

Question 1

You are dispatched to a private residence for a possible seizure. Upon your arrival, you find your patient sitting on the dining room floor. His wife states they were eating dinner when he started yelling and throwing dishes. Your first consideration should be to:

- A) Stay a safe distance away.
- B) Ask the wife to step outside with you so you can get information from her.
- C) Quickly check the patient's carotid pulse.
- D) Ask the wife to step into the other room so you can speak with the patient alone.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486351>

Question 2

As you prepare to lift the cot, you place all your fingers and the palms of your hands in contact with the bar. This hand position is called the:

- A) Lock grip.
- B) All of the above.
- C) Power lift.
- D) Power grip.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=485898>

Question 3

You are assessing a 3-year-old who has been extremely fussy for the past two days. While obtaining vital signs, you should be concerned if the patient's respiratory rate exceeds:

- A) 22 breaths per minute.
- B) 16 breaths per minute.
- C) 25 breaths per minute.
- D) 30 breaths per minute.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486141>

Question 4

HIPAA regulations are designed to help protect patient privacy. In order to help protect your patient's privacy and comply with HIPPA, you should:

- A) Give your patient care report to the nurse treating your patient.
- B) Place your patient care report in a locked box.
- C) Leave your patient care report on the counter in the nurse's station.
- D) Place your patient care report in the tray on the physician's desk.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486104>

Question 5

Medical direction plays an important role in every AED program by developing:

- A) Personnel training requirements.
- B) Deployment plans and oversight.
- C) Specific standards and guidelines.
- D) A quality improvement program.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486209>

Question 6

During an emergent move, which of the following techniques should be used, whenever possible, to minimize the possibility of further aggravating a possible spinal injury?

- A) Move the patient sideways, alternating moving the shoulder, then the hips
- B) Roll the patient over
- C) Pull the patient from the feet, not the shoulders
- D) Move the patient in the direction of the long axis of the body

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=485916>

Question 7

You are assessing an elderly male resident of a nursing home who is complaining of chest pain. Which of the following questions would be best in helping you determine if the pain is radiating?

- A) Are you experiencing any other symptoms?
- B) Does anything make the pain worse?
- C) Are you having pain anywhere besides your chest?
- D) Are you having pain in your arm?

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486045>

Question 8

You are transporting celebrity who was injured during a fall at a charity event. Her left shoulder is swollen, deformed, and bruised. There is pain and tingling when the patient attempts to use her hand. Vital signs include pulse of 92, a respiratory rate of 20, and a blood pressure of 132/88. All of the following should be included in your radio report EXCEPT:

- A) Vital signs and assessment.
- B) Notifying the hospital you have a VIP.
- C) How the injury occurred.
- D) The appearance of the shoulder.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486089>

Question 9

You are dispatched to a private residence for a child having severe breathing difficulty. Upon your arrival, you find a 3-year-old child in severe respiratory distress. Her skin is cyanotic and she responds only to painful stimuli. The patient's grandmother states she was complaining this morning about a sore throat and was running a fever. The most appropriate treatment would be to:

- A) Insert an oropharyngeal airway and begin BVM ventilations with supplemental oxygen.
- B) Begin gentle ventilations with a bag-valve-mask and supplemental oxygen.
- C) Suction the airway and insert an oropharyngeal airway.
- D) Perform abdominal thrusts and attempt to ventilate using a BVM.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486568>

Question 10

You are treating an elderly male involved in a vehicle verses pedestrian collision. He is lying on the street unresponsive to all stimuli. His left leg is twisted and angulated, and there is bleeding from his ears, nose and mouth. Which of the following treatments should you treat first?

- A) Immobilize onto a long backboard
- B) Control bleeding
- C) Suction the airway
- D) Splint the leg

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486529>

Question 11

As we age, vital signs naturally change. One of these differences is:

- A) The normal respiratory rate is faster.
- B) The normal blood pressure is higher.
- C) Capillary refill is not as effective as in adult.
- D) The normal pulse rate is faster.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486002>

Question 12

Your partner has parked the ambulance a safe distance from a motor vehicle collision. As you leave the ambulance and start walking toward the scene you should do all of the following EXCEPT:

- A) Walk as directly as possible to the vehicle.
- B) Look for collision victims on or near the road.
- C) Look and listen for other emergency vehicles approaching.
- D) Look for clues of escaped hazardous materials.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=485958>

Question 13

When using the mnemonic OPQRST, which of the following questions would help you find out about "P"?

- A) What is your primary complaint?
- B) Does anything make the pain worse?
- C) Are you having any pain?
- D) Do you have any past medical history?

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486058>

Question 14

What does the "D" in "DCAP-BTLS" represent?

- A) Deformities
- B) Dislocations
- C) Dyspnea

D) Distal pulse

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486032>

Question 15

You are treating a hiker who was bitten on the leg by a snake. All of the following are appropriate in the treatment of this patient EXCEPT:

- A) Apply ice to the bite site.
- B) Place the injury site below the level of the heart.
- C) Remove jewelry from the bitten extremity.
- D) Consult medical direction about constricting bands.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486332>

Question 16

You are called to a public school for a teacher having a seizure. You recall from class that the most common cause of seizures in adults is:

- A) Fever.
- B) Withdrawal from alcohol.
- C) Epilepsy.
- D) Head trauma.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486237>

Question 17

The medical term meaning "closer to the body or point of attachment" is:

- A) Inferior.
- B) Distal.
- C) Proximal.
- D) Superior.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=485875>

Question 18

You are starting treatment on a patient with breathing difficulties. You decide to administer oxygen via a nonrebreather mask because it can deliver:

- A) Up to 44% oxygen at 2—6 lpm.
- B) Up to 90% oxygen at 10—15 lpm.
- C) Up to 90% oxygen at 2—6 lpm.
- D) Up to 44% oxygen at 10—15 lpm.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=485940>

Question 19

You are treating a patient that has a laceration to the forearm. Which of the following is required in the management of all open soft-tissue injuries?

- A) Providing high-flow oxygen to the patient
- B) Application of a disinfectant solution
- C) Cervical spine precautions
- D) The use of body substance isolation

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=486444>

Question 20

A prehospital provider that can provide some advanced life support skills such as limited medications, intravenous lines, and cardiac monitoring would be a(n):

- A) Emergency Medical Responder.
- B) Paramedic.
- C) Advanced Emergency Medical Technician.
- D) Emergency Medical Technician.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=485807>