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If the price was at a level that was much lower I would be interested but I do think they will have some buyers lined up at whatever they do charge so I just say "good for them" and don't think about getting one. The guns from the CMP are for collectors and enthusiasts that want a legitimate issued WWII 1911 If you want a 1911 to shoot, buy a new production one with modern amenities (extended beavertail, dovetailed sights, checkering, etc...) for less than a CMP gun will cost you. Not worth it in my opinion. Especially with the hoops to jump through for CMP and to get it into MA.... People always say there are hoops to jump thru, what hoops ? Be a U.S. citizen, I would think you have that covered. Proof of age pretty easy there also. Marksmanship status, your Ma. LTC covers that. Now you need to belong to a CMP affiliated club, some gun clubs belong some don't. If yours doesn't join the Garand Collectors Association online for $25 a year. That all seems pretty easy to me, especially if I can get a Garand for hundreds less that any LGS delivered right to my front door. But as far as the 1911's they may not even be available to Ma residents cause a WWII 1911 isn't on the AG's approved list. You can't buy a WWII 1911 in NH and have it transferred into Ma I don't believe. way too much money, and way too much paperwork, to get a rehashed gun. Now you need to belong to a CMP affiliated club, some gun clubs belong some don't. If yours doesn't join the Garand Collectors Association online for $25 a year. If you are in Mass, GOAL membership meets CMP affiliation requirements Must ship to mass ffl for mass residents . xyz manufactures of the government 1911/1911a1 are not on the mass roster. Good luck I'm sure some of them are "Springfield Armory" 1911A1s right? Except: - You don't get to choose the mfr, CMP randomly assigns guns to "winners" of the lottery. - CMP has already made it clear that they aren't going to play games, so the rules will be for all, with no exceptions. Carving out "OK to ship brand x to MA, but no other" just isn't going to happen. - They have already made it clear that they won't ship to an FFL in a state different from the buyer. They will likely be a shot to shit, loose fittting, sloppy, rattle trap that will cost more than a decent brand new gun with better features and accuracy. And I would love to own one. I wish that when you bought it you could find out where it had been issued. It would be so cool to find out what it's story was. Where it was shipped after it left the factory, and follow it's 50 year journey. They will likely be a shot to shit, loose fittting, sloppy, rattle trap that will cost more than a decent brand new gun with better features and accuracy. And I would love to own one. 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I think they will be worn and well used but even the rack grades might still be able to shoot to spec Too many hoops to jump through. Price unknown, and the fact that they can not be transferred to FFL 03 (C&R) is a bit hard to swallow. They are over 50 years old and this totally defeats the C&R license. If you really want one and don't want to go through the bs, look as I did, and find a good deal and if you have a C&R have it shipped to your front door. from what i gather from the most active CMP person I know. Works down there as a volunteer, has uncrated rifles and such explained it sunday at the range. The 2 checks are simply because the cmp charter regulations require cmp to do the back ground check for firearm sales period. Now that they got special permission to liquidate the 1911s they are following CMP policies,rules and regulations set forth by the charter so they have to run their own check. This will also will reduce any returns if someone happens to end up being a PP. They then mail the handgun to your state FFL where by law they run the 4473 as required. This is also why no CR sales as they are not a full blown FFL dealer its all good and the hopes of getting a US property 1911 for $500 was smashed years ago when this all was just mumbles. Orest made the claim several years ago that most buyers are not going to like the cost. dont fret as time goes buy and around year 4-5 of sales the prices will go up and people will be saying "wish i bought one when they where $$$" So the .gov under our new president is going to be offering thousands of 1911's for us plebes. I've had the pleasure of trying a 1911 in the past and I really liked it. In fact I thought it would be fun to have one. But it seems like the hoops to jump through in order to get one is just not worth the effort especially with it becoming a de facto lottery at the end. Specifically I mean all of this: A Clarification on 1911 Pistol Sale Policies From the Civilian Marksmanship Progam - AllOutdoor.com How do I know if my club is CMP affiliated or what event(s) counts towards the CMP event qualification? It just seems like a lot of rules and a lot of nonsense to get one of these pistols. Has anyone gone through this before or think