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Chapter 2: Historical Perspectives	
Questions	
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1. Taoism	
2. Hinduism	
3. Buddhism	
4. Catholicism	
Answer:	
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dramatically increased the demand for nurses?	
1. Civil War	
2. Korean War	

3. World War II produced another nursing shortage and, in response, Congress passed which

legislative act that shortened hospital-based diploma programs from 36 to 30 months?

3. Vietnam War

Answer: _____

1. HITECH Act

3. Hill-Burton Act

2. Bolton Act

4. EMTALA

4. Revolutionary War

Answer: _____

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1. Hebrews
2. Buddhism
3. Roman Empire
4. Babylonian Empire
Answer:
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2. Buddhism
3. Roman
4. Babylonian
Answer:

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Questions, Answers, and Rationales

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- 1. Taoism
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ANS: 1

	Feedback
1.	This is correct. Taoism emphasized balance and driving demons out of the ailing
	body.
2.	This is incorrect. Hinduism did not emphasize balance and driving demons out
	of the ailing body.
3.	This is incorrect. Buddhism did not emphasize balance and driving demons out
	of the ailing body.
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	of the ailing body.

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- 1. Civil War

- 2. Korean War
- 3. Vietnam War
- 4. Revolutionary War

ANS: 1

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	Feedback
1.	This is correct. The Civil War caused more death and injury than any war in the
	history of the United States and dramatically increased the demand for nurses.
2.	This is incorrect. The Korean War did not cause more death and injury than any
	war in the history of the United States.
3.	This is incorrect. The Vietnam War did not cause more death and injury than any
	war in the history of the United States.
4.	This is incorrect. The Revolutionary War did not cause more death and injury
	than any war in the history of the United States.

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- 1. The Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health (HITECH) Act
- 2. Bolton Act
- 3. Hill-Burton Act
- 4. The Emergency Treatment and Active Labor Act (EMTALA)

ANS: 2

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	Feedback
1.	This is incorrect. The Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical
	Health (HITECH) Act was not passed in response to the nursing shortage
	created by World War II.
2.	This is correct. The Bolton Act was passed in response to the nursing shortage
	created by World War II.
3.	This is incorrect. The Hill-Burton Act was not passed in response to the nursing
	shortage created by World War II.
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	was not passed in response to the nursing shortage created by World War II.

- 4. For graduate nurses, which nursing symbol retains its significance as a symbol of the ideals and selfless devotion of Florence Nightingale?
- 1. Nursing cap
- 2. Nursing pin
- 3. Lamp
- 4. Coat of arms

ANS: 3

Feedback	

1.	This is incorrect. The nursing cap does not signify the ideals and selfless
	devotion of Florence Nightingale.
2.	This is incorrect. The nursing pin does not signify the ideals and selfless
	devotion of Florence Nightingale.
3.	This is correct. For graduate nurses, the lamp retains its significance as a symbol
	of the ideals and selfless devotion of Florence Nightingale.
4.	This is incorrect. The coat of arms does not signify the ideals and selfless
	devotion of Florence Nightingale.

- 5. Unlikely as it may seem, which nursing symbol can trace its origins to the heavy protective war shields used by soldiers as far back as the Greek and Roman Empires.
- 1. Nursing cap
- 2. Nursing pin
- 3. Lamp
- 4. Coat of arms

ANS: 2

	Feedback
1.	This is incorrect. The origins of the nursing cap do not trace back to the heavy protective war shields used by soldiers as far back as the Greek and Roman
	Empires.

2.	This is correct. The nursing pin can trace back to the heavy protective war
	shields used by soldiers as far back as the Greek and Roman Empires.
3.	This is incorrect. The origins of the lamp do not trace back to the heavy
	protective war shields used by soldiers as far back as the Greek and Roman
	Empires.
4.	This is incorrect. The origins of the coat of arms do not trace back to the heavy
	protective war shields used by soldiers as far back as the Greek and Roman
	Empires.

