Although general knowledge of the experienced jail officer and familiarity with current practices are what is required to pass the certification examination, the following list of resources might be of some assistance in preparing for the examination.

It is recommended that candidates review the Content of Examination & Content Outline listed in the Handbook for Candidates. If there are areas where you wish to increase your knowledge, the following list of resources may be helpful. It should be noted that the list of resources is neither all-inclusive nor exhaustive.

**Publications/Periodicals:**

*American Jails* magazine
American Jail Association
Reprint articles by topic
301-790-3930
www.aja.org

*Constitutional Right of Prisoners*
ISBN: 0-87084-227-7
800-582-7295
www.andersonpublishing.com

*Correctional Law Reporter*
ISSN 1043-6766  Civic Research Institute.
609-683-4450
www.civicresearchinstitute.com

*Detention Reporter*
CRS, Inc.
301-349-5701
www.corrections.com/crs

*Exploring Jail Operations*
Kenneth E. Kerle, 2003
301-790-3930
www.aja.org

*Food Code* (2009)
U.S. Public Health Services, Food and Drug Administration
Available through the National Technical Information Services
703-605-6000
www.ntis.gov

National Fire Protection Association
617-770-3000
www.nfpa.org

*Occupational Safety and Health Standards for General Industry*
Occupational Safety and Health Administration
202-693-1999
www.osha.gov
Legislation

Americans with Disabilities Act
www.usdoj.gov/crt/ada/adahom1.html

Fair Labor Standards Act
www4.law.cornell.edu/uscode/29/ch8.html

Family Medical Leave Act
www4.law.cornell.edu/uscode/29/ch8.html

Prison Litigation Reform Act
www.aclu.org/sites/default/files/images/asset_upload_file79_25805.pdf

PREA
www.prearesourcecenter.com

Other Governmental Agencies

Center for Disease Control
888-232-3228
www.cdc.gov

Environmental Protection Agency
202-260-2010
www.epa.gov

National Criminal Justice Reference Service
800-851-3420
www.ncjrs.gov

National Institute of Corrections, Jail Center
800-995-6423
www.nicic.com

U.S. Department of Justice
www.usdoj.gov