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Chapter 1 – Hospitals Through the Ages

Multiple Choice

1. _____ physicians were likely the first to use castor oil and peppermint as drugs were.

- A) Greek
- B) Roman
- C) Hindu
- D) Egyptian

Ans: D

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Early Egyptian Hospitals

Subject: Chapter 1

2. Ancient ruins provide evidence that patients were being treated holistically in _____ as early as 1134 BCE.

- A) Greek temples
- B) Roman temples
- C) Mohammedan asylums
- D) Serbian temples

Ans: A

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Greek and Roman Hospitals

Subject: Chapter 1

3. The writings of Hippocrates were preserved by:

- A) Dutch merchants.
- B) Van Leeuwenhoek.
- C) monks.
- D) barber surgeons.

Ans: C

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: The "Dark Age" of Hospitals

Subject: Chapter 1

4. Although _____ did not invent the first microscope, he was able to perfect it.

- A) Van Leeuwenhoek
- B) Fenwick
- C) Lister
- D) Pasteur

Ans: A

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Hospitals of the 18th Century

5. _____ claimed that the alarming number of deaths from puerperal fever was due to the transfer of infection by students when they went from the dissecting room to the maternity ward.

- A) Pasteur
- B) Morgan
- C) Rhazes
- D) Semmelweis

Ans: D

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Late-19th-Century Renaissance

Subject: Chapter 1

6. _____ is often referred to as the first healthcare administrator.

- A) Bedford Fenwick
- B) W. G. Wylie
- C) Florence Nightingale
- D) John Hopkins

Ans: C

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Late-19th-Century Renaissance

Subject: Chapter 1

7. The first incorporated hospital in the United States was founded in:

- A) Boston.
- B) Philadelphia.
- C) Manhattan.
- D) Richmond.

Ans: B

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Early Hospitals in the United States

Subject: Chapter 1

8. _____ is credited with the discovery of the X-ray

- A) Halstead
- B) Whipple
- C) McCollum
- D) Roentgen

Ans: D

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Late-19th-Century Renaissance

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9. The inventor of the electrocardiograph, which marked the beginning of medicine in the 20th century, is credited as:

- A) Einthoven.

- B) Einstein.
- C) Eisenberg.
- D) Ernst.

Ans: A

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: 20th-Century Progress

Subject: Chapter 1

10. Reform in medical education early in the 20th century was due to:

- A) hospital administrators.
- B) standardization.
- C) efforts of the National League of Nursing.
- D) efforts of the Council on Medical Education and Hospitals.

Ans: D

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: 20th-Century Progress

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11. With the goal of providing the best professional, scientific, and humanitarian care possible, the _____ was the focus of early efforts in hospital standardization.

- A) drug regimen
- B) patient
- C) nurse
- D) physician

Ans: B

Complexity: Moderate

Ahead: 20th-Century Progress

Subject: Chapter 1

12. Hospitals first appeared as *aesculapia* (named after a god of medicine) in:

- A) Egypt
- B) Greece
- C) Spain
- D) Greenland

Ans: B

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Greek and Roman Hospitals

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13. _____ introduced steam sterilization in 1886, which was of great importance for infection control in hospitals.

- A) Bergmann
- B) Konrad
- C) McCollum
- D) Halstead

Ans: A

Complexity: Easy

14. _____ produced experimental rickets by means of an experimental diet.

- A) Wasserman
- B) Fenwick
- C) Virchow
- D) Finlay

Ans: D

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: 20th-Century Progress

Subject: Chapter 1

15. _____ showed that wound healing could be hastened by using antiseptics.

- A) Lister
- B) Halstead
- C) Pasteur
- D) Semmelweis

Ans: A

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Late-19th-Century Renaissance

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16. Anesthesia was first publicly demonstrated in 1846 at:

- A) John Hopkins Hospital.
- B) Pennsylvania Hospital.
- C) New York Hospital.
- D) Massachusetts General Hospital.

Ans: D

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Late-19th-Century Renaissance

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17. Congress passed and President Barack Obama signed the _____ on March 23, 2010. The legislation was designed to ensure that more Americans receive healthcare benefits.

- A) National Insurance Act
- B) Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996
- C) Obama Care Act
- D) Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act

Ans: D

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Health Care and Hospitals in the 21st Century

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18. _____ published a book in 1775 describing frightful conditions existing in hospitals.

- A) John Jones

B) Thomas Bond

C) Thomas Jefferson

D) William Penn

Ans: A

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Early Hospitals in the United States

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19. In 1918, the American College of Surgeons drew up a “constitution” for hospitals setting forth the requirements for the care of the sick. This document was known as:

A) the Minimum Standard.

B) the strict liability doctrine.

C) the medical practice standard.

D) national health insurance act.

Ans: A

Complexity:

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Subject: Chapter 1

20. The scope of services provided by a hospital:

A) has remained constant over time.

B) continues to change.

C) has been pre-established.

D) has been shrinking over the past 50 years.

Ans: B

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Chapter Review

Subject: Chapter 1

21. The American College of Surgeons was founded in 1913 under the leadership of:

A) Carlos Finlay.

B) August Von Wasserman.

C) Casimir.

D) Franklin H. Martin.

Ans: D

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: 20th-Century Progress

Subject: Chapter 1

22. The first American nursing school was established in 1872 at:

A) Roosevelt Hospital.

B) Bellevue Hospital.

C) Sinai Hospital.

D) Brigham and Women’s Hospital.

Ans: D

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Late-19th-Century Renaissance

Subject: Chapter 1

23. Which of the following images was engraved on a limestone pillar dating back to the Sumerians (2920 BCE)?

- A) A Mohammedan hospital
- B) An assemblage of wounded soldiers
- C) Various physical ailments
- D) Portrait of Socrates

Ans: B

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Early Military Hospitals

Subject: Chapter 1

24. The _____ was most likely typical of the better hospitals of the Middle Ages.

- A) London University Hospital
- B) New London Hospital
- C) Hotel-Dieu of Paris
- D) Hospital of Siena

Ans: C

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Medieval Hospitals

Subject: Chapter 1

25. The first psychiatric hospital founded in the United States was located in:

- A) Norfolk, Virginia.
- B) Richmond, Virginia.
- C) Williamsburg, Virginia.
- D) New York, New York.

Ans: C

Complexity: Easy

Ahead: Early Hospitals in the United States

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26. _____, a dentist, developed sulfuric ether and arranged for the first hospital operation under anesthesia.

- A) W. T. G. Morgan
- B) Dr. Nathan Smith Davis
- C) Ignatz Philipp Semmelweis
- D) Crawford Long

Ans: A

Complexity: Easy

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27. _____ is a plan of care whereby a patient pays an annual retainer fee in exchange for immediate access to a physician.

- A) Emergency medicine

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B) Comprehensive medicine

C) Boutique medicine

D) Outpatient medicine

Ans: C

Complexity: Easy

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