

# Programmer Database Interview Questions And Answers Guide.



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## Question # 1

Give me a specific example of a time when you had to conform to a policy with which you did not agree?

### Answer:-

You want to first understand why the policy was put into effect. From there, if you truly disagree with it, explain your position to your management. If they don't change it, then you must accept their decision and continue to work or the alternative decision would be to find a new job.

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## Question # 2

What position do you prefer on a team working on a project?

### Answer:-

Do not claim to be comfortable with a specific role if you in are in fact not comfortable with it. However, if you have no problem working in certain roles or situations, be sure to discuss this with the interviewer.

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## Question # 3

Do you consider yourself successful?

### Answer:-

You should always answer yes to this question. Briefly explain why without going on and on. If you communicate that you're more successful than you really are you may come off as arrogant or unrealistic. A goof explanation is that you have set professional goals and that you have met some of these goals and are on track to meet more in the near future.

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## Question # 4

What motivates you at the work place?

### Answer:-

Keep your answer simple, direct and positive. Some good answers may be the ability to achieve, recognition or challenging assignments.

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## Question # 5

Tell me about a time when you successfully handled a situation?

### Answer:-

For this question, the interviewer wants to know what you do in a situation that doesn't have a clear answer. This will help the interviewer know how you respond to unforeseen challenges.

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## Question # 6

Explain me about a problem or disagreement you had with previous supervisor?

### Answer:-

This question is trap. It is meant to see whether or not you'll speak poorly of an employer. No one wants to hire someone who's going to speak poorly of them down the road. Stay upbeat and positive - and most of all don't say anything negative about a previous employer.

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## Question # 7

Tell me about a time when you were forced to make an unpopular decision?

### Answer:-



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Not every decision is popular. In fact, almost every decision is bound to make someone unhappy at some point. The key is to demonstrate how it impacted others positively and why you chose it.

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### **Question # 8**

What do you consider to be your greatest achievement so far and why?

**Answer:-**

Be proud of your achievement, discuss the results, and explain why you feel most proud of this one. Was it the extra work? Was it the leadership you exhibited? Was it the impact it had?

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### **Question # 9**

What have you done to improve yourself in the last year As Programmer Database?

**Answer:-**

Discuss how you've improved yourself through work experiences, books you've read, classes, club(s) / extracurricular activities and describe the process on how it's happened. For example: I've improved my presentation skills tremendously because I've had to do 2 presentations this year for my communications class.

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### **Question # 10**

Tell me about a time when you had to give someone difficult feedback As Programmer Database?

**Answer:-**

By asking this question, your interviewer hopes to learn whether you can communicate effectively, address issues in the workplace and motivate others during difficult times. Giving negative feedback requires honesty, thoughtfulness and tact. Answering this question well can help show an interviewer that you would be a good fit for a managerial position or a position that involves working closely with others.

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### **Question # 11**

Top 12 Stress Based Interview Questions As Programmer Database:

**Answer:-**

Some jobs require employees to work under stress, and some interviewers just like to see how applicants handle stressful questions.

There are many questions designed for putting the interviewee into an awkward situation, or throwing them off, to see how they do under stress. Here are some samples.

1. How do you feel this interview is going As Programmer Database?
2. How would you handle undeserved criticism from a superior?
3. How many other jobs are you applying for?
4. What would you do if you saw a colleague stealing supplies or equipment?
5. What did you do when you had a boss you didn't get along with?
6. What would you do if a colleague took credit for your idea, and got a promotion?
7. Was the stress of your previous job too much for you?
8. What would you do if a colleague admitted to lying on their resume to get the job?
9. What would you do if a customer verbally insulted you in front of co-workers?
10. What would you change about the design of a baseball hat?
11. Why were you fired from your previous job As Programmer Database?
12. How successful do you think you've been so far?

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### **Question # 12**

What are you looking for in a new position As Programmer Database?