it's worth pursuing? I also wonder if there would be any issues getting this transferred in MA? Thanks in advance for any thoughts or info anyone may have. If you just want a 1911 and it doesn't have to be some 900 year old milsurpy thing, just buy something off the shelf and save yourself a lot of grief. A lot of these guns are likely to be run down mixmasters anyways. -Mike They will likely be a shot to shit, loose fittting, sloppy, rattle trap that will cost more than a decent brand new gun with better features and accuracy. And I would love to own one. I wish that when you bought it you could find out where it had been issued. It would be so cool to find out what it's story was. Where it was shipped after it left the factory, and follow it's 50 year journey. Yes, in the late 80's we still had 1911's in the Arms Room and they were junk. I thought it's eligible for C&R if its manufactured more than 50 years ago. Can an FFL in MA sell you a C&R eligible pistol, or do you need a C&R license yourself? I have had both modern and original M1911A1s. The original came through my father from my grandfather(a veteran of Mexican Campaign, WWI, and WW2) bought from the DCM in the last century. My father had a Marine Corps armorer accurize it and throat the barrel for semi-wadcutters and earned a closet full of trophies at Camp Perry and various military matches. It lost its finish a long time ago but it could never have been described as loose or rattley. I have several modern versions some of which I have built. They are in every way except historically superior. What the CMP is doing further pushes them to irrelevancy to me. They have consistently championed junker rebuilds at ridiculous prices. One can easily locate far better examples of everything they offer for less. If you are younger than I and most here likely are, the CMP must look good. Take the time to search other specifically Milsurp forums and watch online offerings and you can do much better. I thought it's eligible for C&R if its manufactured more than 50 years ago. Can an FFL in MA sell you a C&R eligible pistol, or do you need a C&R license yourself? Mass dealers won't be able to transfer C&R eligible arms until 2021 if you believe there won't be some changes to present law before then. The CMP has made the statement they won't ship C&R on the 1911's. Mass dealers won't be able to transfer C&R eligible arms until 2021 if you believe there won't be some changes to present law before then. The CMP has made the statement they won't ship C&R on the 1911's. True and CMP made that one of their policies (likely with pressure from politicians) for ALL states, not just MA. I'd sooner get a rock island or auto ordnance. But then again, I don't really care about 1911s. The CMP offers many services to the shooting public. I have attended many of their local rifle matches and have greatly enjoyed them. Good people and good instructors. You may be able to find other historical firearms for less $$ but when you buy from the CMP you have much more of a service trail for the weapon. And were it not for the CMP most surplus US weapons likely would be destroyed rather than sold out to the willing public for their collections. And though the CMP is a government program, it is fully self sufficient and requires no tax money to operate. So the CMP may not be perfect, I for one am glad we have them. Last edited: Nov 30, 2018 There is no ambiguity as to whether or not CMP would ship the 1911's to Mass - they won't 1911 Information - Civilian Marksmanship Program Look for item 10: 10. 1911s from CMP will be allowed in California because they meet the California definition of Curio and Relic. They will ship to 01, or 02, or 07 FFLs in California. At of the time of this release, only the state of Massachusetts will not allow the sale of the 1911/1911A1 pistol. Page 2 Not worth it in my opinion. Especially with the hoops to jump through for CMP and to get it into MA.... The only real hoop is straw purchase. Thats what its going to be called if you try to get a cmp 1911 through the cmp being a mass resident. 1. You need someone to hit the cmp lottery have it sent to thier FFL pick it up and then transfer it to you through C&R- this is risky as feds could see this as a straw or dealer type of transaction. Yes maybe in some time a few will be in the wild but there are already plenty of service grade WWII 1911s out there there that can be had easily even in massachusetts with out even flirting with breaking the law....i know mass even doing things by the law is "illegal in mass" cause everything is...sarcasm on I thought it's eligible for C&R if its manufactured more than 50 years ago. Can an FFL in MA sell you a C&R eligible pistol, or do you need a C&R license yourself? As far as I know C&R only helps on the federal level. As far as I know C&R only helps on the federal level. Specifically a C&R holder must comply with both the Federal and State regulations. For instance, having a C&R pistol off EOPS list shipped in is perfectly legal but it must be EFA10ed within 7days. Unless you