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**Question 1**

**Individuals who are at higher risk for developing TB disease include:**

- A. Individuals who have been recently infected with TB bacteria**
- B. Individuals with medical diagnosis or conditions that weakens the immune system**
- C. Young children and babies who have weak immune systems.**
- D. All of the above**

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- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.

**Question 2**

Tuberculosis is characterized by \_\_\_\_\_. Select all that apply.

- A. Pulmonary infiltrates
- B. Formation of granulomas (with caseation),
- C. Fibrosis
- D. Cavitation
- E. Normal lungs on x-ray

- A.
- B.
- C.
- D.
- E.

Question 3

Symptoms of TB disease include \_\_\_\_\_. Select all that apply.

- A. Night sweats
- B. Chills
- C. Coughing up blood or sputum
- D. Fever
- E. Fatigue or weakness
- F. Increased appetite
- G. No appetite
- H. Weight loss

- A
- B
- C
- D
- E
- F
- G
- H

Question 4

WHEN CARING FOR THE PATIENT WITH PULMONARY TB one of the care priorities include preventing the spread of the infection.

- True
- False

Question 5

**Which statement regarding fit testing is not accurate?**

- A. A fit test is a test protocol conducted to verify that a respirator is both comfortable and correctly fits the user.**
- B. Fit testing each model of respirator the employee is to use in workplace tasks before their use is not needed especially in an emergency.**
- C. The benefits of this testing include better protection for the employee and verification that the employee is wearing a correctly-fitting model and size of respirator.**
- D. Higher than expected exposures to a contaminate may occur if users have poor face seals with the respirator, which can result in excessive leakage.**

- A
- B
- C
- D

Question 6

**Skin tests, Purified protein derivative (PPD) or Old tuberculin (OT) administered by intradermal injection -Mantoux: a positive reaction results in an area of induration 10 mm or greater, occurring 48–72 hr after injection.**

- True
- False

Question 7

**When caring for the patient with pulmonary TB it is not necessary to promote effective coping strategies as the most important goal is to achieve adequate ventilation.**

- True
- False

Question 8

**The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) collects information from state and local health departments about each newly reported case of tuberculosis (TB) in the United States (U.S.).**

- True
- False

Question 9

**Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) allows for the use of the N95 disposable respirator for employees for protection against \_\_\_\_\_**

- A. HIV
- B. Tuberculosis
- C. Norovirus
- D. Clostridium difficile

- A.
- B
- C
- D

Question 10

**Individuals who work or receive care in health care settings are not at higher risk for becoming infected with TB.**

- True
- False

Question 11

**Airborne transmission includes \_\_\_\_\_**

- A. Methicillin-Resistant Staphylococcus Aureus (MRSA) and
- B. Vancomycin-Resistant Enterococcus (VRE).
- C. Tuberculosis
- D. Clostridium difficile
- E. Rubella virus which causes measles

Question 12

**Tuberculosis is an acute or chronic infection caused by Mycobacterium tuberculosis.**

- True
- False

Question 13

**Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) does not allow for the use of the N95 disposable respirator for employees for protection against Tuberculosis in the health care environment.**

- True
- False

Question 14

**EXPLANATION: Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) allows for the use of the N95 disposable respirator for employees for protection against Tuberculosis in the health care environment.**

- True
- False

Question 15

**Individuals most likely to become infected include \_\_\_\_\_. Select all that apply.**

- A. Those living in crowded, poorly ventilated conditions
- B. People who are immunocompromised
- C. Homeless,
- D. Drug-addicted,
- E. Impoverished populations
- F. People with healthy normal immune status
- G. Immigrants from countries in which Tuberculosis (TB) is endemic.

Question 16

**Some expected outcomes/ Goals for the patient with TB include \_\_\_\_\_. Select all that apply.**

- A. Respiratory function adequate to meet patient's need**
- B. Lifestyle changes adopted to prevent spread of infection**
- C. Behavior changes adopted to prevent spread of infection**
- D. Complications prevented.**

- A.
- B
- C.
- D.

Question 17

The nurse is providing patient teaching regarding tuberculosis transmission and accurately informs the patient that:

- A. Some individuals develop TB disease soon after they become infected (within weeks) before their immune system can fight the TB bacteria.
- B. For people with Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) infection, the risk of developing TB disease is much lower than for persons with normal immune systems.
- C. Other people may become sick years later, when their immune system becomes weak for other reasons.
- D. A and C

Question 18

If you think you have been exposed to someone with TB disease, you should \_\_\_\_\_. Select all that apply.

- A. Contact your physician about getting a TB skin test or a special TB blood test.
- B. Tell the physician about who you spent time with that had the TB disease.
- C. Do not report it because the individual who is exposed to TB bacteria is not able to spread the bacteria to others right away.
- D. Contact your local health department about getting a TB skin test or a special TB blood test.

Question 19

WHEN CARING FOR THE PATIENT WITH PULMONARY TB the Plan of care should include \_\_\_\_\_. Select all that apply.

- A. Prevent spread of the infection**
  - B. Achieve adequate ventilation (oxygenation)**
  - C. Maintain adequate ventilation (oxygenation)**
  - D. Promote effective coping measures/ strategies.**
- A Prevent spread of the infection
  - B. Achieve adequate ventilation (oxygenation)

- C. Maintain adequate ventilation (oxygenation)
- D. Promote effective coping measures/ strategies

Question 20

**Promoting effective coping measures is a vital part of the plan of care for the patient with TB.**

- True
- False