



Bloodborne Pathogens Written Examination

Name: _____

Date: _____

Choose the MOST correct answer below:

1. In Hepatitis C Virus (HCV), what percentage of patients are without any symptoms?
 - A. 5%
 - B. 25%
 - C. 60%
 - D. 80%

2. What is the purpose of personal protection?
 - A. Looks cool.
 - B. Minimize getting your germs on people.
 - C. Minimize the risk of infection to employees.
 - D. Minimizes heart disease.

3. What statement is true regarding Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)?
 - A. HIV and AIDS are one and the same.
 - B. HIV can be transmitted from shaking hand.
 - C. HIV can be spread without any knowledge, being without any signs or symptoms.
 - D. The Incubation period for HIV is days.

4. What are bloodborne pathogens?
 - A. Chronic diseases of the blood.
 - B. A law that is set forth by OSHA.
 - C. Viruses or bacteria that may cause infection.
 - D. Pathways of blood in the body.

5. What is NOT considered personal protective equipment?
 - A. A bubble
 - B. Gloves
 - C. Mask



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- D. Gown
6. Who is required to complete an Exposure Control plan (ECP)?
- A. Every citizen of the United States.
 - B. Any employer that has the risk of bloodborne pathogens or OPIM.
 - C. Anyone that works in an office with minimal contact to other people.
 - D. All college students must complete this.
7. What is OSHA and what do they do?
- A. Occupational Safety and Health Administration. They are charged by the Federal Government with the responsibility of health and safety enforcement, regulation, and recommendations.
 - B. Original Safety Health and Administration. They are in charge of making sure everyone is germ free.
 - C. Occupational safe help act. They ensure the safety of everyone that needs help around the world.
 - D. Occupational Safety and Health Act, implemented policies to define the safety of all people.
8. Is it ok to enter an environment when your safety could be compromised?
- A. Absolutely!
 - B. No way!
 - C. Depends on circumstances.
 - D. Safety is not important
9. Exposure reporting is:
- A. A requirement.
 - B. The law.
 - C. Boring.
 - D. Just when you tell your friends or family what happened.
10. Suzy was exposed to blood about one month ago. She has noticed that her skin is becoming jaundiced (yellow), she has been nauseated and



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been vomiting. If this was caused from the exposure, from what illness could Suzy have been infected with?

- A. Hepatitis B Virus (HBV)
- B. Bird Flu
- C. Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)
- D. Common Cold

11. All of these are considered bloodborne pathogens EXCEPT:

- A. Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)
- B. Lice
- C. Hepatitis B Virus (HBV)
- D. Hepatitis C Virus (HCV)

12. What is the most important thing to take from this class?

- A. Remember every detail about bloodborne pathogens
- B. Remembering the importance of your safety, the use of PPE and how taking proper precautions can teach you how to minimize your risk for exposure!
- C. Do not touch anyone!
- D. None of the Above

13. What organ is primarily affected by Hepatitis B Virus (HBV)?

- A. The Skin
- B. The Kidneys
- C. The Liver
- D. The Brain

14. It is permissible to leave the scene when it becomes dangerous or unsafe.

- A. TRUE
- B. FALSE

15. What is NOT a common vaccination for employees that are at risk for exposure to bloodborne pathogens and/or OPIM?



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- A. Hepatitis B
- B. Mad cows disease
- C. Rubella
- D. Measles