**Answer:-**

I've been honing my skills As Programmer Database for a few years now and, first and foremost, I'm looking for a position where I can continue to exercise those skills. Ideally the same things that this position has to offer. Be specific.

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### **Question # 13**

How did you hear about the position As Programmer Database?

**Answer:-**

Another seemingly innocuous interview question, this is actually a perfect opportunity to stand out and show your passion for and connection to the company and for job As Programmer Database. For example, if you found out about the gig through a friend or professional contact, name drop that person, then share why you were so excited about it. If you discovered the company through an event or article, share that. Even if you found the listing through a random job board, share what, specifically, caught your eye about the role.

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### **Question # 14**

Why do you think you'll do well at this job?

**Answer:-**

Provide several reasons including skills, experience and interest. If you can show how you've been successful in a similar career field or job position that will go



along way to helping the interviewer believe you'll also be successful at this new job.

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### **Question # 15**

Would you like doing repetitive work?

#### **Answer:-**

Why not, I am not only doing a repetitive work but also earning but also getting a good salary by the company As Programmer Database. And second thing is that nothing is interesting in the life till we are not interested.

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### **Question # 16**

What have you done to improve your skills over the past year As Programmer Database?

#### **Answer:-**

You'll want to be prepare with some very specific examples of what you've done over the last year and what you're currently doing to improve your professional knowledge and skill set as well as anything else you're doing the shows self improvement.

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### **Question # 17**

What has been your biggest professional disappointment?

#### **Answer:-**

When discussing a professional disappointment, make sure to discuss a scenario you could not control. Be positive about the experience and accept personal responsibility where applicable.

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### **Question # 18**

How did you handle meeting a tight deadline As Programmer Database?

#### **Answer:-**

Review every deadline you need to meet. Prioritize your projects by deadline and factor in how important each project is. Record your deadlines on a digital calendar or spreadsheet.

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### **Question # 19**

Describe a time when you put your needs aside to help a co-worker understand a task. How did you assist them? What was the result?

#### **Answer:-**

The key is to show that the mentoring of a co-worker was first a higher priority than the task you had at hand (remember, you want to show that you focus on highest priority tasks first). Then, describe in detail how you helped them not only complete the task but learn to do it on their own. You want to teach them HOW to fish and not to simply fish for them.

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### **Question # 20**

Why do you want this job As Programmer Database?

#### **Answer:-**

This question typically follows on from the previous one. Here is where your research will come in handy. You may want to say that you want to work for a company that is Global Guideline, (market leader, innovator, provides a vital service, whatever it may be). Put some thought into this beforehand, be specific, and link the company's values and mission statement to your own goals and career plans.

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### **Question # 21**

Do you have any blind spots?

#### **Answer:-**

This question is often meant to trick candidates since acknowledgment of blind spots would indicate they were aware of them. Also, do not disclose bad habits or other personal concerns. Let the interviewer find out about your personal flaws through the course of the interview without directly stating these flaws.

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### **Question # 22**

How do you feel about this company's vision?

#### **Answer:-**

First find out where the company envisions itself in 3-5 years. If you can't find the vision of the company, that's probably a big question mark on the company itself. Once you do, identify how those company's visions align to your personal values and goals and then articulate how tightly correlated that is to the interviewer. For example - this company wants to be the #1 provider of green technology in the world and I feel strongly about that vision because we've got a chance to collectively impact the world to become a greener society and save our clients at the same time!

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### Question # 23

How long do you envision yourself staying with this company?

#### Answer:-

Understand that companies invest a lot of money into hiring the right staff. You want to emphasize that you are in it for the long run and you want to develop a career there and that it's not just a "5 month stepping stone" type of a job. You should be thinking how you're going to grow with that company. After all, don't you want to invest your energy and time with a company that is going to continue to be successful and one that will help you grow?

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### Question # 24

What have you done to prepare yourself to be a supervisor?

