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COVID-19: Identification and Prevention

- 1. A patient has questions regarding COVID-19. Which of the following educational points should be expressed to the patient?
- A. COVID-19 can spread through person-to-person contact.
- B. COVID-19 is primarily transmitted through the air.
- C. COVID-19 is only transmitted by contact with infected blood.
- D. COVID-19 is only transmitted via contaminated food.
- 2. According to the text, what is the suggested incubation period for COVID-19?
- A. 1 14 days
- B. 14 18 days
- C. 18 20 days
- D. 20 30 days
- 3. According to the text, which of the following may be a symptom of COVID-19?
- A. Seizures
- B. Weight gain
- C. Fever
- D. Rash
- 4. Health care professionals should self-monitor for symptoms of COVID-19.
- A. True
- B. False
- 5. A fellow health care professional has questions regarding hand hygiene. Which of the following informational points of interest should be communicated to the health care professional regarding hand hygiene?
- A. A health care professional should engage in hand hygiene after touching a patient.
- B. The duration of the entire handwashing procedure with soap and water should last between 10 20 seconds.
- C. The duration of the entire hand hygiene procedure with an alcohol-based formulation should last between 5 10 seconds.
- D. At the end of a hand hygiene procedure with an alcohol-based formulation, health care professionals should dry their hands with a towel.

- 6. Which of the following statements is most accurate?
- A. All individuals with signs and symptoms of a respiratory infection (excluding health care professionals) should be instructed to cover the mouth and nose with their hands when coughing or sneezing.
- B. All individuals with signs and symptoms of a respiratory infection (including health care professionals) should be instructed to cover the mouth and nose with their hands when coughing or sneezing.
- C. All individuals over the age of 65 with signs and symptoms of a respiratory infection should be instructed to cover the mouth and nose with their hands when coughing or sneezing.
- D. All individuals with signs and symptoms of a respiratory infection (including health care professionals) should be instructed to cover the mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing or sneezing.
- 7. Health care professionals may administer medications from the same syringe to multiple patients.
- A. True
- B. False
- 8. A fellow health care professional has questions regarding contact precautions. Which of the following informational points of interest should be communicated to the health care professional regarding contact precautions?
- A. If contact precautions may be required, patients with symptoms of an active infection should be placed in a private room until it is determined if contact precaution are necessary.
- B. Signs indicating patients are on contact precautions should not be posted outside patient rooms.
- C. PPE is not necessary if contact precautions are required for a patient.
- D. Patient transport and movement should not be limited.
- 9. Health care professionals should instruct patients, who require droplet precautions, to wear facemasks when exiting their rooms.
- A. True
- B. False
- 10. Which of the following statements regarding airborne precautions is most accurate?

- A. Health care professionals should ensure appropriate patient placement in an airborne infection isolation room (AIIR); if a health care facility does not have an AIIR, health care professionals should place patients in a private room with the door open. B. Health care professionals should ensure appropriate patient placement in an airborne infection isolation room (AIIR); if a health care facility does not have an AIIR, health care professionals should only place patients over the age of 65 in a private room with the door open.
- C. Health care professionals should ensure appropriate patient placement in an airborne infection isolation room (AIIR); if a health care facility does not have an AIIR, health care professionals should place patients in a private room with the door closed. D. Health care professionals should ensure appropriate patient placement in an airborne infection isolation room (AIIR); if a health care facility does not have an AIIR, health care professionals should only place patients over the age of 65 in a private room with the door closed.

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