
Jurisprudence Seminar Overview of the Jurisprudence Examinations

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OCP Jurisprudence Examination

- Two similar exams
 - pharmacist and pharmacy technician
- Multiple choice format
 - choice from 3 or 4 options with one best answer
- Time allotted for exam is 2.5 hours

OCP Jurisprudence Examination

- References provided for use during exam
 - NAPRA Drug Schedule (www.napra.ca)
 - Summary of Federal and Provincial Laws (www.ocpinfo.com)
- Assesses practical interpretation of relevant legislation and policies, and awareness of college role/function

Jurisprudence Blueprint

- Condition for Sale
- Narcotics/Controlled Drugs
- Filling & Labelling
- Billing & Pricing
- Pharmacy Operations
- College Structure and Function/Entry to Practice/Scope of Practice
- Ethics/Standards/Responsibilities

Examination Scoring

- Based on a minimum performance level (MPL)
- Each question has a set MPL
- The pass or cut score is determined by taking the sum of all MPLs for all questions on the exam
- Exam results are analyzed statistically

Jurisprudence Examination

- Performance profile is provided if unsuccessful
 - Identify areas of improvement
- 3 attempts at the exam in 24 month period
- Once pass exam, valid for 3 years