Examination Topics:
The CEICS and CEICR closed book examinations cover four topic areas relevant to environmental infection control consulting and investigation. The CEICS exam contains 120 multiple choice questions; the CEICR exam contains 100 multiple choice questions. For a detailed list of the knowledge and skills tested within each topic area, consult the CEICS and CEICR application booklets.

Topic Areas:
1. Infectious diseases and their modes of transmission in the institutional setting
2. Principles of infection control during construction, demolition, renovation and repair activities
3. Effective infection control practices during construction, demolition, renovation and repair activities
4. Respiratory Protection

Recommended Study Procedures:
To prepare for the CEICS or CEICR exams, first read the reference texts listed above in their entirety. Then review the following sections from each text in more detail.

WARNING: Limiting your study to only the following pages will put you in danger of failing the exam. The exam assumes a comprehensive knowledge of each reference text.
   Pages 20, 23, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 35, 38, 37, 39, 40, 44, 45, 54, 55, 61, 56, 63, 64, 65, 73, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 139, 148, 152 and 224
   Tables 1, 3, 6, 8, 9 and 10

   Sections 1, 2.3, 3, 5, 6.3.1, 6.4.1, 6.6, 7.2.1.b, 7.2.1.f, 7.2.2.d, 7.4.1.a and 8.6.a
   Tables 6-1 and 7-1

3. NIOSH Respirator Selection Logic (2004)
   Pages 1, 4, 5, 8, 13, 17, 19, 20 and 22