Case Management Certification Exam Resources

The following listing of certification resources is not comprehensive. CMSA does not accredit, nor guarantee the quality or accuracy of any references contained in this listing.

Section 1 – Review Courses

Preparing for Case Management Certification on-site preparatory course

This case management certification preparatory course is designed to provide the practicing case manager with information to assist them in preparing for the CCM exam, as well as other case management certifications. It is also appropriate for those seeking a basic course in case management practice.

Course Content

The content of the course is based on feedback from course attendees as well as CCMC’s list of content areas. The content is updated several times each year. The resource manual for the course includes:

- 300+ page course manual
- 125+ sample exam questions
- Resources for self-study

http://www.ccmiaassociates.com/index.html

Essentials of Case Management

This accredited online program is a review course and has been provided throughout the US since 1997. Updated in 2014, the course assists healthcare professionals at many levels including those who are preparing for the CCM exam, new to the industry, exploring more efficient models of delivery across the care continuum, and searching for effective case management tools techniques and best practices.

Module 1 consists of a multimedia instructional program utilizing adult learning principles to assist case managers in understanding the theory behind case management; in gaining knowledge or principles and tools utilized in case management and in applying best practices across various case management settings.

Module 2 includes case based content intended to assist the learner in practical understanding of how to perform the role and function of case management given specific disease states, scenarios and conditions common in case management. 2014 updated course content incorporates new topic areas on the CCM exam by the Commission for Case Manager Certification and on the NCM exam by the American Nurses Credentialing Center including:

1. Healthcare Reform
2. Health Insurance Exchanges
3. Quality Improvement
4. Transitions of Care, Handoffs, Sign-outs
5. CMS Care Coordination
6. Medicare Part D MTMP
7. Medicare Parts A & B Payment Considerations
8. Accountable Care Organizations (ACOs)
9. Patient Centered Medical Home (PCMH)
10. ICD-10 Code Sets
11. Tertiary Prevention Interventions
12. Pain Management
13. CCMC and ANCC Knowledge Domains
14. Electronic Medical Records (EMRs) and the HITECH Act

http://primeinc.org/essentials/
The Case Management Certification Workshop
Offered through CCMC’s CMLearning Network, the program is a 2-day classroom training session. The program includes a comprehensive course workbook, a copy of the Case Manager’s Handbook, access to CCMC’s online Case Management Body of Knowledge and the CCMC Practice Exam 24®.

The workshop is designed to provide detailed information about all aspects of case management, in various practice settings, as well as how to become board certified with CCMC including the application process and the CCMC eligibility requirements and focused training and studying recommendations for the exam.

http://www.ccmcertification.org

Annette B Haag & Associates
Occupational Health and Safety Principles & Nursing Certification Review
This intensive 3-day course presents latest information in the field of occupational and environmental health and safety; comprehensive workbook/resource manuals and classroom materials; test taking techniques and strategies for examination preparation; written tests prior, during and at conclusion of workshop; participative lectures.
The program is designed for nurses who are:
- Employed in the field of Occupational Health
- Preparing for American Board for Occupational Health Nurses Certification Exam: COHN or COHN-S
- Considering Occupational Health Nursing or setting up Occupational Health Programs.

http://www.annettehaag.com/

Section 2 – Books and Guides

A Case Manager’s Study Guide: Preparing for Certification
A Case Manager’s Study Guide: Preparing for Certification, Fourth Edition is for new case managers preparing to take the Certified Case Manager (CCM) exam and practicing case managers who are recertifying. Based on the Commission for Case Manager Certification (CCMC) six knowledge domains and eight essential activities, it addresses new changes passed and legislative updates resulting in significant changes in healthcare and case management. New topics include patient-centered care, readiness to change, evidence-based case management, and management outcomes. Completely updated and revised, A Case Manager’s Study Guide: Preparing for Certification, Fourth Edition contains nearly 700 questions and comprehensive answer rationales.

Included with the book is an online Access Code for Navigate TestPrep, a dynamic and fully hosted online assessment tool designed to help nurses prepare for certification examinations by offering case-based questions, detailed rationales, and robust reporting. Navigate TestPrep: A Case Manager’s Study Guide also sold separately. * Randomized questions create new exams on each attempt * Monitors results on practice examinations with score tracking and time on each task * Reporting tools evaluate progress and results on each attempt
http://www.NursingCertificationSuccess.com, also available on Amazon.com

CCM Exam Secrets Study Guide: CCM Test Review for the Certified Case Manager Exam

CCM Practice Questions: CCM Practice Tests & Exam Review for the Certified Case Manager Exam

CCM Flash Cards: Complete Flash Card Study Guide for the Certified Case Manager Exam

Case Management Nurse Exam Secrets Study Guide: Case Management Nurse Test Review for the Case Management Nurse Exam

ANCC Certification Review and Resource Manuals are designed to help nurses pass the certification exams, to provide continuing education contact hours for recertification, and to act as a general resource for that specialty. Each manual is based on the exam’s test content outline, making ANCC Review and Resource Manuals uniquely positioned to help nurses prepare for the ANCC certification exams. Each ANCC Review and Resource Manual offers contact hour credit for studying the manual and passing an online post-test.

Purpose/Goal: To provide nurses with current information to be utilized in nursing case management; to provide review materials for nurses desiring nursing case management certification.

Section 3 – Software

Datachem Software Inc.
Provides computer based exam certification preparation software. Their programs provide interactive training. The software provides over 1100 questions, answers and explanations in:

- Psychosocial aspects
- Healthcare reimbursement
- Rehabilitation
- Healthcare management and delivery
- Principles of practice
- Case management concepts

Licenses are available for individuals, sites and corporations.
http://www.datachemsoftware.com/ccmstep.htm

CASE MANAGEMENT CERTIFICATION STUDY SOFTWARE

Offered by CaseManagement.com, the CCMprep 5.0 computer study program features a self-study program on CD-ROM, exam level questions and answers, complete and detailed explanations for each question. Content is searchable by key words or subjects. Users have the ability to create a personal database of questions and explanations. The program is reviewed and updated annually to ensure content is current and relevant.

CERTIFIED OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH NURSE

Offered by CaseManagement.com, the COHN-Sprep 3.6 computer study program contains over 800 questions covering:

- Clinician
- Advisor
- Coordinator
It features a self-study program on CD-ROM, exam level questions and answers, complete and detailed explanations for each question. Content is searchable by key words or subjects. Users have the ability to create a personal database of questions and explanations. The program is reviewed and updated annually to ensure content is current and relevant.

**CERTIFIED OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH NURSE SPECIALIST**

Offered by CaseManagement.com, the **COHN-Sprep 3.0** computer study program contains over 1,650 questions covering:

- Clinician
- Educator
- Consultant
- Manager

It features a self-study program on CD-ROM, exam level questions and answers, complete and detailed explanations for each question. Content is searchable by key words or subjects. Users have the CC to create a personal database of questions and explanations. The program is reviewed and updated annually to ensure content is current and relevant.

**CaseManagerExam.com**

This Online tutoring review service to help you study for the National Case Manager Certification examination to become a nationally certified case manager. It is designed to as a review for nurses and social workers. Included in this site are practice test questions, case study format, simulations, audio, study buddy, test strategies and content material covering the practice of case management.

Content also covers Diagnosis and fact-finding, Intervention and prevention, case management concepts, case management principles and strategies. Psychological and support systems, Healthcare management and delivery, Healthcare reimbursement and vocational concepts and strategies - along with additional information necessary to pass the examination. Includes a free practice exam.


For additional information and resources on case management certification, visit [www.cmsa.org/certification](http://www.cmsa.org/certification).