want one for the historical significance, you can get a newer and more accurate one for less money. I like the 1911 and own several but I wouldn't bother. It won't be impossible to get one in Ma but it will be difficult. I've had a couple of guys at the club ask me my opinion on the cmp 1911. They know I'm retired army. I tell them for the money your getting a mediocre or beat up 1911 compared to what you can buy new. I've also heard the banter of the historical significance of owning a handgun used in combat. Oh....boy.....where to start! Fact....The VAST majority of regular army side arms are carried by staff ncos and officers and mps. Always have been. Some of course we're carried by tankers and crew served gunners. They were also carried by wrecker operators, mechanics, and doctors. Most have been tossed around the inside of vehicles dropped on floors and abused never to have a remote possibity of seeing actual combat. Is there a slight chance a cmp 1911 was used to kill a Nazi, a VC, or a North Korean regular? Sure. is it worth all that money to own a Mixmaster government surplus 1911 and then have a handgun that has no proof of service in combat and all probability that it WAS NOT? Not to me it's not. The vast majority of Garands and M1 carbines never saw combat, either. The vast majority of Garands and M1 carbines never saw combat, either. True. Difference between the m1 and the 1911 as far as cmp is there are a varient shit ton of better new 1911s being made the same or LESS than I would pay for a Mixmaster 1911 from cmp. The m1 has a couple new manufacturers.....but they cost double or more what I paid for my service grade m1 from cmp. Figure $1100 for a service grade from the CMP is not terrible for a WWII US property marked 1911. Your not going to find a heck of a lot in that price range period. I have been looking for a 1942 dated 1911 for a while and it just has to be a good shooter to go along with my 1942 Garand. What a lot of people do not really seem to notice is what a WWII vintage 1911/1911a1 feels when handling it and shooting it. Its not like most of todays versions all snug and tight. So many would frown looking down at those sights also. "i need night sights" whaaaa. My great uncle once said he loved the M1 and 1911 he carried. " those things where but a few pieces of equipment I used that would run lubed with blood and sand" The vast majority of Garands and M1 carbines never saw combat, either. I'll agree with that with the caveat that certain years of M1 production probably went to war. At least for given years of production, there's a much higher chance that a random M1 saw combat vs. a random 1911. Who cares if they saw combat. People buying them just think they're cool. They are less money than buying them off gunbroker. If you have to ask why then you don't understand. Did some range time yesterday works fine and it's tight. 10 yards draw from the holster, forgot my timer, don't pay any attention to my attempt at the smiley face below it. Has anyone actually received one yet? I think the lottery closed in Sept. Gentlemen who own vacation/weekend homes in other states. Don't forget the ATF considers you to be a legitimate legal resident of that state when you are there. For many of us, this is the answer, if you want one of these. And obviously, there's no problem bringing it in once its acquired. Just remember to eFA10 it. Entry packets were accepted between September 4 -October 4, post mark dates. As far as the CMP program overall with their limited staff they are doing an excellent job. RNG's are getting emailed and pistols are being shipped. Bleep Mass and bleep the CMP. Picked this up C&R. Replaced sights but never refinished. Pre-WWI serial. Apprears to have military replacement bbl. right 2-tone mag. I wonder when it went home with someone. It’s in too good condition to have seen WWII. Gentlemen who own vacation/weekend homes in other states. Don't forget the ATF considers you to be a legitimate legal resident of that state when you are there. The real question is "Will an FFL local to your vacation home consider you an in-state resident?". Last edited: Dec 16, 2018 mine was made in 1917, was accuarized by Alton Dinan in 1970 still shoots better than I ever will. had it in a ramson rest at 50 yrds 1 3]8 inch group mine was made in 1917, was accuarized by Alton Dinan in 1970 still shoots better than I ever will. had it in a ramson rest at 50 yrds 1 3]8 inch group ~1977 I bought a Dinan customized 1911 from a club member. Great gun. As stated already. There are better options readily available in MA if you’re a 1911 shooter. There are better options readily available in MA if you’re a 1911 collector. If you’ve got any experience with the way Army arms rooms work, you’ll know these are overpriced mixmasters that probably function okay but have zero “historical significance” to them you can’t find in countless better examples on Gunbroker. Go buy those for just a couple hundred more; you’re getting a FAR better piece. Picton, the problem is that while many of us are willing to spend some money for a nice one, we don't know enough about them to keep from getting screwed on Gunbroker. I've bought many many guns on GB and done well. But I knew what I was buying. I knew a dealer in CT, North Cove Outfitters. They unfortunately went out of business about 8 years ago. Their owner Norm knew old 1911s inside and out, and he was a very honest guy. I was hoping at some point to have him help me find one, but never got to it before North Cove ceased to exist. So. Absent Norm, at least a CMP gun will be what they say it is and won't be proven to be something it isn't. 