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DP Exam Content Outline

The Donor Phlebotomy exam will ask questions to be sure that candidates meet these six standards. The % of questions on the test in each standard category can be found in the table.

- Standard 1:** The Donor Phlebotomist should have a general understanding of performance expectations in a Blood Donor Center.
- Standard 2:** The Donor Phlebotomist will understand the requirements and regulations that govern donor phlebotomy.
- Standard 3:** The Donor Phlebotomist will exhibit knowledge of blood and blood components.
- Standard 4:** The Donor Phlebotomist will understand principles of donor selection.
- Standard 5:** The Donor Phlebotomist will demonstrate proper collection techniques.
- Standard 6:** The Donor Phlebotomist will understand special procedures.

Donor Phlebotomy Exam Content Grid Categories	Level 1 Recall Awareness Familiarity	Level 2 Understanding Interpretation Application	Level 3 Analysis Synthesis Evaluation	Mean % of test questions per category
Standard 1: Understanding the Role	6 ± 2%	7 ± 2%	3 ± 2%	16
Standard 2: Requirements and Regulations	3 ± 2%	7 ± 2%	4 ± 2%	14
Standard 3: Knowledge of Blood and Components	5 ± 2%	4 ± 2%	2 ± 2%	11
Standard 4: Principles of Donor Selection	3 ± 2%	11 ± 2%	10 ± 2%	24
Standard 5: Proper Collection Techniques	4 ± 2%	11 ± 2%	10 ± 2%	25
Standard 6: Special Procedures	3 ± 2%	4 ± 2%	4 ± 2%	11
Mean % of test questions by level	24	44	33	Total = 100%