#### Answer:-

1. Learn from current supervisors (best practices)
2. Mentor others
3. Be exceptionally good at your current job so that it builds your credibility
4. Have a high emotional IQ

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### Question # 25

Describe a time when you had to help a coworker out that did not directly benefit you?

#### Answer:-

There should be many times where you've assisted others As Programmer Database. If you haven't, think of how you would in the future. You can discuss charitable causes, how you mentored someone, and so on.

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### Question # 26

What types of books or magazines do you typically read?

#### Answer:-

Describe both your personal and professional favorites. If you happen to like professional books / magazines that relate to the industry of the company you're applying for - that's definitely worth highlighting.

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### Question # 27

How do you deal with conflict in the workplace As Programmer Database?

#### Answer:-

When people work together, conflict is often unavoidable because of differences in work goals and personal styles. Follow these guidelines for handling conflict in the workplace.

- \* 1. Talk with the other person.
- \* 2. Focus on behavior and events, not on personalities.
- \* 3. Listen carefully.
- \* 4. Identify points of agreement and disagreement.
- \* 5. Prioritize the areas of conflict.
- \* 6. Develop a plan to work on each conflict.
- \* 7. Follow through on your plan.
- \* 8. Build on your success.

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### Question # 28

How do you continue learning on a daily basis? Why is continuous improvement necessary As Programmer Database?

#### Answer:-

You can learn on the job, through books and magazines, through social networks, blogs, seminars, mentors and so on. Continuous improvement is important because the one thing in life that is constant is change. And you have to continue to push yourself day in and day out to be the best.

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### Question # 29

How have you shown yourself to be a leader?

#### Answer:-

Think about a time where you've rallied a group of people around a cause / idea / initiative and successfully implemented it. It could be a small or large project but the key is you want to demonstrate how you were able to lead others to work for a common cause.

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### Question # 30

What negative thing would your last boss say about you?

#### Answer:-

"He/She wouldn't say anything bad, but he/she may point out I could improve in a certain area, and I've taken steps to become better at those skills"



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### Question # 31

What does your professional network look like?

#### Answer:-

If you have a professional network, discuss it detail (# of contacts, people you know, their positions and what you've learned from them or how you've worked with them). If you don't have one, discuss how you would develop one (career fairs, networking events for that industry, through your existing friends, etc)

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### Question # 32

What motivates you to work As Programmer Database?

#### Answer:-

Describe what makes you passionate about the work. It could be the company's vision, the product, your desire to succeed, the clients, your peers and so on. They key is to first understand what internally motivates you to do your job and then to emphasize that in a positive way

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### Question # 33

How would your former employer describe you?

#### Answer:-

In all likelihood, the interviewer will actually speak with your former employer so honesty is key. Answer as confidently and positively as possible and list all of the positive things your past employer would recognize about you. Do not make the mistake of simply saying you are responsible, organized, and dependable. Instead, include traits that are directly related to your work as a medical assistant, such as the ability to handle stressful situations and difficult patients, the way you kept meticulous records, and more.

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### Question # 34

What differentiates you from the competition?

#### Answer:-

Think about what you bring to the table that you truly believe is unique - the easiest way to do is to think of your own personal stories that demonstrate your work ethic, skills, and dedication. Most people have some or all of those skills, but the unique stories are what make people stand out in interviews.

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### Question # 35

What type of mentors do you seek out and why?

#### Answer:-

Think of your top 3 mentors and what attributes they exhibit that you want to emulate. Common attributes include passion, desire, will, leadership, ability to influence others, intelligence.

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### Question # 36

How do you take "No" for an answer?

#### Answer:-

You want to be persistent enough to understand why someone is saying no so that you could potentially convince them otherwise with a sound reason. However, if they are still saying "no" to you, then you need to humbly accept their position and move on.

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### Question # 37

Did you get on well with your last manager?

