Multiple Choice

1. The life expectancy at birth in Sierra Leone is about 38 years. What can you infer about the population of Sierra Leone?
A. About half of adults in Sierra Leone die in their 30s or 40s.
B. Few 50-year-olds in Sierra Leone will survive to their 60th birthdays.
C. There are a lot of infant and child deaths in Sierra Leone.

Ans: C
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2. Which term is used to describe the absence or presence of illness or disease?
A. Demography
B. Morbidity
C. Mortality
D. Vitality

Ans: B
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3. Which term is best used to describe new cases of disease occurring in a population?
A. DALY
B. Incidence
C. Mortality rate
D. Prevalence

Ans: B
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4. Which term is best used to describe the proportion of people in a population who have particular disease?
A. DALY
B. Incidence
C. Mortality rate
D. Prevalence

Ans: D

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5. According to the Global Burden of Disease classification scheme, which of the following conditions is not a noncommunicable disease (NCD)?
A. Hypertension
B. Lung cancer
C. Osteoporosis
D. Poisoning

Ans: D
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6. According to the Global Burden of Disease classification scheme, which of the following conditions is not a noncommunicable disease (NCD)?
A. Asthma
B. Diabetes
C. Muscular dystrophy
D. Vitamin A deficiency

Ans: D
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8. According to the Global Burden of Disease classification scheme, which of the following conditions is not a neuropsychiatric disorder?
A. Autism
B. Lupus
C. Migraines
D. Schizophrenia

Ans: B
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9. According to the Global Burden of Disease classification scheme, which of the following conditions is not a neuropsychiatric disorder?
A. Bipolar disorder
B. Cerebral palsy
C. Congestive heart failure

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D. Parkinson's disease

Ans: C
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9. Which of the following would typically be classified as an intentional injury?
A. Burn
B. Drowning
C. Poisoning
D. Terrorist act

Ans: D
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10. Which of the following statements about injuries is true?
A. High-income people tend to have a higher risk of injury than low-income people
B. Most injuries are intentional
C. Road traffic accidents are the most common cause of unintentional injury death worldwide
D. War is a more common cause of death worldwide than suicide

Ans: C
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