient, others and self</li> </ul>
Body Systems	15%	8-9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overview of major categories of medications related to the body systems</li> <li>• Assist in observing patients and identifying patient needs</li> </ul>
Ethics, Mandatory Reporting	15%	8-9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mandatory reporting</li> <li>• Ethical issues</li> <li>• Patient's rights, concerns, decisions, dignity, and respect of patient property</li> <li>• Confidentiality</li> </ul>
Pretest Items	0%	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Content from various areas; these items are not scored</li> </ul>
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>65</b>	

## Testing Information

- An approved proctor must be present while taking the online exam.
- After taking the exam:
  - An applicant will receive immediate notification of pass/fail.
  - After passing the exam, and applicant will be added to the Board's medication aide registry; registration is valid for 2 years.
  - After failing the exam, and applicant should review learning materials with the RN instructor, then apply to take the exam again.
  - Upon failing a second time, the applicant must repeat the 20-hour course before testing again.