#### Answer:-

A dreaded question for many! When answering this question never give a negative answer. "I did not get on with my manager" or "The management did not run the business well" will show you in a negative light and reduce your chance of a job offer. Answer the question positively, emphasizing that you have been looking for a career progression. Start by telling the interviewer what you gained from your last job As Programmer Database

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### Question # 38

How would you feel about working for someone who knows less than you As Programmer Database?

#### Answer:-

The reality is, the majority of the time someone is in a management/leadership position is because of their experience and past success. So they probably possess at least a unique set of knowledge from you. So you'll want to learn from them as much as possible. If it's not the case, then discuss how you would look for mentors in different departments to help your personal career development.

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### Question # 39



What do you already know about our company?

**Answer:-**

Good reputation of a large home grown company that has various departments and product.

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**Question # 40**

How do you feel about giving back to the community?

**Answer:-**

Describe your charitable activities to showcase that community work is important to you. If you haven't done one yet, go to [www.globalguideline.com](http://www.globalguideline.com) - charitable work is a great way to learn about other people and it's an important part of society - GET INVOLVED!

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**Question # 41**

If you could offer suggestions on how to improve our company, what would you say?

**Answer:-**

Examine the trends of the company and also where there may be some weaknesses (news articles often document this on public companies or look at their competitors to see how they're positioning it against them.) Then, once you have that knowledge, think creatively on how you could improve upon that weakness for them.

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**Question # 42**

How do you deal with pressure or stressful situations?

**Answer:-**

Choose an answer that shows that you can meet a stressful situation head-on in a productive, positive manner and let nothing stop you from accomplishing your goals. A great approach is to talk through your go-to stress-reduction tactics (making the world's greatest to-do list, stopping to take 10 deep breaths), and then share an example of a stressful situation you navigated with ease.

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**Question # 43**

Give me an example of when you competed hard and won?

**Answer:-**

You can reference many different areas here when discussing a story of where you won in competition: Work experience (ideal), sports, clubs, classes, projects.

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**Question # 44**

Where do you see yourself professionally five years from now As Programmer Database?

**Answer:-**

Demonstrate both loyalty and ambition in the answer to this question. After sharing your personal ambition, it may be a good time to ask the interviewer if your ambitions match those of the company.

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**Question # 45**

There's no right or wrong answer, but if you could be anywhere in the world right now, where would you be?

**Answer:-**

Just be honest about where you'd like to be - you never know - you may end up bonding with the interviewer with the location. However, you want to stress that you want to work out of the location that you're interviewing for.

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**Question # 46**

How good are you at problem solving?

**Answer:-**

Describe the problem first and then discuss how you were able to fix it.

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**Question # 47**

Describe to me the position As Programmer Database you're applying for?

**Answer:-**

This is a "homework" question, too, but it also gives some clues as to the perspective the person brings to the table. The best preparation you can do is to read the job description and repeat it to yourself in your own words so that you can do this smoothly at the interview.

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**Question # 48**



What type of work environment do you prefer?

**Answer:-**

Ideally one that's similar to the environment of the company you're applying to. Be specific.

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**Question # 49**

How do you decide what to delegate and to whom?

**Answer:-**

Identify the strengths of your team members and their availability based on the priorities they have on their plate. From there, invest the tasks upon each member based on where you think you'll get the best return.

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**Question # 50**

How would you motivate your team members to produce the best possible results?

**Answer:-**

Trying to create competitive atmosphere, trying to motivate the team as a whole, organizing team building activities, building good relationships amongst people.

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**Question # 51**

What is your desired salary As Programmer Database?

**Answer:-**

Bad answer: Candidates who are unable to answer the question, or give an answer that is far above market. Shows that they have not done research on the market rate, or have unreasonable expectations.

Good answer: A number or range that falls within the market rate and matches their level of mastery of skills required to do the job.

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**Question # 52**

Explain me about your experience working in this field As Programmer Database?