- 6. Which nursing symbol indicated that the student was now off probation and had earned the right to wear it during clinical rotations in the hospital?
- 1. Nursing cap
- 2. Nursing pin
- 3. Lamp
- 4. Coat of arms

ANS: 1

	Feedback
1.	This is correct. The nursing cap indicated that the student was now off probation
	and had earned the right to wear it during clinical rotations in the hospital.

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This is incorrect. The nursing pin did not indicate that the student was now off
probation and had earned the right to wear it during clinical rotations in the
hospital.
This is incorrect. The lamp did not indicate that the student was now off
probation and had earned the right to wear it during clinical rotations in the
hospital.
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7. At the height of her work in the war, which nursing leader supervised 125 nurses in several large hospitals and was recognized for her accomplishments by the Queen of England with an Order of Merit, the highest award given to English civilians?

1. Florence Nightingale

2. Isabel Adams Hampton Robb

3. Lillian Wald

4. Lavinia Lloyd Dock

ANS: 1

	Feedback
1.	This is correct. Florence Nightingale was recognized by the Queen of England
	with an Order of Merit, the highest award given to English civilians.

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2.	This is incorrect. Isabel Adams Hampton Robb was not recognized by the Queen
	of England with an Order of Merit, the highest award given to English civilians.
3.	This is incorrect. Lillian Wald was not recognized by the Queen of England with
	an Order of Merit, the highest award given to English civilians.
4.	This is incorrect. Lavinia Lloyd Dock was not recognized by the Queen of
	England with an Order of Merit, the highest award given to English civilians.

8. Which nursing leader helped develop the *American Journal of Nursing*, the first professional journal dedicated to the improvement of nursing, which is still the official journal of the American Nurses Association?

- 1. Florence Nightingale
- 2. Isabel Adams Hampton Robb
- 3. Lillian Wald
- 4. Lavinia Lloyd Dock

ANS: 2

	Feedback
1.	This is incorrect. Florence Nightingale did not help develop the <i>American</i>
	Journal of Nursing.
2.	This is correct. Isabel Adams Hampton Robb helped develop the <i>American</i>
	Journal of Nursing, the first professional journal dedicated to the improvement of nursing, which is still the official journal of the American Nurses Association.

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3.	This is incorrect. Lillian Wald did not help develop the American Journal of
	Nursing.
4.	This is incorrect. Lavinia Lloyd Dock did not help develop the American Journal
	of Nursing.

- 9. Many child health and wellness programs in use today are based on the efforts of which nursing leader?
- 1. Florence Nightingale
- 2. Isabel Adams Hampton Robb
- 3. Lillian Wald
- 4. Lavinia Lloyd Dock

ANS: 3

	Feedback
1.	This is incorrect. Many of the child health and wellness programs in use today
	are based on the efforts of a different nursing leader, not Florence Nightingale
2.	This is incorrect. Many of the child health and wellness programs in use today
	are based on the efforts of a different nursing leader, not Isabel Adams Hampton
	Robb.
3.	This is correct. Many child health and wellness programs in use today are based
	on the efforts of Lillian Wald.

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4. This is incorrect. Many of the child health and wellness programs in use today are based on the efforts of a different nursing leader, not Lavinia Lloyd Dock.

- 10. When World War I was over, which nursing leader became a nursing educator, eventually serving as dean at the Yale School of Nursing?
- 1. Florence Nightingale
- 2. Isabel Adams Hampton Robb
- 3. Lavinia Lloyd Dock
- 4. Annie Goodrich

ANS: 4

	Feedback
1.	This is incorrect. Florence Nightingale never served as dean at the Yale School
	of Nursing.
2.	This is incorrect. Isabel Adams Hampton Robb never served as dean at the Yale
	School of Nursing.
3.	This is incorrect. Lavinia Lloyd Dock never served as dean at the Yale School of
	Nursing.
4.	This is correct. When World War I was over, Annie Goodrich became a nursing
	educator, eventually serving as dean at the Yale School of Nursing.

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11. Which nursing leader was inducted into the National Women's Hall of Fame in 2011 for being recognized as an internationally renowned nursing leader who transformed the profession of nursing and made health care more accessible to the general public?

