

## COMPS SAMPLE QUESTIONS

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### Question 1

Library and information professionals have been innovative in tackling challenges posed by the COVID-19 pandemic. Discuss two important lessons they learned in the last two years. Describe in detail how such lessons can be applied to transform library and information services for the betterment of individuals, communities and societies. In addition, explain the issues LIS professionals are likely to encounter when they apply these lessons and describe how they should be prepared to address such issues in the future.

### Question 2

Discuss the importance of community engagement in an information setting of your choice (library, archive, museum, etc.). Explain, with examples, how professionals in your selected setting should engage their communities. Describe potential challenges and strategies on building community engagement and identify critical competencies professionals need to develop to be successful in community engagement.