

Thank you for your interest in becoming a Certified Health Informatics Professional

The CPHIMS-CA exam is valid in both Canada and the U.S., and the Certified Professional in Healthcare Information and Management Systems-Canada (CPHIMS-CA) credential validates professional competency to respected international and Canadian criteria. CPHIMS-CA signifies that a health informatics professional has the skills, knowledge, and abilities to perform safely and effectively in a broad range of practice settings. The CPHIMS-CA is provided through a partnership between COACH and HIMSS, issuing the credential and certificate jointly to successful candidates.

Eligibility for the CPHIMS-CA

To achieve CPHIMS-CA certification, you must write and pass the CPHIMS International exam as well as the Canadian Supplementary exam. Writers require a baccalaureate degree from an accredited college or university plus five years of information and management systems experience¹, including three years in a healthcare setting² OR a graduate degree or higher from an accredited college or university plus three years of information and management systems experience¹, including two years in a healthcare setting².

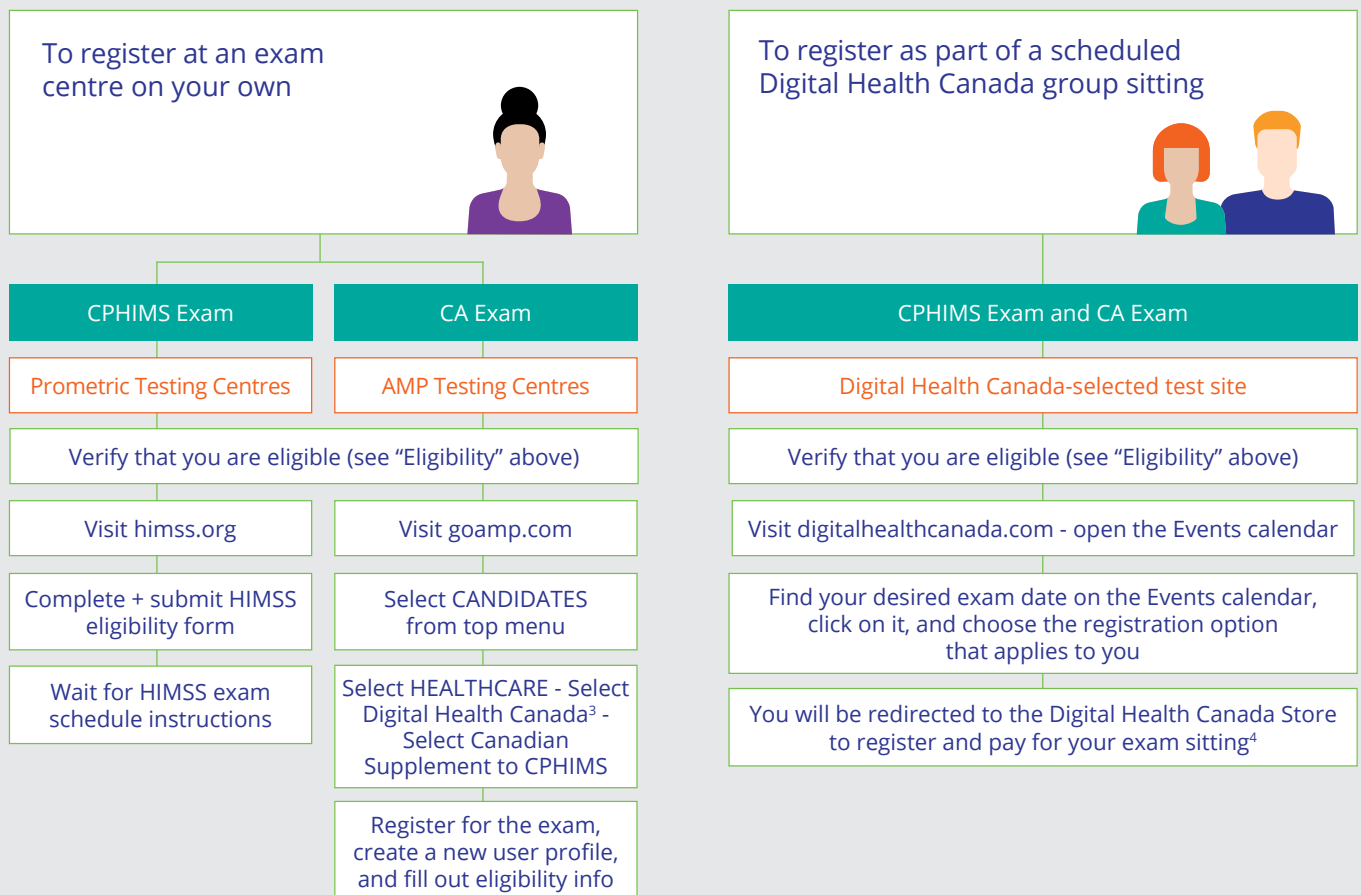
Study resources

You will find the following helpful study resources through the COACH website:

1. Core HI Education (Online or In-Person Classes)
2. CPHIMS Review Guide
3. CPHIMS-CA Review Guide

Questions? Contact education@digitalhealthcanada.com

Registering for the CPHIMS and CA Exams



¹ Information and management systems experience refers to work experience in systems analysis; design; selection, implementation, support, and maintenance; testing and evaluation; privacy and security; information systems; clinical informatics; management engineering.
² Healthcare setting includes experience with a provider of health services or products to a healthcare facility (e.g. hospital; healthcare consulting firm; vendor; federal, provincial/ territorial or local government office; academic institution; payer; public health, etc.).
³ Select "Coach" if the AMP menu has not been updated to reflect our name change to Digital Health Canada.
⁴ Exam fees must be received before candidates write the exam. Registration is non-refundable and non-transferable.