

Illinois Secretary of State permit practice test 8

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25 questions. Circle one answer for each. Answer key on the last page. Name: _____ Score: _____ / 25

1. What should you never do when passing a horseback rider?

- A. Sound your horn
- B. Give extra room
- C. Slow down
- D. Be ready to stop

2. On the rear of a slow-moving vehicle, where must the required flashing amber light be mounted, and how far must it be visible in sunlight?

- A. As high as possible; 500 feet
- B. Anywhere; 1,000 feet
- C. Low on the bumper; 100 feet
- D. On the left fender; 200 feet

3. At what blood-alcohol concentration is it illegal for an adult to drive in Illinois?

- A. .15% or more
- B. .10% or more
- C. .08% or more
- D. .05% or more

4. Can you be convicted of DUI in Illinois with a BAC below .08%?

- A. No, never
- B. Only if you crash
- C. Only if you are over 65
- D. Yes, if your driving ability is impaired

5. What is the only way to remove the effects of alcohol from your body?

- A. A cold shower
- B. Coffee
- C. Time
- D. Eating a meal

6. Illinois law prohibits driving with a THC concentration of how much or more per milliliter of whole blood?

- A. 1 nanogram
- B. 2 nanograms
- C. 5 nanograms
- D. 10 nanograms

7. How must cannabis be transported in a vehicle in Illinois?

- A. In a sealed, odor-proof, child-resistant container
- B. In the passenger's pocket
- C. In the glove box
- D. In any closed bag

8. Which of these can impair your driving the way alcohol does?

- A. Decaf coffee
- B. Antihistamines and cold remedies
- C. Vitamins
- D. Bottled water

9. Under Illinois' implied consent law, by driving on Illinois roads you agree to:

- A. Allow your car to be searched at any time
- B. Carry two forms of ID
- C. Pay any fine on the spot
- D. Submit to breath, blood, urine or other tests for alcohol or drugs when lawfully requested

10. A first-time offender's chemical test shows a BAC of .08% or more. How long is the statutory summary suspension?

- A. Three months
- B. Three years
- C. One year
- D. Six months

11. A first-time offender refuses chemical testing after a DUI arrest. How long is the suspension?

- A. One year
- B. Three years
- C. Three months
- D. Six months

12. For a second offender, how long is the statutory summary suspension for refusing a chemical test?

- A. Three years
- B. Two years
- C. One year
- D. Five years

13. After a DUI arrest, the officer's temporary receipt lets you drive for how long before the statutory summary suspension begins?

- A. 10 days
- B. 30 days
- C. 45 days
- D. 90 days

14. What is the minimum revocation for a first DUI conviction for a driver 21 or older in Illinois?

- A. Two years
- B. Five years
- C. Six months
- D. One year

15. What is the minimum revocation for a second DUI conviction within 20 years?

- A. One year
- B. Three years
- C. Ten years
- D. Five years

16. A fourth DUI conviction in Illinois results in:

- A. Lifetime revocation
- B. A 15-year revocation
- C. A one-year suspension
- D. A 10-year revocation

17. Which DUI cases may bring enhanced penalties in Illinois?

- A. Any DUI on a weekday
- B. A BAC of exactly .08%
- C. A BAC of .16% or more, or transporting a child under 16
- D. DUI in a rental car

18. After a DUI conviction, for how long must you file Financial Responsibility Insurance?

- A. Three years
- B. Five years
- C. One year
- D. Two years

19. What device must be installed on the vehicle of a first-time DUI offender who gets a Monitoring Device Driving Permit?

- A. A GPS tracker
- B. A speed governor
- C. A dashboard camera
- D. A Breath Alcohol Ignition Interlock Device (BAIID)

20. Which of these is an Aggravated DUI in Illinois?

- A. DUI while driving without a valid license or insurance
- B. Refusing a breath test
- C. Having a BAC of .06%
- D. A first DUI with no crash

21. Under Illinois' open container law, which is illegal for a car driver?

- A. Having an opened alcohol container in the passenger area
- B. Driving a friend home from a bar
- C. Buying alcohol before driving home
- D. Carrying sealed alcohol in the trunk

22. What is the minimum revocation for a driver under 21 convicted of a first DUI?

- A. Six months
- B. One year
- C. Two years
- D. Five years

23. A driver under 21 is found with any trace of alcohol while driving. What is the minimum suspension?

- A. One year
- B. Three months
- C. One month
- D. Six months

24. Is it legal to let someone you know is under the influence drive your car?

- A. Yes, for short trips
- B. No, it is illegal
- C. Only if you ride along
- D. Yes, if they have a license

25. A first-time DUI offender chooses not to get a monitoring device permit and is caught driving during the suspension. What is the offense?