- 1. Florence Nightingale
- 2. Loretta C. Ford
- 3. Lavinia Lloyd Dock
- 4. Annie Goodrich

ANS: 2

	Feedback
1.	This is incorrect. Florence Nightingale was not inducted into the National
	Women's Hall of Fame in 2011 for being recognized as an internationally
	renowned nursing leader who transformed the profession of nursing and made
	health care more accessible to the general public.
2.	This is correct. Loretta C. Ford was inducted into the National Women's Hall of
	Fame in 2011 for being recognized as an internationally renowned nursing leader
	who transformed the profession of nursing and made health care more accessible
	to the general public.
3.	This is incorrect. Lavinia Lloyd Dock was not inducted into the National
	Women's Hall of Fame in 2011 for being recognized as an internationally
	renowned nursing leader who transformed the profession of nursing and made
	health care more accessible to the general public.

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4. This is incorrect. Annie Goodrich was not inducted into the National Women's
Hall of Fame in 2011 for being recognized as an internationally renowned
nursing leader who transformed the profession of nursing and made health care
more accessible to the general public.

12. In general, travel nurse staffing companies require which standard that allows the nurses to meet any staffing requirements of individual facilities?

- 1. LVN
- 2. LPN
- 3. ADN
- 4. BSN
- ANS: 4

	Feedback
1.	This is incorrect. Travel nurse staffing companies generally require training
	beyond that of an LVN.
2.	This is incorrect. Travel nurse staffing companies generally require training
	beyond that of an LPN.
3.	This is incorrect. Travel nurse staffing companies generally require training
	beyond that of an ADN.

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4. This is correct. In general, travel nurse staffing companies require a BSN or higher degree, which allows the nurses to meet any staffing requirements of individual facilities.

13. Which nursing leader noticed that many of her fellow students struggled to learn about all the medications that were becoming available and later wrote the first medication textbook for nurses?

- 1. Florence Nightingale
- 2. Loretta C. Ford
- 3. Lavinia Lloyd Dock
- 4. Annie Goodrich

ANS: 3

	Feedback
1.	This is incorrect. Florence Nightingale did not write the first medication
	textbook for nurses.
2.	This is incorrect. Loretta C. Ford did not write the first medication textbook for
	nurses.
3.	This is correct. Lavinia Lloyd Dock noticed that many of her fellow students
	struggled to learn about all the medications that were becoming available, and
	she later wrote the first medication textbook for nurses.

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- 4. This is incorrect. Annie Goodrich did not write the first medication textbook for nurses.
- 14. Which of the following focused on what we now call holistic-health practices, which included special diets, massage therapy, and rest to drive evil spirits from a body?
- 1. Hebrews
- 2. Buddhism
- 3. Roman Empire
- 4. Babylonian Empire

ANS: 4

	Feedback
1.	This is incorrect. The Hebrews did not focus on what we now call holistic-health
	practices.
2.	This is incorrect. Buddhism did not focus on what we now call holistic-health
	practices.
3.	This is incorrect. The Roman Empire did not focus on what we now call holistic-
	health practices.
4.	This is correct. The Babylonian Empire focused on what we now call holistic-health
	practices, which included special diets, massage therapy, and rest to drive evil spirits
	from a body.

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15. Which of the following developed quite an advanced system of medicine and a pharmacology that included more than 600 medications derived from herbs and plants?

- 1. Hebrews
- 2. Buddhism
- 3. Roman Empire
- 4. Babylonian Empire

ANS: 3

	Feedback
1.	This is incorrect. The Hebrews did not develop an advanced system of medicine and
	a pharmacology that included more than 600 medications derived from herbs and
	plants.
2.	This is incorrect. The Buddhists did not develop an advanced system of medicine
	and a pharmacology that included more than 600 medications derived from herbs
	and plants.
3.	This is correct. The Roman Empire developed quite an advanced system of medicine
	and a pharmacology that included more than 600 medications derived from herbs
	and plants.
4.	This is incorrect. The Babylonian Empire did not develop an advanced system of
	medicine and a pharmacology that included more than 600 medications derived from
	herbs and plants.