

Florida Department of Health
FOOD PROTECTION CERTIFICATION EXAMINATION STUDY GUIDE

Provided is a list of resources to study and a link to the practice exam questions and answers.

Essential Material

- Chapter 64E-11, Food Hygiene, *Florida Administrative Code* (FAC)
 - 2013 Food and Drug Administration Food Code & Annex
- NOTE: It is important to have a thorough knowledge of these codes.*

Good Reference Material

- Chapter 64E-12, FAC, Chapter 64D-3, FAC, Chapter 64E-6, FAC.
NOTE: A understanding of what these codes deal with and how they relate to the food program.
- Procedures to Investigate Foodborne Illness. 6th Edition, 2011. International Association for Food Protection (IAFP)
<https://www.foodprotection.org/about/news-releases/iafp-procedures-to-investigate-foodborne-illness-revised/>
Phone: (515) 276-3344
NOTE: This is a great resource to familiarize yourself with the most common foodborne diseases. If this reference is not available to you, please review other material that addresses this subject.
- Control of Communicable Diseases Manual, 20th Edition, 2014 <https://www.apha.org/ccdm>
NOTE: Comprehensive listing on communicable diseases. If this reference is not available to you, please review other material that addresses this subject.

Practice Exam

- The practice exam may be accessed by DOH staff using the following link:
 [Practice Exam Food Protection](#).
- The practice exam consists of 60 multiple choice and true/false questions.
- Once you complete the practice exam scan and send it to Robin.Eychaner@flhealth.gov for scoring. The practice exam will be scored and emailed back.
- 42 correct answers (70%) is the passing score on the practice exam.

Food Certification Exam

- The exam consists of 134 questions, and you must get 94 correct answers (70%) to become certified.