

Jurisprudence Exam Blueprint

February 2022

| Domain | Weight (%) | Sub-Domain | Sample Topics |
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| 1. Federal Legislation | 5-10 | The Canadian Healthcare System | The <i>Canada Health Act</i> |
| | | | Health care administration and funding |
| | | | Acts, regulations, and schedules |
| | | Canadian Drug and Health Care Products | Health Canada drug review and approval |
| | | | Natural Health Products Regulation (NHPR), and Medical Devices Regulation (MDR) |
| | | | NAPRA Drug Schedules |
| | | | Health Canada Databases |
| | | | Special Access Program (SAP) |
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| 2. Narcotic, Controlled, Benzodiazepines and Targeted Substances | 15-25 | Federal Legislation | Controlled Drugs and Substances Act (CDSA) |
| | | | Narcotic Control Regulation (NCR) |
| | | | Benzodiazepines and Other Targeted Substances Regulation (BOTSRs) |
| | | | Food and Drugs Act (FDA) and Regulation (FDR) |
| | | | Cannabis Act and Regulation |
| | | | Classification of drugs |
| | | | Emergency supply |
| | | Provincial M3P program | Description and purpose |
| | | | M3P schedule and form |
| | | Prescription and Dispensing requirements | Authorization, repeats/part-fills, transfers, intervals, transmission, labelling (auxiliary), DPIN entry, transfers, verifying identity, etc. |



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| | | | CPSM/CRNM Opioid Prescribing and Benzodiazepines/Z-Drug Prescribing Standards |
| | | Narcotic and controlled drug accountability | Narcotic reconciliation (loss, thefts, forgeries) |
| | | | Perpetual record keeping (purchases, sales, destruction) |
| | | | Narcotic and controlled drug safety, storage, and security |
| | | | Destruction and disposal of narcotics (unserviceable stock vs. patient returns) |
| | | Opioid Agonist Therapy | Methadone and buprenorphine/naloxone |
| | | | Training requirements |
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| 3. Self-Regulation, Professionalism, and Ethics | 15-25 | Self-Regulation | Purpose of regulation and the privilege of self-regulation |
| | | | Mandate, Structure, and Function of CPhM and its Boards/committees |
| | | | Regulator vs. advocacy body |
| | | Provincial pharmacy practice framework | <i>The Pharmaceutical Act</i> and Regulation |
| | | | By-laws to the <i>Pharmaceutical Act</i> |
| | | | Standards of Practice, Practice Directions and Joint Statements |
| | | | Practice Guidelines and Position Statements |
| | | | <i>The Regulated Health Professions Act</i> (RHPA) |
| | | Code of Ethics | Ethical Statements, principles, and concepts |
| | | | The Human Rights Code, discrimination, and reasonable accommodation |
| | | | Duty to collaborate and Interprofessional Collaborative Care Practice Direction |
| | | | Therapeutic Relationships and professional boundaries |
| | | | Referring a Patient Practice Direction |
| | | | Termination of Patient Relationships |
| | | | Conflict Management/code of conduct |
| | | | Conscientious objection |
| | | | Professionalism, decision making and professional judgement |



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| | | Patient and Medication Safety | Conflicts of interest |
| | | | Duty to report |
| | | | Safety IQ and CQI |
| | | | Safety culture and just culture |
| | | | Medication incidents and near-misses |
| | | | Reporting of incidents and adverse events |
| | | | Professional incompetence, incapacity, misconduct, or negligence (patient safety PD) |
| | | | <i>The Apology Act</i> and disclosure |
| | | | Second victim |
| | | | Protecting Canadians from Unsafe Drugs Act (Vanessa's Law) |
| | | Complaints and Discipline | Structure, function, and scope of committees |
| | | | ‘Toolbox’ of the complaints and discipline committees |
| | | | Formal and informal complaints processes |
| | | | |
| 4. Drug and Device Distribution (federal and provincial legislation) | 15-20 | Records and Information | Prescription and prescribing records |
| | | | Patient Profiles and refill history |
| | | | Administration records |
| | | | Documentation |
| | | Prescription Requirements | Required components of a prescription |
| | | | Prescription authorization and transmission |
| | | | Generic substitution, interchangeability, and no-sub orders |
| | | | Transfer of patient care |
| | | | Labeling requirements |
| | | Dispensing | Drug delivery |
| | | | Packaging and re-packaging, including compliance and child-proof packaging |
| | | | DPIN and Pharmacare |
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| | | Medication stewardship | Rural, Remote and Underserved Populations Practice Direction |
| | | | Compounding/manufacturing |
| | | | Cytotoxic and hazardous drugs |
| | | | Drug acquisition and handling |
| | | | Drug storage and security |
| | | | Drug disposal and destruction |
| | | | Returned and unserviceable stock and sharps |
| | | | Drug and device recalls |
| 5. Pharmacy Operation | 15-20 | Pharmacy Licenses and components | Types of pharmacy licenses |
| | | | Lock and Leave |
| | | | Central Fill |
| | | | Secondary Hospital |
| | | | Personal Care Home |
| | | | Distance Care |
| | | | External Dispensing |
| | | | Satellite Pharmacy |
| | | Responsibilities of Owners and Managers | Obligations of owner under Act (section 68) and Regs (section 56(1)) |
| | | | Pharmacy Advertising and inducements |
| | | | Pharmacy Closures |
| | | Pharmacy facilities and equipment | Pharmacy security and breaches |
| | | | Counselling rooms |
| | | | Compounding facility requirements |
| | | Patient privacy and confidentiality | PIIA, trustees, and PIPEDA |
| 6. Pharmacy Professionals | 15-25 | CPhM Registers and List | Public profiles and registers |
| | | | Attaining and maintaining registration and licensure/listing with CPhM |



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| and Scopes of Practice | | | Roles/scope of practice allowable within each register/list | |
| | | | Streams of licensure/listing (MA, IPG, pharmacy technicians etc.) | |
| | | Practice of Pharmacy | Activities within the practice of pharmacy | |
| | | | Protected titles | |
| | | | Supervision | |
| | | | Delegation | |
| | | | Patient Counselling and monitoring | |
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| | | | Pharmacist Prescribing | Fundamentals of Prescribing |
| | | Prescribing and dispensing | | |
| | | Prescription Adaptation | | |
| | | Continued Care Prescriptions | | |
| | | Prescribing in public health emergencies | | |
| | | Schedule II and III products | | |
| | | Exempted Codeine Preparations (ECPs) | | |
| | | Expanded Scope of Practice | Included Practices and authorization | |
| | | | Schedule 3 Prescribing | |
| | | | Uncomplicated Cystitis Prescribing | |
| | | | Drug and vaccine administration | |
| | | | Lab test ordering | |
| | | | Test interpretation | |
| | | | Extended Practice Pharmacists (EPPhs) | |
| | | Scope of Practice of other healthcare professionals | Prescribing Authority table | |
| Authorized and designated practitioners | | | | |
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| TOTAL | 100% | | | |