

Sample questions for EAACI-UEMS exam:

Type A question (one answer is correct, 4 or 5 answers to choose from)

Which drug/compound/device is the main cause of perioperative anaphylaxis?

- a) Antibiotics
- b) Neuromuscular blocking agents
- c) Plasma expanders
- d) Latex containing material
- e) Chlorhexidine containing antiseptics

Correct: b , 1 point

Reference:

Mertes PM, et al, J Investig. Allergol Clin Immunol, 2005; 15: 91-101

Kprim question (4 answers (+ or -) to be given)

Please indicate in the following statements which you consider correct (+) or not correct (-)

- a) apple allergy in persons growing up in Middle and Northern Europe is mild and causes mainly oral allergy syndrome (correct: +; not correct: -)
- b) apple allergy in persons growing up in Mediterranean countries is often associated with peach allergy and can be severe (systemic symptoms)
- c) mild symptoms are associated with a sensitization to betv1 and reactivity with mal d1
- d) severe symptoms are associated with mal d3, a lipid transfer protein

correct answers

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if all 4 answers are correct: 1 point; if three are correct: ½ point.

Reference:

Fernández-Rivas M, Bolhaar S, González-Mancebo E, Asero R, van Leeuwen A, Bohle B, Ma Y, Ebner C, Rigby N, Sancho AI, Miles S, Zuidmeer L, Knulst A, Breiteneder H, Mills C, Hoffmann-Sommergruber K, van Ree R. Apple allergy across Europe: how allergen sensitization profiles determine the clinical expression of allergies to plant foods. J Allergy Clin Immunol. 2006 Aug;118(2):481-8