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Caveat emptor, on GB. It’s not difficult to learn enough about milsurp 1911s to avoid getting taken. But what’s stopping a collector, any collector, from becoming just as knowledgeable as your Norm? Surely, that’s the fun of collecting milsurp firearms: learning about these pieces is as gratifying as shooting them. Caveat emptor, on GB. It’s not difficult to learn enough about milsurp 1911s to avoid getting taken. Do you have any suggestions on places to start?? Books? Websites? Thanks, Don That’s the one. The price is prohibitive, but my Webley books can cost even more. I guarantee Norm at North Cove Outfitters had a copy. Though, the internet has a lot of good info too. Seriously, the research is more than half the fun in collecting. As stated already. There are better options readily available in MA if you’re a 1911 shooter. There are better options readily available in MA if you’re a 1911 collector. 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They have stated that all 1911's MUST go through an 01 FFL. 03FFL's will not get a direct shipment. Another question. Acquaintance has a Field Grade mixmaster he paid $1,000 for. He’s offered it for $1,200 delivered. Worth it in MA? Another question. Acquaintance has a Field Grade mixmaster he paid $1,000 for. He’s offered it for $1,200 delivered. Worth it in MA? That's not bad if you get all the paperwork and have a C&R, otherwise you won't be able to transfer it as a handgun thru an FFL. Not on the 'list' Not to go to far off the rails in 1970 I was making $3.25/hr. as a 2nd yr. apprentice sprinklerfitter and I thought I WAS the shitz! Bought a brand New 1971 Dodge 4whl drive Power Wagon for $4199 Another question. Acquaintance has a Field Grade mixmaster he paid $1,000 for. He’s offered it for $1,200 delivered. Worth it in MA? Is it from cmp? Field grades where $950. Now what is available in mass for a USGI 1911 for $1200? They where both service grades $1050 ea plus FFL transfer fee what ever that was. Both are out of NH brought down by a friend who has a non resident ltc. Sadly I did not know he was going to be around and did not get to go to the range. He just stopped by my work and said check these out. Also had a nice dual under arm chest rig under his sport coat. They where both service grades $1050 ea plus FFL transfer fee what ever that was. Both are out of NH brought down by a friend who has a non resident ltc. Sadly I did not know he was going to be around and did not get to go to the range. He just stopped by my work and said check these out. Also had a nice dual under arm chest rig under his sport coat. How the hell did he get 2 of them??? How the hell did he get 2 of them??? one is his the other is a friends who has fallen ill and hes the caretaker foe his guns. I have first rights of refusal if the guy decides to sell off his stuff. These guys where my intro to old guns 20 years ago. Both retired to NH about 8 yr ago. They where the only 2 out of a group of 20 or so up there that got them. You wont find a USGI 1911 in mass as in nice condition as these for $1000ish , well I have not seen any. Think better end of service grade garands with nice gi wood. No commercial parts from what he says, I would not know any better. 1 remington and one colt or ithica? I forget. Both looked reparked and put away. FWIW if your not looking for a USGI 1911 theres definately other choices for 1911s for $1050 Looked like this with out the match sights and NM up grades. So if you missed out on the cmp 1911s you can try and out bid the buyers on cmp auction Last edited: Jan 13, 2020 Not to go to far off the rails in 1970 I was making $3.25/hr. as a 2nd yr. apprentice sprinklerfitter and I thought I WAS the shitz! Bought a brand New 1971 Dodge 4whl drive Power Wagon for $4199 I was $4.00/hr as a HVAC mech in 1968, enlisted in the USMC for .25/hr hmm your only stupid once LOL So is "CMP 1911" still releasing these? Mass rodents still sol never to have a shot ever, only province in the country verboten. The CMP pistols I have seen are a disappointment. Service grade are mixed parts, different manufacturer slide and frame, not even same vintage frame and slide. They are very heavily sandblasted leaving only a trace of their markings, and are all parked including the barrel. They come in a Pelican like box and official CMP papers. Field grade are the same but not refinished and to me look much more authentic. Most have clear markings and little