



# 2021 Virtual Texas Area Conferences

## Online Testing Instructions

As a competitor, you **MUST** read this information prior to logging into your exam!



### Instructions:

1. On January 7, 2021, those taking the Officer Exam and Health Care Issues Exam, will receive an email with your **testing ID, password, event name, and event time**. (You will receive an email with log-in information for **each** test you are taking; therefore, if you are registered for multiple tests, you will receive multiple emails).
2. On January 15, 2021, all competitors that are taking an online test will receive an email with your **testing ID, password, event name, and event time**. (You will receive an email with log-in information for **each** test you are taking; therefore, if you are registered for multiple tests, you will receive multiple emails).

3. **READ CAREFULLY:**

**DO NOT attempt to log-in prior to your testing date and time.**

Only use the identification credentials to log into the testing system when you are ready to start the test **on the day of your test**. There is no need to "test" the credentials to ensure they are working because **as soon as you log into the testing system, your testing time begins**

4. When it is time to take your test (schedule below), you will log-in. To log-in, type your ID and password **EXACTLY** as it is written in the email message. Most IDs start with a **capital " T "**, **end in numbers, and are case sensitive**.
5. **EXTREMELY IMPORTANT TO REMEMBER:** Once the test has begun, do not close your internet browser. If you accidentally close your browser while you are looking at references, it might force your test to submit prematurely! You do not want this to happen. **Therefore, do not close your internet browser.**

6. **If you are unable to log in successfully and receive an error - wait 15 minutes and try to login again. If you continue to have issues call or email the support team.**
7. If you experience issues while you are testing, please call - 1.877.728.0150 or email – [texashosa@texasorg.org](mailto:texashosa@texasorg.org)
8. The login link to the testing site is at the end of these instructions. Once you click on the link you can login under "Take a Test."

**\*\*\*IF YOU ARE MISSING AN EMAIL PLEASE CHECK YOUR JUNK OR SPAM FOLDER\*\*\***

### **Troubleshooting Tips:**

Before you panic and call the online testing hotline, try to troubleshoot the issue yourself if you receive a message like: "Access Denied" or "Your login attempt was unsuccessful".

- Are you typing the ID and password **EXACTLY** the way it was written in the email. Remember the letters are case sensitive.
- Are you logged in on the right day? Right time? Please look over the testing schedule below.

## **Test Schedule**

Please find your exam day below. The times are all in Central Daylight Time. This means the testing system will open at 8:00am and close at 8:00pm CDT. You may login at any time during this window to take your test.

**Teamwork events:** All competitors for teamwork events **must login to test within 60 minutes of the first team member logging in.** Texas HOSA is monitoring time stamps on tests to ensure this credibility. Team members should coordinate a testing time that works for all members within the given 12-hour timeframe.

Friday, January 8, 2021

**Testing open for 12 Hours: 8am -8pm**

1 Officer Candidate Testing

2 Health Care Issues Exam

**Online Testing Support 8am-8pm**

Monday, January 18, 2021

Testing open for 12 Hours: 8am -8pm

- 1 Medical Spelling
- 2 Extemporaneous Writing
- 3 Healthy Lifestyle
- 4 Biomedical Debate
- 5 Creative Problem Solving
- 6 Forensic Medicine
- 7 Parliamentary Procedure
- 8 HOSA Bowl

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Tuesday, January 19, 2021

Testing open for 12 Hours: 8am-8pm

- 1 Biomedical Laboratory Science
- 2 Clinical Nursing
- 3 Dental Science
- 4 Home Health Aide
- 5 Medical Assisting
- 6 Nursing Assisting
- 7 Personal Care
- 8 Pharmacy Science
- 9 Physical Therapy
- 10 Sports Medicine
- 11 Veterinary Science

Online Testing Support 8am-8pm

Wednesday, 20, 2021

Testing open for 12 Hours: 8am-8pm

- 1 CERT
- 2 CPR and First Aid
- 3 EMT
- 4 Life Support Skills

Thursday, January 21, 2021

Testing open for 12 Hours: 8am-8pm

- 1 Behavioral Health
- 2 Cultural Diversity and Disparities
- 3 Dental Terminology
- 4 Health Informatics
- 5 Human Growth and Development
- 6 Medical Law and Ethics
- 7 Medical Math
- 8 Medical Reading
- 9 Medical Terminology
- 10 Nutrition
- 11 Pathophysiology

12 Pharmacology

13 Epidemiology

Online Testing Support 8am-8pm

**Questions? Email – [Texashosa@texashosa.org](mailto:Texashosa@texashosa.org)**

**Testing Site Link – [testing.hosa.org](http://testing.hosa.org)**