

CSA Examination Blueprint – Updated 2024

	Content	Final %	Final
A	The Sociology of Aging	9%	9
	Identify trends in aging		
	Affirm truths about aging		
	Identify social and cultural issues associated with aging		
B	Family and Aging	7%	7
	Identify family dynamics		
	Engage with older adults and their families		
C	Resource and Referral Networks	6%	6
	Develop resource and referral networks		
	Refer older adults and their families to others		
D	Health and Wellness Aspects	14%	14
	Identify healthy lifestyles for aging population		
	Identify physical changes and challenges		
	Identify mental and behavioral changes and challenges		
	Identify the signs and symptoms of potential elder abuse and exploitation		
E	Lifestyle Aspects	14%	14
	Educate and assess the lifestyle situation of the older adult		
	Identify social aspects of aging		
	Identify technological aspects of aging		
	Identify mobility issues		
	Identify sexuality issues		
F	Financial Aspects	24%	24
	Identify concerns older adults and families have about finances		
	Convey the importance of thinking about financial resources (now and in the future)		
	Identify aspects of estate planning		
	Educate about health insurance and benefit options		
	Educate about financial assistance available to older adults		
	Identify options for financing care (short and long term)		
	Identify potential for financial fraud and abuse		
G	Care Planning for Adults	9%	9
	Identify older adult care needs and locations		
	Build a plan for care continuum		
	Identify caregiver needs and support		
H	Legal Aspects	3%	3
	Address importance of legal planning		
I	End-of-Life Planning	6%	6
	Educate older adults/families about end-of-life arrangements		
	Manage end of life details		
J	Ethical Issues	8%	8
	Adhere to CSA and professional codes of ethics and standards		
	Uphold older adults' rights within professional ethical guidelines		
		100%	100