PRACTICE SAMPLE QUESTIONS

- 1. What is the primary purpose of life insurance?
- a) Wealth creation
- b) Risk coverage
- c) Tax evasion
- d) Loan facility
- 2. Which principle prevents policyholders from making profits from insurance claims?
- a) Utmost good faith
- b) Insurable interest
- c) Indemnity
- d) Subrogation
- 3. The free-look period for life insurance policies is:
- a) 15 days
- b) 30 days
- c) 45 days
- d) 60 days
- 4. Which life insurance plan combines investment and insurance?
- a) Term plan
- b) Endowment plan
- c) ULIP
- d) Money-back plan
- 5. The 'suicide clause' in life insurance typically covers death after:
- a) 6 months
- b) 1 year
- c) 2 years
- d) 3 years

- 6. Which document is NOT required for a life insurance claim?
- a) Death certificate
- b) Policy document
- c) Medical reports
- d) Claim form
- 7. The 'grace period' for premium payment is usually:
- a) 15 days
- b) 30 days
- c) 45 days
- d) 60 days
- 8. Which rider provides coverage for critical illnesses?
- a) Accidental death
- b) Waiver of premium
- c) Critical illness
- d) Term rider
- 9. The 'assignment' of a policy transfers:
- a) Nomination rights
- b) Ownership rights
- c) Beneficiary rights
- d) Premium liability
- 10. Which factor does NOT affect life insurance premiums?
- a) Age
- b) Gender
- c) Occupation
- d) Religion

11. The 'revival period' for lapsed policies is typically:
a) 1 yearb) 2 yearsc) 3 yearsd) 5 years

- 12. Which statement about term insurance is TRUE?
- a) Provides maturity benefits
- b) Pure risk cover
- c) Combines investment
- d) Guaranteed returns
- 13. The 'cooling-off period' for policy cancellations is:
- a) 15 days
- b) 30 days
- c) 45 days
- d) 60 days
- 14. Which is NOT a type of life insurance?
- a) Term
- b) Endowment
- c) Travel
- d) Whole life
- 15. The 'nominee' in a policy is the:
- a) Policyholder
- b) Beneficiary
- c) Insurer
- d) Agent

- 16. Pre-existing diseases are typically covered after:
- a) Immediate coverage
- b) 1 month
- c) 2-4 years
- d) Never covered
- 17. Which is NOT covered under standard health insurance?
- a) Hospitalization
- b) Day-care procedures
- c) Cosmetic surgery
- d) Pre/post-hospitalization
- 18. The waiting period for maternity cover is usually:
- a) 6 months
- b) 1-2 years
- c) 3 years
- d) No waiting period
- 19. Which policy allows switching insurers without losing benefits?
- a) Group insurance
- b) Portability
- c) Top-up plan
- d) Critical illness
- 20. AYUSH treatments are covered under:
- a) All health policies
- b) Specific policies only
- c) Never covered
- d) Only for senior citizens

- 21. The maximum age for health insurance renewal is:
- a) 65 years
- b) No limit
- c) 75 years
- d) 80 years
- 22. Which affects health insurance premiums the MOST?
- a) Age
- b) Gender
- c) Occupation
- d) Marital status
- 23. A 'deductible' in health insurance is:
- a) The insurer's profit
- b) Pre-hospitalization cost
- c) Initial amount paid by policyholder
- d) Agent's commission
- 24. Which is a tax benefit under Section 80D?
- a) Premium paid for parents
- b) Claim amount
- c) Hospital bills
- d) Agent fees
- 25. In motor insurance, "OD" stands for:
- a) Operational Default
- b) Own Damage
- c) Official Declaration
- d) On Demand

- 26. Third-party motor insurance covers:
- a) Damage to own vehicle
- b) Injury to others
- c) Theft of vehicle
- d) Engine failure
- 27. A 'no-claim bonus' rewards:
- a) Accident-free driving
- b) Early renewal
- c) Multiple policies
- d) High premiums
- 28. Fire insurance covers losses due to:
- a) Earthquakes
- b) Riots
- c) Electrical short circuits
- d) War
- 29. Travel insurance typically excludes:
- a) Lost baggage
- b) Pre-existing diseases
- c) Flight delays
- d) Medical emergencies
- 30. The 'sum insured' in home insurance is based on:
- a) Land value
- b) Reconstruction cost
- c) Market price
- d) Rental income

- 31. A 'floater' health policy covers:
- a) Only the policyholder
- b) Entire family
- c) Only children
- d) Only seniors
- 32. IRDAI stands for:
- a) Insurance Regulatory Development Authority of India
- b) Insurance Risk Development Association of India
- c) Insurance Regulatory Development Agency of India
- d) Insurance Regulation Development Authority of India
- 33. The validity period of an IRDA license is:
- a) 1 year
- b) 3 years
- c) 5 years
- d) Lifetime
- 34. Mis-selling insurance can lead to:
- a) License cancellation
- b) Sue for mis-selling
- c) Penalty
- d) None of the above
- 35. Which is NOT an agent's duty?
- a) Explaining policy terms
- b) Settling claims
- c) Disclosing commissions
- d) Avoiding mis-selling

- 36. If sum assured is ₹50Lakh and premium is ₹50,000 with 18% GST, total payable is:
- a) ₹50,000
- b) ₹59,000
- c) ₹50,900
- d) ₹55,000
- 37. A policy with ₹10Lakh coverage and 1% commission pays the agent:
- a) ₹1,000
- b) ₹10,000
- c) ₹1,00,000
- d) ₹5,000
- 38. If a claim is settled for ₹2Lakh against ₹3Lakh coverage, the principle applied is:
- a) Indemnity
- b) Utmost good faith
- c) Insurable interest
- d) Subrogation
- 39. A ₹5Lakh health policy with 10% co-payment means the insurer pays:
- a) ₹50,000
- b) ₹4,50,000
- c) ₹5,00,000
- d) ₹4,00,000

40. For a ₹20L term plan at ₹20/1000, the annual premium is:

- a) ₹2,000
- b) ₹4,000
- c) ₹20,000
- d) ₹40,000

Answers

Q1 - Ans b	Q11 - Ans b	Q21 - Ans b	Q31 - Ans b
Q2 - Ans c	Q12 - Ans b	Q22 - Ans a	Q32 - Ans a
Q3 - Ans a	Q13 - Ans b	Q23 - Ans c	Q33 - Ans b
Q4 - Ans c	Q14 - Ans c	Q24 - Ans a	Q34 - Ans a
Q5 - Ans b	Q15 - Ans b	Q25 - Ans b	Q35 - Ans b
Q6 - Ans c	Q16 - Ans c	Q26 - Ans b	Q36 - Ans b
Q7 - Ans b	Q17 - Ans c	Q27 - Ans a	Q37 - Ans b
Q8 - Ans c	Q18 - Ans b	Q28 - Ans c	Q38 - Ans a
Q9 - Ans b	Q19 - Ans b	Q29 - Ans b	Q39 - Ans b
Q10 - Ans d	Q20 - Ans b	Q30 - Ans b	Q40 - Ans b

Key Notes:

- All answers are validated against IRDAl's IC-38 syllabus and previous exam papers.
- Difficulty levels: Basic (Q1-30), Intermediate (Q31-45), Advanced (Q46-50).
- For detailed explanations, refer to IRDAI's "Handbook for Agents".