

National Certifying Examination for Infection Control Professionals (CICP) 2026 - Batch 07

* ADD CREDIBILITY TO YOUR CAREER *

The National Certifying Exam for Infection Control Professionals (CICP) serves as a pivotal milestone in ensuring the proficiency and expertise of individuals dedicated to infection prevention and control. This comprehensive examination is designed to assess the knowledge, skills, and capabilities of healthcare professionals in effectively managing and mitigating the risk of hospital-acquired infections. By obtaining this certification, professionals demonstrate a commitment to the highest standards of infection control, contributing to enhanced patient safety and the overall well-being of healthcare environment. The exam serves as a benchmark, empowering individuals and organizations to uphold excellence in the field of infection control

What will you gain?

- Earn valuable credentials to underscore your proficiency in IPC, showcasing your expertise in the field.
- Stand out confidently by differentiating yourself through certification, reinfirsing self-assurance in your capabilities.
- Elevate your professional credibility, unlocking enhanced opportunities for career growth and progression.
- Attaining National CICP Certification signals to your employer and peers that you possess the requisite knowledge and skills to excel as a valuable member of the IPC team.

EXAMINATION

Syllabus

- Basic Introduction to IPC and Standard Precautions
- Personal Protective Equipment and Transmission Based Precautions
- Hand Hygiene Practices and Auditing
- Health Care Associated Infections Epidemiology & Significance
- Health Care Associated Infection Definitions
- Ventilator Associated Events & Ventilator Associated Pneumonia Surveillance & Bundle Care
- Catheter Associated Blood Stream Infections Surveillance & Bundle Care
- Catheter Associated Urinary Tract Infections Surveillance & Bundle Care
- Surgical Site Infections Surveillance & Bundle Care
- Housekeeping Practices & Linen Management in Hospital Environment
- Biomedical Waste Management Guidelines, Implementation & Auditing
- Outbreak Management Basic Principles
- Case Based Scenario for Outbreak Control
- Infection Prevention & Control in Specific Hospital Areas
 - Bone Marrow Transplant/Oncology Units
 - Intensive Care Units
 - Dietary Section
- Sterilisation and Disinfection
- Surveillance in Infection Control
 - Environmental Surface
 - Air
 - Water
- Prevention of Needle Stick Injury and Occupational Infectious Hazards
- Protection of Health care workers Vaccination and Post Exposure Prophylaxis
- Setting up of an Infection Control Program in a Hospital Setting
- NABH Standards in Hospital Infection Control
- Statistical Tools Used in IPC Surveillance and Audit





Download Reading Materials



ExamNotification

(Nov 2025)



Register for exam

(Till 25th Jan 2026)



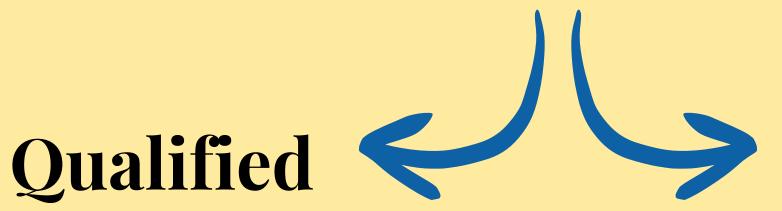
OnlineProctoredExamination

(7th Feb 2026)



Results Declaration

(CICP Certification) **Graduation Ceremony** in CAHOCON 2026



Not Qualified

Re-Examination with next Batch



30 credit points to be carried in 3 years' time for re-certification after 3 years.

Highlights

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Batch O4 (Sep 14th 2024)

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Registration

The registration is open till 25th Jan 2026 and Exam Date on 7th Feb 2026.

Registration Fees -

FreshApplicants-7080INR (incl. 18% GST)

Re-Attempters -1500 INR (incl. 18% GST)

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- Must have attempted the exam in the previous batch.
- Use the same email ID for re-application

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