- A. A misdemeanor
- B. A petty offense
- C. A felony
- D. No offense

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1. A: Sound your horn

Never sound your horn near a horse or other livestock; the noise may frighten the animal and cause a crash. (Horseback Riders, page 47)

2. A: As high as possible; 500 feet

When lights are required, a flashing amber signal must be mounted as high as possible on the rear and be visible for 500 feet in sunlight. (Rear Light, page 46)

3. C: .08% or more

It is illegal to drive with a BAC of .08% or more, and you can still be convicted of DUI below .08% if your driving is impaired. (Blood-Alcohol Concentration (BAC)/Presence of Drugs, page 48)

4. D: Yes, if your driving ability is impaired

You can be convicted of DUI with a BAC under .08% if your driving ability is impaired. (Blood-Alcohol Concentration (BAC)/Presence of Drugs, page 48)

5. C: Time

Only time removes alcohol's effects. Food, coffee and showers don't speed it up. (Blood-Alcohol Concentration (BAC)/Presence of Drugs, page 48)

6. C: 5 nanograms

It is illegal to drive with 5 nanograms or more of THC per milliliter of whole blood, or 10 nanograms or more per milliliter of other bodily substance. (Blood-Alcohol Concentration (BAC)/Presence of Drugs, page 48)

7. A: In a sealed, odor-proof, child-resistant container

Cannabis may be transported only in a sealed, odor-proof, child-resistant container, and no one may use cannabis in the vehicle. (Medical and Recreational Cannabis (Marijuana), page 48)

8. B: Antihistamines and cold remedies

Many prescription and over-the-counter drugs, including antihistamines, cold remedies and pain relievers, impair safe driving. (Other Drugs, page 49)

9. D: Submit to breath, blood, urine or other tests for alcohol or drugs when lawfully requested

Driving on Illinois roads means you automatically consent to chemical testing to determine whether you were under the influence. (Implied Consent Law, page 49)

10. D: Six months

Failing a chemical test (BAC .08% or more, or the THC limits) brings a six-month suspension for a first offender. (Statutory Summary Suspension/Revocation Law, page 49)

11. A: One year

Refusing chemical testing brings a one-year suspension for a first offender. (Statutory Summary Suspension/Revocation Law, page 49)

12. A: Three years

A second offender's privileges are suspended for three years for refusal, or one year for failing the test. (Statutory Summary Suspension/Revocation Law, page 49)

13. C: 45 days

The temporary receipt allows driving for 45 days; the suspension begins on the 46th day after the notice date. (Statutory Summary Suspension/Revocation Law, page 49)

14. D: One year

A first DUI conviction results in at least a one-year revocation. (DUI Conviction, page 50)

15. D: Five years

A second conviction within 20 years brings at least a five-year revocation; a third, 10 years; a fourth or later, lifetime. (DUI Conviction, page 50)

16. A: Lifetime revocation

A fourth and any later DUI conviction results in lifetime revocation. (DUI Conviction, page 50)

17. C: A BAC of .16% or more, or transporting a child under 16

DUI with a BAC of .16% or more, or while transporting a child under 16, may bring enhanced penalties. (DUI Conviction, page 50)

18. A: Three years

A DUI conviction requires you to file Financial Responsibility (SR-22) Insurance for three years. (DUI Conviction, page 50)

19. D: A Breath Alcohol Ignition Interlock Device (BAIID)

A Monitoring Device Driving Permit requires a BAIID on the offender's vehicle, which reports attempts to drive after drinking or tampering. (Breath Alcohol Ignition Interlock Device (BAIID), page 50)

20. A: DUI while driving without a valid license or insurance

Aggravated DUI includes DUI without a valid license, permit or insurance, a third or later DUI, DUI causing injury or death, and DUI while driving a school bus with children or a vehicle for hire. (Aggravated DUI, page 51)

21. A: Having an opened alcohol container in the passenger area

It is illegal to have an opened container of alcohol in the passenger area or to drink in a vehicle; sealed containers are not the problem. (Illegal Transportation of Alcoholic Beverages/Open Container, page 51)

22. C: Two years

A driver under 21 convicted of DUI faces at least a two-year revocation for a first conviction. (Drivers Under Age 21, page 52)

23. B: Three months

Any trace of alcohol in a driver under 21 means a suspension of at least three months. (Drivers Under Age 21, page 52)

24. B: No, it is illegal

It is illegal to allow someone to drive your vehicle if you know they are under the influence. (Contributing to a DUI, page 52)

25. C: A felony

An offender who declines the program and is caught driving during the suspension is guilty of a felony. (Breath Alcohol Ignition Interlock Device (BAIID), page 50)