

National Craft Assessment and Certification Program S P E C I F I C A T I O N S

Concrete Finisher (CNCRT23)

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Overview

This written assessment is a two-hour closed-book examination. You will be permitted to use a basic function, non-printing calculator during the examination. The assessment center will provide any necessary pencils. No extra papers, books, notes or study materials are allowed in the testing area.

Study Material

All NCCER written assessments are referenced to Contren® Learning Series modules listed in the content. You may order modules from Pearson (800.922.0579) or from NCCER's Online Catalog at www.nccer.org.

Assessment Development

All questions on each assessment have been developed and approved by subject matter experts from the respective craft. Assessment development and administration is under the direction of ProvTM, NCCER's testing partner.

Credentials

NCCER will send appropriate credentials (certificate, wallet card and official transcript) to the assessment center upon successful completion of the written assessment.

Training Prescription Reports

Each candidate will have access to individual results of the written assessment from Prov's website at www.provexam.com. This training prescription will include the overall score and results by topic area.

National Registry

Assessment results will be maintained in NCCER's National Registry and become a part of each candidate's training records. These records are stored and become a portable record of the candidate's training and assessment achievements.

Focus Statement

The concrete finisher places, finishes, and cures concrete safely. A finisher knows the properties of concrete through slump workability and finishability. A concrete finisher knows typical components and admixtures and their effects to concrete mix design and can select the right tools for the right application. The finisher also understands the basics of repair, rub, and patch.

Written Assessment Contents:

Module	Topic Area	# of Questions
23101	Introduction to Concrete Construction and Finishing	6
23102	Safety Requirements	6
23103	Properties of Concrete, Part One	7
23104	Tools and Equipment	6
23105	Preparing for Placement	4
23106	Placing Concrete	6
23107	Finishing, Part One	6
23108	Curing and Protecting Concrete	7
23109	Introduction to Troubleshooting	5
23201	Properties of Concrete, Part Two	6
23202	Estimating Concrete Quantities	4
23203	Forming	4
23204	Site Concrete	6
23206	Industrial Floors	4
23207	Superflat Floors	4
23208	Surface Treatments	4
23209	Quality Control	5
23210	Making Repairs	4
36108-01	Paving	6
Total Number of Questions		100

The cut score for this assessment is 70%.

A Performance Verification is available.

Also available in Spanish (CNCRT23S).