

MEDICAL TRAVELERS, INC.

Annual Recertification Test

- 1. A patient who happens to be your neighbor is admitted to a facility at which you are working. You are concerned about her and ask the nurse caring for her how she is. The nurse should respond:**

Your answer:

- Here's her chart. Why don't you check it out?
- I'm sorry, that information is confidential. You may want to speak to her family.
- She is doing well. The biopsy was negative.

- 2. The primary function of HIPPA is to provide security and privacy for patient medical records.**

Your answer:

- True False

- 3. Who is responsible for making sure patient confidentiality is maintained**

Your answer:

- Everyone
- Housekeeping
- The Nurse
- Medical Staff

- 4. It is not necessary to advise a patient of the identity and professional status of any individual providing care to him/her.**

Your answer:

True False

- 5. The 5 "R's" of medication administration are: Right Patient, Right Route, Right Time, Right Dosage, Right Frequency.**

Your answer:

True False

- 6. We maintain a "Punitive" culture for reporting medication errors?**

Your answer:

True False

- 7. The belief or value in a culture may affect a patient's response to healthcare.**

Your answer:

True False

- 8. Understanding various cultures can help us deliver better care to the patient.**

Your answer:

True False

9. The most effective and easy method for preventing the spread of disease/infections is:

Your answer:

- Giving antibiotics
- Wearing gloves
- Handwashing
- None of the above

10. If I feel I have been exposed to a Blood Borne Pathogen I will:

Your answer:

- Notify my supervisor, and fill out the necessary paperwork required.
- Call my personal physician.
- Go to the Emergency Room.

11. Standard Precautions replaces and encompasses all of the following: Universal Precautions, Blood and Body Fluid Precautions, and Body Substance Isolation.

Your answer:

- True False

12. Droplet Precautions are used for diseases that can be transmitted by coughing and sneezing, if a caregiver is within approximately three feet of a patient (e.g. rubella).

Your answer:

- True False

13. Contact Precautions require the wearing of a gown and gloves if a caregiver anticipates contact with the patient or their environment

Your answer:

True False

14. Any room may be used when placing a patient in airborne isolation.

Your answer:

True False

15. RMI (repetitive motion injuries) such as carpal tunnel syndrome may occur from poor work habits, improper chair and monitor height, low lighting, keyboard positioning or using a heavy touch while typing and data entry. RMI's may also be the result of medical conditions, hobbies, sports and other circumstances that may be not deemed as work related.

Your answer:

True False

16. To help prevent latex sensitivity, use non-latex (vinyl) gloves for activities that are not likely to involve contact with infectious materials (food preparation, routine housekeeping).

Your answer:

True False

17. Any healthcare worker exposed to blood or body fluids should:

Your answer:

- Contact their supervisor immediately and contact Medical Travelers, Inc.
- For exposure to known HIV positive blood, seek medical care within 1-2 hours
- During non-clinic hours, call the Medical Traveler, Inc. for referral for treatment, complete Worker's Comp paperwork about the injury.
- All of the above

18. Approximately 800,000 healthcare workers in the United States are exposed to blood or body fluids every year in the course of their job.

Your answer:

- True False

19. The following Hepatitis's are known to be infectious through blood contact

Your answer:

- A, B and C
- B, C and D
- C, D and E

20. There is a vaccine for Hepatitis B but no vaccine for Hepatitis C.

Your answer:

- True False

21. For more information on Bloodborne pathogen diseases and transmission you should contact:

Your answer:

- Medical Travelers, Inc.
- Infection Control
- The Infection Control manual on your unit
- All of the above

22. Having a positive TB skin test and normal chest x-ray means that you have a "passive infection" and that you are not sick and cannot spread the germ to someone else.

Your answer:

- True False

23. You can get AIDS or HIV from sharing an infected persons ink pen or toothbrush.

Your answer:

- True False

24. It is OK to go into a TB isolation room without your N95 TB respirator if you hold your breath.

Your answer:

- True False

25. It is the responsibility of only the Biomedical Department to check for the safety sticker on electrical equipment.

Your answer:

- True False

26. You are responsible as an employee for

Your answer:

- Providing appropriate safety equipment
- To get your job done as quickly as possible
- The safety of yourself, coworkers, and clients in the workplace.
- To instruct others on their responsibilities.

