

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

- 1) The historic use of medications that produced "twilight sleep" during labor was discontinued because the use of this type of medication caused an increase in the: 1) \_\_\_\_\_  
A) Preterm birth rate. B) Infant mortality rate.  
C) Maternal mortality rate. D) Cesarean birth rate.
  
- 2) Changes in the health care delivery system have brought about changes in the way care providers view those that they treat. Which of the following terms implies that the recipient of health care services is an active participant in the health care process with both rights and responsibilities? 2) \_\_\_\_\_  
A) Advocate B) Consumer C) Client D) Client
  
- 3) Which of the following represents the implementation phase of the nursing process? 3) \_\_\_\_\_  
A) The nurse obtaining vital signs  
B) The nurse repositioning a client who reports pain  
C) The nurse reviewing new physician orders  
D) The nurse discussing medications with a pharmacist

**SHORT ANSWER. Write the word or phrase that best completes each statement or answers the question.**

- 4) List the following nursing actions in the order they should occur when the LPN/LVN is using the nursing process. 4) \_\_\_\_\_  
1. Determines that a client has severe pain in the abdomen following a cesarean section  
2. Flushes the IV line and gives 25 mg of Demerol over 2 minutes  
3. Documents that the client is able to turn from side to side without grimacing  
4. Reviews the physician order sheet and the medication administration record for available drug therapies

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- 5) Which of the following situations best represents the infant mortality rates for a population? 5) \_\_\_\_\_  
A) A county reports 7 SIDS related deaths, 4 AIDS related deaths and 5 accidental deaths in a single year.  
B) A state health department reports 12 deaths in children under age 1 for every 1000 births each year.  
C) A hospital has 5 stillbirths and 400 live births annually.  
D) There are 10,000 children that die annually in a given country.
  
- 6) Which of the following represents a primary care activity? 6) \_\_\_\_\_  
A) Hospice care for a child with muscular dystrophy  
B) Postoperative care following a tonsillectomy  
C) Outclient chemotherapy infusion for a child with leukemia  
D) Immunization updates as part of a preschool physical examination
  
- 7) The goal of tertiary health care is: 7) \_\_\_\_\_  
A) Restoration of maximum function. B) Health maintenance.  
C) Illness prevention. D) Resolution of acute conditions.

- 8) The community-based LPN/LVN must demonstrate successful integration of a variety of practice roles. Nurses may demonstrate this role diversity when working without compensation at the local free clinic, translating a handout from English to Spanish for parents when their children are admitted to the hospital, and meeting with a registered nurse, respiratory therapist, physical therapist, and chaplain to discuss the care of a homebound client. These nurses are demonstrating which of the following roles? Select all that apply. 8) \_\_\_\_\_
- A) Community educator
  - B) Cultural competence
  - C) Community volunteer
  - D) Collaborator
  - E) Consultant
- 9) Which of the following is objective data? Select all that apply. 9) \_\_\_\_\_
- A) Nausea
  - B) Temperature 98.7°F
  - C) Hemoglobin 12.6
  - D) Pain 5/10
  - E) Incision is reddened
- 10) Which statement is true regarding homeopathy? 10) \_\_\_\_\_
- A) A small amount of a substance will stimulate the immune response.
  - B) Pressure applied to trigger points helps to balance energy.
  - C) It utilizes natural techniques such as vitamins and diet to restore health.
  - D) It is a Japanese technique of energy healing.
- 11) Which of the following clients should the LPN/LVN check on first at the start of a morning shift? 11) \_\_\_\_\_
- A) The first day postoperative cesarean client that has an IV antibiotic due in 1 hour
  - B) The newborn that is being treated with phototherapy using a BiliBlanket
  - C) The woman at 8 weeks gestation admitted from the emergency room for heavy vaginal bleeding 2 hours ago
  - D) The postpartum client and her newborn that are planning to be discharged later in the morning
- 12) The LPN/LVN can evaluate whether or not it would be appropriate to perform a given task if the task meets which of the following criteria? Select all that apply. 12) \_\_\_\_\_
- A) No other personnel are available to perform the task
  - B) The client's life is in jeopardy if the task is not performed
  - C) Part of the nurse's basic education program
  - D) Permitted by the State Board of Nursing
  - E) The employer has policies and procedures on file for the task
- 13) Which of the following situations describes the evaluation step of the nursing process? 13) \_\_\_\_\_
- A) The nurse that notifies a physician when a child has a pulse rate of 180
  - B) The nurse that documents intake and output in the client's chart
  - C) The nurse that repeats a temperature after giving Tylenol to a febrile client
  - D) The nurse that wraps a baby in a warm blanket after a bath

- 14) An LPN/LVN should determine the competence of an individual to perform a given task. If the individual has been certified as a Nursing Assistant, the nurse should: 14) \_\_\_\_\_
- A) See a copy of the certification.
  - B) Discuss the procedure with the CNA.
  - C) Observe the CNA as the task is performed.
  - D) Teach a class for CNAs before delegation.
- 15) Which of the following represents appropriate delegation? 15) \_\_\_\_\_
- A) The LPN/LVN delegates to the unlicensed assistive personnel to record the intake and output for a client following surgery.
  - B) The CNA asks another CNA to remove the Foley catheter of a postoperative client.
  - C) The registered nurse asks the LPN/LVN to obtain vital signs and an assessment of the client immediately following a seizure.
  - D) The LPN/LVN delegates vital signs for a client receiving a blood transfusion to the CNA.

## Answer Key

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- 1) D
- 2) D
- 3) B
- 4) 1, 4, 2, 3
- 5) B
- 6) D
- 7) A
- 8) B, C, D
- 9) B, C, E
- 10) A
- 11) C
- 12) C, D, E
- 13) C
- 14) C
- 15) A