original finish left but no pitting nor cracked grips. Rack grade is another story. Overall - little to get excited about. You might luck out with a US&S slide or something but collectability in the future I expect will not be strong. Last edited: Jan 14, 2020 IIRC they had a drawing where you could win one. I was at 619DW a few months ago and there was a guy there picking up one that he had won. Looked pretty decent. The CMP pistols I have seen are a disappointment. Service grade are mixed parts, different manufacturer slide and frame, not even same vintage frame and slide. They are very heavily sandblasted leaving only a trace of their markings, and are all parked including the barrel. They come in a Pelican like box and official CMP papers. Field grade are the same but not refinished and to me look much more authentic. Most have clear markings and little original finish left but no pitting nor cracked grips. Rack grade is another story. Overall - little to get excited about. You might luck out with a US&S slide or something but collectability in the future I expect will not be strong. Which is what you find for $1000 on most LGS shelves. You have to fall into a private deal to get anything USGI thats decent or remotely correct. I think most people are used to tighter , prettier commercial 1911s vs a used and rebuilt USGI I suspect the OP asking if the CMP will follow the federal def of a resident refers to a residence he has outside MA. My response to him is that if you fill out the paperwork properly they will never know. For example. If you have a weekend home in NH, go to a NH FFL and confirm they will do a transfer for you as a resident per the ATF interpretation. Then submit paperwork with your NH address listed as your residence address. When it comes into the FFL, do the transfer per ATF guidance with your NH weekend home address and a tax bill to prove residence. Don I suspect the OP asking if the CMP will follow the federal def of a resident refers to a residence he has outside MA. My response to him is that if you fill out the paperwork properly they will never know. For example. 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Edited for fat fingered typing. Thanks Last edited: Jan 15, 2020 The question that lingers in my mind is what if say someone in NH or Maine or Timbucktwo, buys one, and six or seven months later decides he needs cash and sells it. Can a Mass resident buy this and have it shipped in? It's a maybe an 80 something year old firearm can't I buy it on my 007 C&R from the original purchaser ? I'd be surprised if that hasn't happened already. With a slight surcharge, of course. CMP rules say you can't resell it within some timeframe. So everyone who has one for sale is not abiding by the rules . . . The Entrance Examination consists of 3 parts that you will have to take on a computer: The Experience Record that lasts 60 minutes (Completed at Home) Writing Skills Test that lasts 63 minutes (Completed at Home) The Logical Reasoning Test that lasts 81 minutes (completed at a Test Center) Note: The timing includes the permitted time to finish each section but most applicants finish the test in less time. Visit our Free Practice Test for any Police Exam, with info on police officer exams in the US. The CBP test is divided into three main areas, which also differ in their time allocations: Logical Reasoning (81 minutes), Experience Record (60 minutes), and Writing (63 minutes). The minimum passing score of the CBT exam is 70, and if you wish to retake it, you must wait for 6 months from the date of your first test.You're allowed to use a calculator, scratch paper, and pencils during the exam, which you'll receive from your proctor (you can't bring your own items, though). This is an examination of job-related experiences and achievements. Be sure to give honest and straightforward answers and to check the job requirements beforehand in case you need to bring assistance or required documents. Access accurate practice for your Police Officer Psychological Exam with our Police Psychological Test PrepPack or access our Police Psychological Test & Ability Test Bundle. Each question contains a reading passage followed by a statement or question and five response choices.Candidates are asked to either draw a valid conclusion from the passage or determine that the given statement cannot be validly concluded. This important part of the CBP exam requires careful reading and focus. Read and decide if the conclusion necessarily follows from the premises or not. Within the category of non-disposable appliances, you'd find all personal computers (PCs). Most PCs, and only them, are used to store information. Only non-disposable appliances are personal computers. View Explanation If all PC’s are non-disposable appliances, then there cannot be a PC that is not a non-disposable appliance, so only non-disposable appliances are personal computers. The CBP PrepPackage includes 8 logical reasoning practice tests and 2 study guides that explain the logical deduction foundations. The questions consist of: (1) math