

Chapter 1: Hospitals and Nursing Centers

Test Bank

MULTIPLE CHOICE

1. An acute illness is
 - a. A sudden illness from which the person is expected to recover
 - b. An on-going illness for which there is no known cure
 - c. An illness that is slow or gradual in onset
 - d. An illness for which there is no reasonable expectation of recovery

ANS: A REF: p. 1 | p. 2

2. An on-going illness that is slow or gradual in onset and for which there is no known cure is
 - a. An acute illness
 - b. A chronic illness
 - c. A terminal illness
 - d. A physical illness

ANS: B REF: p. 1 | p. 2

3. Functional nursing is
 - a. A nursing care pattern focusing on tasks and jobs
 - b. A nursing care pattern in which an RN is responsible for the person's total care
 - c. A team of nursing staff led by an RN who delegates care to other nurses
 - d. Moving services from departments to the bedside

ANS: A REF: p. 5

4. An RN is responsible for the person's total care. This is called
 - a. Team nursing
 - b. Primary nursing
 - c. Functional nursing
 - d. Patient-focused care

ANS: B REF: p. 5

5. Persons living in long-term care centers are called
 - a. Patients
 - b. Clients
 - c. Residents
 - d. Individuals

ANS: C REF: p. 2

6. Persons receiving care in hospitals are called
- Patients
 - Clients
 - Residents
 - Individuals

ANS: A REF: p. 2

7. Which health team member is responsible for the entire nursing staff?
- Nurse manager
 - Charge nurse
 - Staff nurse
 - Director of nursing

ANS: D REF: p. 4

8. An assisted living residence (ALR)
- Provides three meals a day and housekeeping, laundry, and some health services
 - Is for persons with terminal illnesses
 - Provides complex, on-going rehabilitation
 - Is for persons with chronic mental illness

ANS: A REF: p. 1 | p. 2

9. Assisted living residences (ALRs) provide the following *except*
- Housing
 - Personal care
 - Complex medical care
 - Social activities

ANS: C REF: p. 2

10. These individuals perform delegated nursing tasks under the supervision of a licensed nurse.
- Nurse practitioners
 - Social workers
 - Nursing assistants
 - Medical technologists

ANS: C REF: p. 5

11. The nursing team involves the following *except*
- Doctors
 - RNs
 - LPNs
 - Nursing assistants

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12. Nursing assistants may report to the following *except*

- a. An RN
- b. An LPN/LVN
- c. A nurse manager
- d. Another nursing assistant

ANS: D REF: p. 5

13. LPNs/LVNs may be supervised by all of the following *except*

- a. RN
- b. Nursing assistant
- c. Licensed doctor
- d. Licensed dentist

ANS: B REF: p. 5

14. Which health team member assesses, makes nursing diagnoses, plans, implements, and evaluates nursing care?

- a. RN
- b. LPN
- c. Nursing assistant
- d. Case manager

ANS: A REF: p. 5

15. As a nursing assistant, you are part of

- a. The health team and the nursing team
- b. The board of trustees
- c. The case management team
- d. The prospective payment system

ANS: A REF: p. 4 | p. 5

16. Which health team member assesses and plans for the nutritional needs of patients and residents?

- a. The RN
- b. The dietitian
- c. The pharmacist
- d. The doctor

ANS: B REF: p. 4

17. Which health team member is responsible for diagnosing and treating diseases and injuries?

- a. Nurse practitioner
- b. RN
- c. Physician
- d. Physician's assistant

ANS: C REF: p. 4

18. Which health team member deals with social, emotional, and environmental issues affecting illness and recovery?
- a. Speech-language pathologist
 - b. Podiatrist
 - c. Activities director
 - d. Social worker

ANS: D REF: p. 4

19. A hospice is
- a. A skilled nursing facility
 - b. A home health care agency
 - c. A health care program for persons who present dangers to themselves or others
 - d. An agency or program for persons who are dying

ANS: D REF: p. 1 | p. 3

20. A federal health insurance program for persons 65 years of age and older is
- a. Private insurance
 - b. Group insurance
 - c. An HMO
 - d. Medicare

ANS: D REF: p. 6

21. Medicaid is
- a. A preferred provider organization
 - b. A health care payment program sponsored by the federal government and operated by the states
 - c. A private insurance plan bought by individuals
 - d. A federal health insurance program for persons 65 years of age or older

ANS: B REF: p. 6

22. The goal of the health team is to
- a. Provide quality care
 - b. Carry out the doctor's orders
 - c. Develop care plans for patients and residents
 - d. Follow agency policies and procedures

ANS: A REF: p. 3

23. Generally, persons needing complete care in long-term care centers
- a. Know who and where they are, the year, and time of day
 - b. Can meet their needs
 - c. Are very disabled, confused, or disoriented
 - d. Can say what they need and want

ANS: C REF: p. 2

24. Short-term nursing center residents
- a. Have birth defects
 - b. Have childhood injuries or diseases
 - c. Are recovering from acute illness, surgery, fractures, or other injuries
 - d. Are dying

ANS: C REF: p. 2

25. Persons who are mentally ill
- a. Are confused and disoriented
 - b. Have limited language and learning abilities
 - c. Are angry and withdrawn
 - d. Have problems with behavior and function

ANS: D REF: p. 2

26. An illness from which the person will not likely recover is
- a. An acute illness
 - b. A terminal illness
 - c. A hospice illness
 - d. Respite care

ANS: B REF: p. 1 | p. 2

27. During the survey process your role is to
- a. Protect the person's rights
 - b. Discourage the family members from speaking to a surveyor
 - c. Hide in the supply room so that the surveyors can speak only to nurses
 - d. Guess at any answer you do not know

ANS: A REF: p. 7