

# Using the assessment example questions

## How to access the example questions

1. Click on the part one or part two link to access the example questions. You will see an 'Enter Keycode' box. The keycode is already populated, so click 'Confirm'.
2. You will then see a 'Confirm Details' box. The generic demo details are already populated, so click 'Confirm'.
3. You will see the instructions for the example questions. Please read these and check the box to show that you agree to proceed.

The process to access the assessment paper will be similar, but not exactly the same as the process above. We will give you more information about what you will need to do in the assessment sitting guidance, and test centre staff will make clear the steps you will need to take on the day.

For these example questions, no information about you or your answers will be recorded. You will need to note your answers separately, and mark them using the section at the end of this guide.

The example questions will time out after one hour, but you can access them again by refreshing your browser or clicking the link on the web page again. You can work through the questions as many times as you like.

## A guide to the example question functionality

You can see the main features of the question screen on the next page, including how to access the navigation, and some of the functions to help you answer the questions.

There are some other elements which you may find helpful which are explained on the Surpass website.

### Flagging questions for review

You can flag questions to come back to later. [Find out about flagging questions](#)

### Using the on-screen calculator

You will be able to use the **basic** on-screen calculator for part one of the assessment. [Find out how to use the basic calculator](#)

### Highlighting text

You can highlight sections of the question text. [Find out about using the highlight function](#)

### Using PDF resources

For some questions, you will need to look at a PDF resource. In these example questions, the search in PDF function is not available, but you will be able to use this in the assessment. [Find out about using the PDF viewer](#)

Figure 1: A example question page

The screenshot shows an online assessment interface. At the top, a blue header bar contains a clock icon, the text "Total Test Time Remain... 00:59:40", and a "Finish Test" button. Below this, a green bar displays "Test: 2022 example questions Part 1" and "Candidate: USER Demo". The main content area features a vertical list of question numbers (1-12) on the left, with question 7 selected. The question text reads: "A 6-year-old child is taking Gaviscon Original Aniseed Relief suspension 10mL four times a day. Gaviscon Original Aniseed Relief suspension contains 3.1mmol Na<sup>+</sup>/5mL. The recommended daily allowance (RDA) of salt for a 6-year-old child is 3g (equivalent to 1.2g sodium) per day. The relative atomic mass of sodium is 23. **What percentage of this child's recommended daily salt allowance is contained in the total daily dose of Gaviscon Original Aniseed Relief suspension? Give your answer to the nearest whole number.**" Below the question is a "Basic Calculator" icon and a text input field with a "%" symbol. At the bottom, a blue navigation bar includes a settings icon, a flag icon, and "Back" and "Next" buttons. Callout boxes provide instructions for each element: "See your progress and click to view specific questions" points to the question list; "Add your answer here. You can only type numbers, a decimal point, and commas." points to the input field; "Click when you have completed all your answers. You will be asked to 'Confirm' to end your test." points to the "Finish Test" button; "Click to use the on-screen calculator" points to the "Basic Calculator" icon; "Change the colour and contrast of your test display" points to the settings icon; "Click to review the questions- you can view them by which ones you have completed, not completed or flagged" points to the flag icon; "Use to flag questions to come back to" points to the flag icon; and "Use these buttons to scroll through the questions" points to the "Back" and "Next" buttons.

## Answers

Table 1: Part one

Question number	Answer
Question 1	48 %
Question 2	134 minute(s)
Question 3	86 mL/hour
Question 4	270000 units
Question 5	84 mL
Question 6	8 capsule(s)
Question 7	355 tablet(s)
Question 8	0.92 mL/hour
Question 9	0.5 mL
Question 10	223 mL
Question 11	4 g
Question 12	771.42 pounds

Table 2: Part two section 1 answers

Question number	Answer
Question 1	B colchicine
Question 2	D stop taking pioglitazone straight away and see her GP as soon as possible
Question 3	E subconjunctival haemorrhage
Question 4	D fentanyl '75' patch every 72 hours
Question 5	E <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>
Question 6	C ramipril
Question 7	C provide general advice about the condition and recommend the use of paracetamol for the headache and general aches as necessary
Question 8	B common
Question 9	C 30 days
Question 10	E naproxen
Question 11	A to improve adherence

Question number	Answer
Question 12	C 180 mg
Question 13	C Humalog Mix25 (biphasic insulin lispro)
Question 14	increase the dose and maintain the same dosage interval C
Question 15	Immunisation against infectious disease (known as the Green Book) C
Question 16	B dipyridamole
Question 17	A amlodipine
Question 18	C 5 years
Question 19	switch back to Priadel with appropriate monitoring in place E
Question 20	C ibuprofen 400 mg tablets

**Table 3: Part two section 1 answers**

Question number	Answer
Question 1	G reduced eGFR
Question 2	E myopathy
Question 3	A bleeding risk increased
Question 4	F QT interval prolongation
Question 5	E Clexane injection 75 mg sc twice daily
Question 6	F Clexane injection 80 mg sc twice daily
Question 7	A Clexane injection 20 mg sc once daily
Question 8	H hyponatraemia
Question 9	F hypokalaemia
Question 10	limited experience of the use of this product – report E