word problems, (2) arithmetic calculations - addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division problems, and (3) calculation of decimals, averages, percentages, and rate-distance-time. The CBP PrepPackage includes 15 math & arithmetic reasoning practice tests and 3 study guides to brush up on your math skills. As a CBP officer, it's crucial to have excellent writing skills. Border protection officers often need to write up reports and assessments that are both clear and concise as well as grammatically correct. The CBP PrepPackage includes 11 writing practice tests to improve a variety of writing skills, such as grammar, syntax, restatement, paragraph organization, and more. Now that you have a better understanding of the different number and kinds of questions in the CBPO Entrance Exam and what you need to tackle them, don't waste any more time and keep practicing!To ensure you get an excellent score in your assessment, we have designed the CBP Entrance Exam PrepPack™ that simulates the actual test and guarantees over 40+ full practice tests to improve your result. For $89, you can get our full package that will improve your test result and teach you how to answer difficult questions under pressure. All our test simulations include detailed results and explanations like the following: The CBP Entrance Exam is intentionally designed to be hard, since it shortlists the most capable candidates who possess the required abilities to succeed both in the tough CBP academy training and in the demanding day-to-day job.That being said, since you receive enough time to prepare before taking the exam, you can potentially improve the set of skills that are being measured and increase your chances of passing the exam. Follow some of the following tips to ace the test.Read and understand each question before selecting an answer. Pay attention to details and avoid rushing.Manage your time effectively by setting a specific time limit for each question.Use educated guesses when unsure about an answer. Eliminate obvious incorrect options to increase your chances of choosing the correct one.Maintain a positive mindset throughout the exam to enhance your focus and decision-making under pressure. CBP and other trademarks are the property of their respective trademark holders. None of the trademark holders are affiliated with JobTestPrep or this website. I'm taking my Customs and Border Patrol officer exam on Friday. Wondering if anybody else on here head over taking it period any pointers? Mistakes to avoid? Any input is appreciated Sent from my SM-G930V using Tapatalk First, it's Customs and Border Protection. It's a mostly common sense. Nothing really tough or tricky. Best advice is I can give you is get a good night sleep, caffeinate and arrive EARLY. The good thing about these Fed civil service tests are they are on the up and up, for the most part. Score high enough, get the job. None of this Massachusetts BS of having to be a state reps cousin or knowing a mayor or someone. Good luck. Exam not is not hard. You will be in GA at the federal academy running around like your back in boot camp again lol. Not like boot camp. More like college with some PT mixed in, firearms etc... Well I passed the entrance exam. Now it's on to the polygraph, structured interview, background check Etc. Honestly, I'm pretty freakin excited. This is something I'm always wanted to do Sent from my SM-G930V using Tapatalk Well I passed the entrance exam. Now it's on to the polygraph, structured interview, background check Etc. Honestly, I'm pretty freakin excited. This is something I'm always wanted to do Sent from my SM-G930V using Tapatalk I am a Border Patrol Agent in Arizona. Wife is a Customs officer at the Port. look for the Border Patrol hiring announcement as well. They are currently sharing all the same requirements during the process. Meaning if you pass the poly, Drug, Medical, oral board/interview and background with either one it will check it off for both jobs. You just need to pass the initial test of both. Then you can just sit back and wait for one to call and you can take either one based on the location offered. Easy peasy. Like taking an ACT or SAT reading/math test. If you are literate in English, you will do fine! Hope to see you in VT Exam wasn't too bad. Long, but not too bad. Looks like it's a pretty long hiring process with a lot of steps. I guess I'm about halfway through them all at this point. Sent from my SM-G930V using Tapatalk I'm so worried about my CBP entrance exam because I don't think iam going to pass it. So now I'm not sure if I should even take it, because I failed the practice test. Says it's 80 questions and you need a 70% to pass which means you can only miss 24. That is not very many at all and math is my weak point. I wanted to try it and see what happens but I think iam just wasting my time. I'm so worried about my CBP entrance exam because I don't think iam going to pass it. So now I'm not sure if I should even take it, because I failed the practice test. Says it's 80 questions and you need a 