

**CONTENT OUTLINE FOR REGISTERED MEDICAL ASSISTANT (RMA)  
CERTIFICATION EXAMINATION**

<u>Content Area</u>	<u>Approximate Percentage of Total Test</u>
I. <i>General Medical Assisting Knowledge</i>	41%
A. Anatomy and physiology	
B. Medical terminology	
C. Medical law	
D. Medical ethics	
E. Human relations	
F. Patient education	
II. <i>Administrative Medical Assisting</i>	24%
A. Insurance	
B. Finance and bookkeeping	
C. Medical receptionist / secretarial / clerical	
III. <i>Clinical Medical Assisting</i>	35%
A. Asepsis	
B. Sterilization	
C. Instruments	
D. Vital signs and mensurations	
E. Physical examinations	
F. Clinical pharmacology	
G. Minor surgery	
H. Therapeutic modalities	
I. Laboratory procedures	
J. Electrocardiography (ECG)	
K. First aid and emergency response	