

Pharmacy Technician Certification Exam (PTCE)

1. You have received a script that reads 2gtt OU BID. What will the label placed on the patients packaging read?

A. Two Drops in both ears two times daily

B. Two Drops in both eyes two times daily

C. Two Drops in right ear three times a day.

D. Two drops in left eye two times daily

Answer(s): B

2. Convert 25°C to F°.

A. 36°F

B. 50°F

C. 77°F

D. 69°F

Answer(s): C

3. A 14 year old boy weights 110 lbs. He is prescribed by his Doctor to take 5mg/Kg of drug "A" daily. What will his dose be?

A. 1200mg

B. 1250mg

C. 150mg

D. 250mg

Answer(s): D

4. C C X L is equal to:

A. 2540

B. 265

C. 2040

D. 240

Answer(s): D

5. If 100 tablets cost 122.00, how much does each tablet cost?

A. \$.12

B. \$1.22

C. \$12.20

D. \$.012

Answer(s): B

6. Which regulatory agency would initiate a class II recall on a prescription drug?

A. DEA

B. OSHA

C. FDA

D. FDIC

Answer(s): C

7. A cart exchange in a hospital usually takes place every:

A. 12 Hours

B. 6 Hours

C. 24 Hours

D. 48 Hours

Answer(s): C

8. 2.5 ounces is equal to:

A. 75ml

B. 250ml

C. 50ml

D. 750ml

Answer(s): A

9. Which DEA schedule contains substances with the least potential for abuse?

A. Sch. 1

B. Sch. 4

C. Sch. 5

D. Sch. 2

Answer(s): C

10. A script for Zolpidem will expire after _ and may have up to .

A. 6 Months, No Refills

B. 12 Months, 1 year of Refills

C. 12 Months, No Refills

D. 6 months, 5 Refills

Answer(s): D

11. A script for cough syrup reads 15m|PO Q4°PRN. What should you type on the patients packaging?

A. A spoonfull taken orally every 4 hours as needed

B. One teaspoon taken orally every 4 hours as needed

C. One tablespoon taken orally every 4 hours as needed

D. 15ml taken orally every 4 hours as needed

Answer(s): C

12. Which is not true about HIPAA?

A. Helps insure patient privacy.

B. Prevents healthcare fraud and abuse.

C. Regulates the use and disclosure of patient information.

D. Helps to decrease the rate of errors in pharmacy.

Answer(s): D

13. A pharmacy can order DEA Sch. 3 drugs from their wholesaler:

A. Using a standard invoice.

B. Using a credit memo.

C. Using a DEA Form 222.

D. Only with guaranteed funds.

Answer(s): A

14. With which class of FDA recall is there is a potential for serious injury or death

A. Class 1

B. Class 2

C. Class 3

D. Class 4

Answer(s): A

15. An eight year old boy weights 75 Lbs. The adult dosage of Drug C is 400mg. The children's dosage using Clarks rule is:

A. 100mg

B. 150mg

C. 200mg

D. 250mg

Answer(s): C

16. Dr. Acosta has a practice in Delaware and received her DEA number in 1988. What will the two letters in her DEA number prefix be'?

A. DB

B. DA

C. BA

D. AD

Answer(s): C

17. Which size of needle has the largest diameter'?

A. 18 Gauge

B. 16 Gauge

C. 20 Gauge

D. 14 Gauge

Answer(s): D

18. What is the primary function / use for Rosiglitazone?

A. Anti-Convulsant

B. Hypertension

C. Anti-Diabetic

D. Proton Pump Inhibitor

Answer(s): C

19. A distributes HEPA filtered air into a work area to maintain a sterile environment.

A. Cleanroom Fan

B. Laminar Flow Hood

C. Class 100 Airfan

D. Micron filter fan

Answer(s): B

20. How many Tablespoons are in 16 Ounces?

A. 16

B. 24

C. 12

D. 32

Answer(s): D
