

TEST BANK

DENTAL PUBLIC HEALTH

CONTEMPORARY PRACTICE FOR THE DENTAL HYGIENIST



SECOND EDITION



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MULTIPLE CHOICE. Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.

- 1) Which sectors are included in the dental care delivery system in the United States? 1) _____
- A) federal government
 - B) state government
 - C) private sector
 - D) all of the above
 - E) none of the above

Answer: D

- 2) State dental divisions work at solving dental issues within the state by 2) _____
- A) having dental-friendly booths at health fairs
 - B) providing free toothbrushes to the indigent population
 - C) serving as dental consultants to government and private sector entities
 - D) working as translators in dental clinics throughout the state
 - E) none of the above

Answer: C

- 3) The federal agency that is composed of community health centers, migrant workers' health centers, and primary care programs is called the 3) _____
- A) SAMSHA B) ADIR C) HRSA D) AoA E) HCFA

Answer: C

- 4) The largest effort to provide health insurance for children since Medicaid is which program? 4) _____
- A) U.S. Surgeon General's Office
 - B) Public Health Service
 - C) Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act
 - D) State Children's Health Insurance Program
 - E) none of the above

Answer: D

- 5) Factors affecting dental care delivery include which of the following? 5) _____
- A) access issues
 - B) the development of the dental hygiene profession
 - C) the decrease in periodontal diseases
 - D) both A and B
 - E) all of the above

Answer: D

- 6) Which government entitlement program generally covers dental care for individuals with low incomes? 6) _____
- A) Head Start B) HICFA C) Medicare D) HRSA E) Medicaid

Answer: E

- 7) The government's medical research organization is called 7) _____
- A) Health Care Financing and Research
 - B) National Medical Care Health
 - C) National Institutes of Health
 - D) Institute of Medicine
 - E) Federation of Medical Investigation

Answer: C

- 8) The government's prime entity for protecting the health of and providing human services to Americans is called the Department of Health 8) _____
- A) Institutes
 - B) and Human Services
 - C) Reform
 - D) and Medicine
 - E) and Welfare

Answer: B

- 9) The agency that is in charge of assuring that medicine is safe and efficacious is the United States 9) _____
is the
- A) Drug Enforcement Agency
 - B) Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Agency
 - C) Drug Czar Agency
 - D) Safety and Toxicity Center
 - E) Food and Drug Administration

Answer: E

- 10) The federal entity that is charged with providing a system of health surveillance to monitor and prevent outbreaks of disease is the 10) _____
- A) Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
 - B) National Institutes of Health
 - C) Institute of Medicine
 - D) National Institutes of Dental and Craniofacial Research
 - E) Food and Drug Administration

Answer: A

- 11) The patient's ability to sue a dental provider, if that provider fails to diagnosis and treat periodontal disease, is defined as 11) _____
- A) socioeconomic status
 - B) malpractice
 - C) dental insurance premiums
 - D) access issues
 - E) copayment issues

Answer: B

- 12) The agency responsible for the Early Head Start and Head Start programs is the 12) _____
- A) Centers for Medicare and Medicaid
 - B) Administration for Children and Families
 - C) State Children's Health Insurance Programs
 - D) Administration on Aging
 - E) none of the above

Answer: B

- 13) Which position is responsible for the U.S. Public Health Service Commissioned Corps? 13) _____
- A) Secretary of Health and Human Services
 - B) Secretary of Defense
 - C) Surgeon General
 - D) Admiral of Health
 - E) none of the above

Answer: C

- 14) Which federal department oversees the dental care of the military? 14) _____
A) Federal Investigations
B) Justice
C) Defense
D) Veterans' Affairs
E) none of the above
Answer: C

- 15) A state dental director works on state dental issues as a (an) 15) _____
A) researcher
B) clinician
C) examiner
D) consultant
E) none of the above
Answer: D

TRUE/FALSE. Write 'T' if the statement is true and 'F' if the statement is false.

- 16) Many state dental associations propose the initiation of preceptorship or alternative training for dental hygienists as a means to address a dental hygiene workforce shortage. 16) _____
Answer: True False
- 17) A federally qualified health center must serve an affluent patient population in order to qualify for federal subsidies. 17) _____
Answer: True False
- 18) The Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program is housed within the Department of Health and Human Services. 18) _____
Answer: True False
- 19) Individuals from ethnic minorities, children, and individuals with special needs have the highest rates of dental diseases. 19) _____
Answer: True False
- 20) Dental hygienists may work within the U.S. Peace Corps. 20) _____
Answer: True False

MATCHING. Choose the item in column 2 that best matches each item in column 1.

Match the following:

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| 21) The most common dental-hygienist to dental-employment ratio | A) Utilization | 21) _____ |
| Answer: E | B) 2:1 | |
| 22) Professional judgment as to the amount and kind of health care services required | C) Supply | 22) _____ |
| Answer: F | D) Demand | |
| | E) 1:2 | |
| 23) Particular frequency of dental care within a population | | 23) _____ |

Answer: D

F)
Need

24) The number of dental care services
actually utilized

24) _____

Answer: A

25) Number of available dental care
providers

25) _____

Answer: C

- 1) D
- 2) C
- 3) C
- 4) D
- 5) D
- 6) E
- 7) C
- 8) B
- 9) E
- 10) A
- 11) B
- 12) B
- 13) C
- 14) C
- 15) D
- 16) TRUE
- 17) FALSE
- 18) FALSE
- 19) TRUE
- 20) TRUE
- 21) E
- 22) F
- 23) D
- 24) A
- 25) C