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## **NUTRITION PROFESSIONAL EXAMINATION**

The examination will take *3hours* and have *90 multiple choice questions*.

1. Knowledge – 5%
2. Comprehension – 15%
3. Application – 50%
4. Analysis – 15%
5. Synthesis – 10%
6. Evaluation – 5%

The TWG agreed that the core section (section B) takes 40% and non-core (section A) takes 60%

Section A: this section covers core areas in nutrition and dietetics and form 60% of the professional examination. The examinable areas for the Professional Examination

1. Principles of nutrition and behaviour
2. Nutrition in emergency
3. Entrepreneurship education
4. Principles of primary health care
5. Principles of food processing and preservation
6. Food safety and hygiene
7. Nutrition Education and counselling
8. Food microbiology and parasitology
9. Introduction to nutrition and dietetics
10. Principles of human nutrition
11. Introduction to Biostatistics
12. Human anatomy and physiology
13. Nutrition in the lifespan
14. Nutrition assessment and surveillance
15. Legal aspects in Nutrition and Dietetics
16. Maternal and child Nutrition

### **CORE NUTRITION AREAS**

Section B has nutrition specific units and shall constitute 40% of the professional examination

1. Nutrition Anthropology
2. Communicable and non-communicable disease
3. Food security
4. Community partnership skills
5. Nutrition Intervention in HIV
6. Introduction to nutrition epidemiology