70% to pass which means you can only miss 24. That is not very many at all and math is my weak point. I wanted to try it and see what happens but I think iam just wasting my time. Welcome to the forum. Now that you've discovered a weakness - ATTACK IT!!!! Find a mentor to help you. Take a class. Hire a tutor. Google; Learn Math Online. Get after it! Don't let that one obstacle prevent you from attaining your goal! I'm so worried about my CBP entrance exam because I don't think iam going to pass it. So now I'm not sure if I should even take it, because I failed the practice test. Says it's 80 questions and you need a 70% to pass which means you can only miss 24. That is not very many at all and math is my weak point. I wanted to try it and see what happens but I think iam just wasting my time. You can take it multiple times. It's probably the hardest part of getting into CBP, which is kinda sad in the grand scheme of things. You will get your results and know where you are weak. Take steps to fix those areas and retake it. CBP needs good people, boy howdy, do they need good people. HI, I took the entrance exam on 12/22/23 but I have not received the results yet. I've seen that people that have passed received their results right away. I honestly don't think I did well, perhaps that's why I haven't received my results. I'm turning 40 soon so I won't be able to retry. I'll keep trying to get a job with CBP regardless. Good luck to those trying! LS Reddit and its partners use cookies and similar technologies to provide you with a better experience. By accepting all cookies, you agree to our use of cookies to deliver and maintain our services and site, improve the quality of Reddit, personalize Reddit content and advertising, and measure the effectiveness of advertising. By rejecting non-essential cookies, Reddit may still use certain cookies to ensure the proper functionality of our platform. For more information, please see our Cookie Notice and our Privacy Policy. So what is a CBP test anyway? This is an important job that keeps border posts regulated between countries. CBP is customs and border protection. We can easily join the training program to become CBP officers. There are rigorous and physically challenging training, assessment and examination processes that are required from applicants to pass. All of the information we need is readily available on the website of the department of homeland security. There is much pride within the homeland security department. The DHS CBP logo seal was created in June 2003. We can look at the CBP logo as proudly as we do the US flag. Its symbolism represents the department’s main mission. That is to prevent attacks and to protect Americans. On the land, in the sea, and in the air. In the center of the seal, there is an American white eagle. It has been placed in a circular blue field. The customs and border protection program is designed only to accept the brightest and strongest candidates. Take Custom Border Patrol Entrance Exam Practice Test Now CBP Officer Roles Know What the Role Means A border patrol agent is normally involved in larger-scale areas. These include off-road regions with little or no security measures in place. A CBP officer will work mostly at ports of entry, including airports, where we would spend time checking packages and processing paperwork rather than interacting with the public. Even though there are differences in duties, both a CBP officer and a border patrol agent are required to complete the training requirements. These include emotional maturity and personal character. They would both need to go through a background investigation as well. To qualify for either role, we would need to obtain a bachelor’s degree from an accredited university. This can be helpful as students that obtain a superior academic standard are given the prestigious title of the honor society membership. Take Custom Border Patrol Entrance Exam Practice Test Now The Application Process to Become a CBP Officer When wanting to be a border protection officer for customs and border protection and the department of homeland security, you will need to follow the necessary steps. These Steps Include: 1) Application process 2) Entrance exam 3) Qualifications review 4) Background investigation, medical exam, fitness test (all done together) 5) Interview 6) Polygraph examination 7) Random drug test 8) Valid driver’s license Take Custom Border Patrol Entrance Exam Practice Test Now CBP Officer Entrance Examination Firstly the applicants will need to complete the CBP officer application process. There is also an online assessment questionnaire. These will be submitted for pay grades GS-5 and/or GS-7. Qualifying candidates will get an invitation to complete the online Candidates Experience Record and then be scheduled for the CBP entrance exam at a local test center. Those candidates that have the necessary experience in law enforcement or import and export can qualify for the GS-9 grade level test to become a CBP officer. That being said, the CBP GS-9 has no entrance exam requirement. It