27. Current Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) must be available in each department and available for staff to view regarding hazardous chemicals used in their workplace.

Your answer:

- True False

28. Generally speaking, what is a "Code Blue"?

Your answer:

- Approaching tornado.
- A person in need of emergency medical care.
- A possible fire in the building.
- None of the above.

29. Generally speaking, what is a "Code Red"?

Your answer:

- Hazardous Materials Spill.
- Bomb Threat.
- Fire Alert.
- A Urine Sample Spill.

30. If a hazardous materials spill occurs, notification must be made to who?

Your answer:

- Safety Coordinator
- Switchboard
- Co-workers
- All of the above.

31. Emergency power electrical outlets are red in color.

Your answer:

- True False

32. To initiate a "Code Red" pick up the telephone and dial 911.

Your answer:

- True False

33. It is okay to use electrical equipment that has the ground pin broken off.

Your answer:

- True False

34. What does R.A.C.E. mean?

Your answer:

- Run, activate, contain, egress.
- Rescue, advise, continue, expect.
- Remove, advance, constrain, exhaust.
- Rescue, activate, contain, extinguish.

35. What is the most effective firefighting tool in preventing the spread of fire in a hospital?

Your answer:

- Smoke detectors
- Doors
- Fire alarms
- Standpipes

36. Medical Travelers, Inc. has a Zero Tolerance Standard with regard to threats and violent behavior in the workplace.

Your answer:

- True False

37. Generally speaking, what is the hospital's code for a pediatric cardiac arrest?

Your answer:

- Code Pink
- Code Orange
- Code Black
- Code Yellow

38. When lifting an object/patient, the steps in proper order you are to take are:

Your answer:

- Assess the load, bend the knees and lift with the legs.
- Bend the knees, keep the back straight, lift with the legs and keep the load close. Do not twist.
- Assess the load, if too heavy, get help. When lifting, bend the knees, keep the back straight, and lift with the legs. Do not twist.
- Assess the load, keep the back straight and lift with the legs, hold away from the body. Do not twist.

39. Sexual harassment is only asking for sexual favors.

Your answer:

- True False

40. The best thing to do if you feel you are being harassed is:

Your answer:

- Avoid the harasser.
- Ask for a change in job assignment.
- Leave the room.
- Confront the harasser, ask him/her to stop, and report the incident.

41. The two primary ways to prevent elder abuse is to increase awareness that a serious problem exist, and to learn how to report all suspicious acts.

Your answer:

- True False

42. A health practitioner must report suspected child abuse to protect the child.

Your answer:

True False

43. Abuse is only physical.

Your answer:

True False

44. Adults between the ages of 18 and 90 can be expected to have the same needs.

Your answer:

True False

45. "As needed" orders for restraints are not acceptable.

Your answer:

True False

46. Physician's orders must be renewed every 4 hours for adults, every 2 hours for adolescents, and every 1 hour for pediatric patients.

Your answer:

True False

47. Restraints do not need to be padded.

Your answer:

True False

48. All patients in behavioral restraints will be observed at least every 30 minutes and patient care needs will be assessed and provided at least every 4 hours.

Your answer:

True False

49. If "RUN CONTROL" appears in the display, you should run control tests that are in range before proceeding to do a patient test.

Your answer:

True False

50. To perform a test, the operator must enter a proper operator ID#

Your answer:

True False

51. When coding a blood glucose monitor, you must use the Code Key from the same vial of test strips that you are using.

Your answer:

True False

52. The only proper site for the finger puncture is on the side of the fingertip.

Your answer:

True False

53. Arterial, venous, or capillary blood may be used with a blood glucose monitor.

Your answer:

True False

54. Pain is what the patient says it is, when the patient says it is.

Your answer:

True False

55. Pain is considered by many to be the fifth vital sign.

Your answer:

True False

56. One pain scale works for all.

Your answer:

True False

57. Three types of pain scales are, Non-verbal, New born, and Faces.

Your answer:

True False

58. Pain affects impacts on daily life functions, sleep, appetite, relationships with others, emotions, and concentration.

Your answer:

True False