

Certification: Accessibility Inspector/Plans Examiner

This Content Outline pertains to examinations based on the 2012 IBC and 09 ICC/ANSI A117.1

Exam ID: 21



Scope:

The Certified Accessibility Inspector/Plans Examiner shall be responsible for conducting assigned inspections for compliance with Codes and Standards adopted by respective jurisdictions. Tasks include verifying the code provisions as based upon the occupancy classification and use of buildings and facilities, existing and/or altered elements related to accessibility, and determining the code compliance of submitted building plans, site plans, and other plans as required ensuring such compliance with accessibility code provisions.

- 80 multiple-choice questions
- 2-1/2-hour limit
- Open book

01	General Administrative and Scoping Provisions	7%
	<u>Occupancy Group Accessibility</u>	2%
	Verify application to accessibility code provisions based upon the occupancy classification and use of the buildings/facilities.	
	<u>General Administration</u>	1%
	Determine compliance with specific sections of the buildings/facilities code related to accessibility while using proper terms and definitions within code provisions.	
	<u>Accessibility in Existing Buildings</u>	4%
	Verify compliance of existing and/or altered building/facility elements with accessibility code provisions.	
02	Building Blocks	11%
	<u>Floor/Ground Surface and Level Changes</u>	3%
	Verify compliance of changes in elevation at floor/ground surfaces with accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Wheelchair Turning Spaces</u>	3%
	Verify compliance with required turning space for wheelchairs with accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Clearances</u>	2%
	Verify compliance of clearances with accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Reach Ranges and Operable Parts</u>	1%
	Verify compliance of reach ranges and operable parts with accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Protruding Objects</u>	2%
	Verify compliance of protruding objects with accessibility code provisions.	
03	Accessible Routes	28%
	<u>Accessible Entrances</u>	4%
	Verify compliance of the number and location of accessible entrances with accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Means of Egress</u>	10%
	Verify compliance of the accessible means of egress to accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Windows, Doors, and Doorways</u>	5%
	Verify compliance of windows, doors, and doorways with accessibility code provisions.	

	<u>Walking Surfaces and Ramps</u>	5%
	Verify compliance of walking surfaces, ramps, and curb ramps with accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Elevators and Platform lifts</u>	4%
	Identify locations of required accessible elevators and platform lifts while verifying their compliance with accessibility code provisions.	
04	General Site and Building Elements	9%
	<u>Parking, Passenger Loading Zones and Bus Stops</u>	4%
	Verify compliance with accessibility code provisions for accessible parking.	
	<u>Site Accessibility</u>	3%
	Verify compliance of site accessibility with accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Stairways and Handrails</u>	2%
	Verify compliance of stairways and handrails with accessibility code provisions.	
05	Plumbing Elements and Facilities	10%
	<u>Plumbing Elements, Rooms and Compartments</u>	10%
	Verify compliance of plumbing elements, rooms, compartments, and related elements with accessibility code	
06	Communication Elements	6%
	<u>Alarms and Signs</u>	4%
	Verify compliance of alarms with accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Telephones, Assistive Listening Systems and ATMs</u>	1%
	Verify compliance of telephones, assistive listening systems, and Automated Teller Machines with accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Detectable Warnings</u>	1%
	Verify that detectable warnings are in accordance with accessibility code provisions.	
07	Special Rooms and Spaces	7%
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	Verify compliance of special occupancies, rooms, and spaces with accessibility code provisions.	
08	Built-in Furnishings and Equipment	5%
	<u>Seating at Tables, Counters and Work Surfaces</u>	4%
	Verify that seating at tables, checkout & service counters, and work surfaces complies with accessibility code	
	<u>Storage Elements</u>	1%
	Verify that fixed or built-in storage elements comply with accessibility code provisions.	
09	Dwelling and Sleeping Unites	7%
	<u>Occupancy Requirements</u>	7%
	Verify that Accessible dwelling units, Type A units, Type B units, & Type C units, comply with accessibility code	

10	Recreational Facilities	10%
	<u>Boating Facilities</u>	1%
	Verify that recreational boating facilities comply with accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Fishing Piers and Platforms</u>	1%
	Verify that fishing piers and platforms comply with accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Golf Facilities</u>	3%
	Verify that golf facilities comply with accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Play Areas</u>	1%
	Verify that play areas comply with accessibility code provisions.	
	<u>Swimming Pools, Wading Pools, Hot Tubs, and Spas</u>	4%
	Verify that swimming pools, wading pools, hot tubs, and spas comply with accessibility code provisions.	