

NEHA REHS-RS 2021 Examination Blueprint - FINAL

Duties and Tasks		Exam Weight	N of Items
A	Performing Environmental Health Surveillance	12%	24
A.01	Plan surveillance activities		8
A.02	Collect surveillance data		4
A.03	Analyze data		4
A.04	Implement actions		8
B	Conducting Inspections	48%	96
B.01	Review regulations and standards		11
B.02	Prioritize inspections		4
B.03	Maintain inspection equipment		2
B.04	Perform food inspections		16
B.05	Perform wastewater inspections (i.e., onsite,		11
B.06	Perform potable water quality inspections		11
B.07	Perform recreational water inspections		9
B.08	Perform solid, hazardous, and infectious waste facility inspections		11
B.10	Perform body art inspections		2
B.11	Perform group gathering inspections		3
B.12	Perform healthy homes inspections		4
B.14	Perform institution inspections		10
B.16	Perform other inspections		2
C	Conducting Investigations	18%	36
C.01	Perform epidemiology investigations		12
C.02	Perform lead investigations		3
C.03	Perform environmental health investigations		5
C.04	Verify risk abatement		6
C.05	Perform vector and pest investigations		10
D	Conducting Compliance Review	12%	24
D.01	Conduct plan review		8
D.02	Review HACCP plans		6
D.03	Evaluate variance requests		2
D.04	Determine permitting status		3
D.05	Verify compliance with regulations		5
E	Providing Environmental Health Information	10%	20
E.01	Communicate findings and corrective actions		4
E.02	Perform technical assistance		2
E.03	Collaborate with stakeholders (e.g., Community		2
E.04	Communicate environmental health risks		6
E.05	Create environmental public health emergency response preparedness plans		2
E.06	Implement environmental public health emergency response preparedness plans		4
Total		100%	200*

*200 represents the number of scored questions. There are 200 scored and 25 un-scored questions on the exam for a total of 225 questions.