Exam

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

1) Why did Florence Nightingale establish the first formal, independent nursing education program?   1) _____
     A) To make the preparation of nurses the primary goal of their education
     B) To promote a model of health promotion and disease prevention
     C) To establish a base from which nurses would then be able to control their own profession
     D) To reduce the exploitation of women

Answer: A
Explanation: A)
                B)
                C)
                D)

2) What need most strongly influenced early schools of nursing?   2) _____
     A) Increasing death rates within hospitals   B) Service needs of the hospitals
     C) A shortage of adequately trained nurses   D) The desire for knowledge

Answer: B
Explanation: A)
                B)
                C)
                D)

3) How can nurses resolve the issue of entry into practice (two year versus four year graduates)?   3) _____
     A) Develop separate professional organizations for affiliation and advocacy.
     B) Stop being the victims of an unenlightened hospital industry.
     C) Refuse to accept positions in health care institutions that fail to distinguish between the two
        types of graduates.
     D) Seek to avoid being coconspirators in the confusion over entry into practice.

Answer: B
Explanation: A)
                B)
                C)
                D)

4) Which group of nurses was largely responsible for recognizing the need for nurses to have   4) _____
knowledge of social and behavioral sciences?
     A) Nurse educators   B) Public health nurses
     C) Nurse researchers   D) Nurse midwives

Answer: B
Explanation: A)
                B)
                C)
                D)

5) Which characteristic best describes the competence of a nurse? 5) _____
   A) Manages a chronically ill, co-morbid adult patient across settings
   B) Certified in CPR
   C) Able to obtain a patient's oxygen saturation level
   D) Completes all care in a timely fashion

Answer: A
Explanation: A)
            B)
            C)
            D)

6) Why has the medical model been deeply unsatisfying for most nurses? 6) _____
   A) Nurses had minimal input into the medical model and therefore the needs of nurses were overlooked.
   B) While the medical model addresses the needs of individual patients, the needs of a community and society are overlooked.
   C) The medical model tends to focus on disease or infirmity.
   D) The medical model requires the nurse to assume a subordinate status to the physician.

Answer: C
Explanation: A)
            B)
            C)
            D)

7) The theme characterizing early nursing education was "training." Why do nurses today find this description of nursing education so aversive? 7) _____
   A) It depicts nurses as individuals lacking education.
   B) It implies that the nurse is proficient at the time of graduation and thus not in need of assistance with transition into practice.
   C) Nurses are sensitive and embarrassed by their predecessors.
   D) It is a term used by physicians to describe medical training.

Answer: A
Explanation: A)
            B)
            C)
            D)

8) What traits did the hospital industry and medical profession most value in nurses at the beginning of the 20th century? 8) _____
   A) Technical skill, industry, and obedience
   B) Self motivation, autonomy, and productivity
   C) Broad education, compassion, and concern for the patient
   D) Cost consciousness, clinical skill, and unwavering obedience

Answer: A
Explanation: A)
            B)
            C)
            D)

9) Why was there a severe shortage of nurses at the end of WW I? 9) _____
   A) Poor working conditions
   B) Alternate employment opportunities available for women
   C) Notoriously poor salaries paid nurses
   D) Well known exploitation of nursing students

Answer: D
Explanation: A)
                B)
                C)
                D)

10) The Goldmark report was commissioned to study nursing. At the time of its publication what 10) _____
    impact did the report make on nursing education?
    A) The Goldmark report lead to the fiscally independence of nursing schools.
    B) The Goldmark report lead nurse leaders to begin to envision advanced practice nursing.
    C) The Goldmark report lead to higher educational standards and a liberal education for nurses.
    D) The Goldmark report had no impact on nursing education.

Answer: D
Explanation: A)
                B)
                C)
                D)

1) A
2) B
3) B
4) B
5) A
6) C
7) A
8) A
9) D
10) D