is simple to find out what pay grade you fall under. This will be based on your experience and education. Once applicants complete their application or once they have taken the entrance exam. Candidates will need to wait for up to 2 to 3 weeks for an email with a notice of results. Candidates are evaluated according to their resume, required documents, and the CBP entrance exam. Take Custom Border Patrol Entrance Exam Practice Test Now This Exam is Made Up of Two Sections: The Proctored Exam is Made Up of Three Sections: Logical reasoning – the logical reasoning test takes 120 minutes and is written at a logical reasoning test center. Arithmetic reasoning test Writing skills test – the CBP exam will be taken at a writing skills test center. A successful candidate will need to obtain a mark of a minimum of 70 in the tests. Once a candidate has taken the entrance exam, they will not be allowed to retake the test for six months. This is regardless of a pass or a fail. It is highly recommended that applicants make use of study guides. It is also advised to take the CBP officer entrance practice tests. This will provide insight into what type of questions will be asked in the real test. Take Custom Border Patrol Entrance Exam Practice Test Now Border Patrol Agent Entrance Exam The border patrol agent application and online assessment questionnaire will need to be completed. These will be given in for the pay grade GS-7. We will then get an invitation to complete the online Candidate Experience Record. Then they will be scheduled for the BPA officer entrance exam at a local test center. Once again, those who have law enforcement experience will be eligible for the GL-9 grade level. We will need to wait for about 2 to 3 weeks to receive an email of Notice of Results. We always strongly encourage officers to complete practice tests in order to be fully prepared for the real test. It is never too late to begin our journey to prepare properly for the tests. Based on our resumes, required documents, and the BPA tests. The same procedures as stated for the CBP test will be followed. It is essential to ensure we can provide the correct answers for logical reasoning. We are also unable to retake these tests for six months after writing. Regardless of a pass or fail result. Take Custom Border Patrol Entrance Exam Practice Test Now CBP Officer Physical Fitness Test The border patrol agent is a demanding job. Duties are related to keeping our borders safe. There needs to be proper facilitation and smooth flow of legitimate trade. Lawful travel within the customs needs the process to be monitored. For officers to prepare properly for this position, skills need to be developed so that duties can be carried out easily. The work style is physically demanding, so this means that the training and assessment are intentionally rigorous. Two Fitness Tests Need to be Completed: 1) Physical fitness test – completed at a physical fitness testing center 2) Fitness graduation standard The requirements are the same for all officers. The border patrol fitness test does not discriminate against age, race, or gender. There are Three Sections to be Completed: 1) Sit-ups 2) Push-ups 3) 122″ step test Each aspect needs to be completed. Take Custom Border Patrol Entrance Exam Practice Test Now Preparation Tips Take as many preparation tests as needed to become comfortable with the desired answers. The CBP entrance exam should be taken seriously and treated like a superior academic achievement. This is important as the tests for the basis of the hiring process. Prep tests are there to make sure that officers are prepared enough. The actual test situation is stressful. So it helps to know that we know what we are doing. There are going to be no unforeseen surprises. The more prepared we are, the less we need to be concerned with failure. That being said, we should not be afraid of failure. If tests need to be retaken, we can use the waiting time to work on the areas where we went wrong. Proper test preparation for arithmetic reasoning is highly advised. Page through the tests and read the questions carefully to make sure what is being asked is understood. Make sure to check that your answers are grammatically correct. It is easy enough to practice your answers on a separate page. That being said, when you write the actual exam, bring a scratch paper with you to work on. CBP officer entrance examination will also require officers to complete a polygraph examination. This is easy to do as long as we are honest. Be upfront about any drug use. Or any previous illegal activity. These questions will be asked the truth will come out one way or another. Have a look at when the practice tests were last modified. Try to work on the most recent tests available. These tips will be also helpful in the preparation of TSA test which is another security post from homeland security department. Take Custom Border Patrol Entrance Exam Practice Test Now Final Thoughts All the needed information is readily available on social networks on the customs and border page. Use the