

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FUNERAL DIRECTORS



Diploma in Funeral Arranging and Administration NORTHERN IRELAND

Written Examination

7 March 2018

Candidate Instructions

- *Five minutes will be allowed before the start of the examination for the reading of the paper.*
- *Your registration number and name **must** be written at the top left-hand corner of each page on which you write.*
- *Answer all questions.*
- *Strict examination conditions will apply – no talking is permitted. Any candidate leaving the room without permission will not be allowed to return.*
- *Access to mobile telephones or other electronic devices is not permitted in this examination.*
- **TIME ALLOWED : 1 hour 30 minutes**

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MODULE 1

Q1. List the “Five stages of grief” identified by Elisabeth Kübler-Ross. (5 marks)

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Q2. The “Determinants of Grief”, as they are called, can be helpful, but should not be used to determine the depth of grief. Identify FOUR of them. (4 marks)

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MODULE 1

Q3. An efficient funeral arranger / director should be prepared to provide clients with information on a range of subjects. This information falls into three categories, identify them. (3 marks)

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Q4. Abnormal grief is sometimes referred to as 'complicated grief' and this area can be broken down into a number of different types. List those types. (5 marks)

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MODULE 1

Q5. List FIVE examples of good client care demonstrated by a Funeral Arranger. (5 marks)

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Q6. Clients are entitled to expect that funeral arrangers / funeral directors will demonstrate an acceptable level of care and respect. List THREE things that are specifically included. (3 marks)

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MODULE 2

Q1. When dealing with a "First Call", if the death occurred at home, identify SIX pieces of information that should be ascertained. (6 marks)

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Q2. List FOUR pieces of information that should be offered regarding registration procedures. (4 marks)

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MODULE 2

Q3. The initial identification of the deceased is only the beginning of a continuous system of checks that continue right through to the time of committal. List FIVE other occasions when the identity of the deceased should be checked. (5 marks)

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Q4. After the deceased has been removed from a house, identify THREE things that should be done before/upon leaving the address. (3 marks)

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MODULE 2

Q5. List FIVE checks that should be made before a viewing takes place in your Chapel of Rest. (5 marks)

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Q6. Receipt of a 'First Call' will usually fall into one of three categories. Identify TWO of them. (2 marks)

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MODULE 3

Q1 After registration of a death NOT involving the Coroner, what documents are issued by the Registrar? (3 marks)

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Q2. List SIX occasions when a death should be reported to the Coroner by the Registrar. (6 marks)

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MODULE 3

Q3. Identify the FOUR main pieces of Health and Safety Legislation that are relevant to the Funeral Industry. (4 marks)

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Q4. List FOUR diseases that a funeral worker should be vaccinated against. (4 marks)

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MODULE 3

Q5. List FIVE persons qualified to act as informants to the Registrar. (5 marks)

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Q6. List THREE key principles of the Manual Handling Operations Regulations (1992). (3 marks)

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MODULE 4

Q1. List FIVE procedures you should have in place for dealing with Donations following their reception at your premises. (5 marks)

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Q2. What are the time scales for registration of a Stillbirth? (2 marks)

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Q3. Define the terms Postnatal death and Stillborn. (4 marks)

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MODULE 4

Q4. List FIVE essential pieces of information that should be passed to the funeral officiant regarding the deceased. (5 marks)

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Q5. Identify THREE different categories of costs that might appear on a funeral invoice. (3 marks)

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MODULE 4

**Q6. List SIX pieces of information included in the client confirmation of funeral arrangements.
(6 marks)**

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MODULE 5

Q1. Prepayment of a funeral has many advantages over providing for the cost of a funeral by insurance. Identify FOUR advantages. (4 marks)

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Q2. List FIVE sources to finance payment of a funeral. (5 marks)

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MODULE 5

Q3. List FOUR benefits to a Funeral Director for joining a National Prepaid Funeral Scheme. (4 marks)

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Q4. List THREE disadvantages to a Funeral Director for joining a National Prepaid Funeral Scheme. (3 marks)

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MODULE 5

Q5. Identify FOUR situations when a person might consider pre-arranging their funeral. (4 marks)

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Q6. List FIVE costs/fees that the Funeral Payment Scheme will allow in the case of a Cremation.

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