**Answer:-**

I am dedicated, hardworking and great team player for the common goal of the company I work with. I am fast learner and quickly adopt to fast pace and dynamic area. I am well organized, detail oriented and punctual person.

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**Question # 53**

Tell me one thing about yourself you wouldn't want me to know?

**Answer:-**

Talk about a trait that you would consider a weakness. No need to talk about your deepest darkest secrets here.

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**Question # 54**

How do you keep each member of the team involved and motivated?

**Answer:-**

Many managers mistakenly think that money is the prime motivator for their employees. However, according to surveys by several different companies, money is consistently ranked five or lower by most employees. So if money is not the best way to motivate your team, what is?

Employees' three most important issues according to employees are:

- \* Respect
- \* A sense of accomplishment
- \* Recognition

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**Question # 55**

What would you like to have accomplished by the end of your career?

**Answer:-**

Think of 3 major achievements that you'd like to accomplish in your job when all is said and done - and think BIG. You want to show you expect to be a major contributor at the company. It could be creating a revolutionary new product, it could be implementing a new effective way of marketing, etc.

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**Question # 56**

What general trends do you see in our industry?

**Answer:-**

Examine what's happened in the industry in the last 5 - 10 years and how it's evolved and then look at what both the company and analysts are saying about the future of that industry in which that company competes in. Read trade magazines / online sources in that industry as well to make sure you stay up to date on trends.





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### **Question # 57**

Does your boss know you're here today?

#### **Answer:-**

Usually, you probably haven't told your boss for obvious reasons. So it's ok to say that they do not. You don't want to upset the balance at your current job after all and nothing is guaranteed in an interview. The interviewer should understand this stance.

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### **Question # 58**

What do you look for in terms of culture -- structured or entrepreneurial?

#### **Answer:-**

A good answer is to discuss the importance of having both elements in a company As Programmer Database. Structure is good to maintain a focus on priorities and making sure people are productive but having an entrepreneurial spirit can help cultivate new ideas that can truly help the company.

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### **Question # 59**

What schedule do you hope to work? Are you willing to work extra hours?

#### **Answer:-**

Be honest. If you really want the job and are willing to work any schedule needed, say so. If, however, you have no intention of working late hours or weekends, simply let the interviewer know the hours that you are available to work. The same applies to extra hours. You are more likely to be hired if you are willing to work any time you are needed. However, saying that you are willing and then complaining about the hours once you start working is a recipe for disaster.

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### **Question # 60**

Describe a typical work week for this position As Programmer Database?

#### **Answer:-**

Interviewers expect a candidate for employment to discuss what they do while they are working in detail. Before you answer, consider the position As Programmer Database you are applying for and how your current or past positions relate to it. The more you can connect your past experience with the job opening, the more successful you will be at answering the questions.

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### **Question # 61**

Why are you leaving your current job?

#### **Answer:-**

This is a toughie, but one you can be sure you'll be asked. Definitely keep things positive-you have nothing to gain by being negative about your past employers. Instead, frame things in a way that shows that you're eager to take on new opportunities and that the role you're interviewing for is a better fit for you than your current or last position. For example, "I'd really love to be part of product development from beginning to end, and I know I'd have that opportunity here." And if you were let go? Keep it simple: "Unfortunately, I was let go," is a totally OK answer.

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### **Question # 62**

What was the biggest professional risk you have taken and what was the outcome?

#### **Answer:-**

First discuss how you weighed the pros and cons of the risk and the results you'd believe you could achieve. Then discuss the action plan you put into place for it and outline that step by step. Then discuss the outcome and if it wasn't optimal talk about what you would do differently in hindsight.

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### **Question # 63**

Tell me the difference between good and exceptional?

#### **Answer:-**

Good gets the job done on time and is high quality. Exceptional is a game changer - it stands out, it's creative, it's above and beyond expectations. Tell the interviewer a story about how you were exceptional.

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