Sample Test Name: Home Health Aide



(These items were developed by teachers for the Technical Skills Assessment. Below is a sample item for each program standard.)

Question 1 of 19

Which setting does NOT include direct care and support services?

- **A**) Group home
- **B)** Assisted living home
- C) Home
- **D**) School

Question 2 of 19

What is an advance directive for healthcare planning?

- **A**) Bill of Rights
- **B)** Ethical Code of Conduct
- **C)** Living Will
- **D**) Power of Attorney

Question 3 of 19

What TERM describes the act of reporting facts?

- **A**) Rejective
- **B**) Objective
- C) Subjective
- **D**) Connective

Question 4 of 19

What COULD be a cultural barrier?

- A) Language
- **B**) Clothing
- **C)** Food
- **D**) Family

Question 5 of 19

What is one way to practice appropriate time management?

- A) Socializing
- **B**) Scheduling
- **C**) Having a hobby
- **D**) Active listening

Question 6 of 19

When SHOULD a Home Health Aide wear protective gloves?

- A) Only when in contact with blood or other bodily fluids.
- Only when working with hazardous materials
- C) When told by the supervisor to wear them
- OD) When a patient combs her hair

Question 7 of 19

Which type of shock is caused by allergic reaction?

- **A**) Neurogenic
- **B**) Metabolic
- **C)** Hemorrhagic
- **D**) Anaphylactic

Question 8 of 19

Mr. Jones has Type 2 Diabetes. Which meal would the Direct Care Worker serve for lunch?

- **A)** Chili spaghetti and salad
- **B**) Pork chop and baked sweet potato
- **C)** Burger and fries
- **D)** BBQ chicken and corn

Question 9 of 19

What is NOT a homemaking skill?

- A) Doing laundry.
- **B**) Washing dishes.
- **C)** Mowing the lawn.
- **D**) Cleaning the bathroom.

Question 10 of 19

What is considered a mobility assistance device?

- **A**) Gait belt
- **B)** Portable commode
- **C**) Crane lift
- OD) Auto ramp

Question 11 of 19

What is a normal cause for a decrease in bone density?

- **A**) Osteoporosis
- B) Decreased exercise
- C) Decreased muscle use
- **D**) Aging

Question 12 of 19

Mr. Jones has Type 2 Diabetes and wants to maintain sexual relations with his wife. What can he do?

- A) Increased dose of Viagra
- **B**) Penal implant prosthetic
- **C)** Increase testosterone by changing his diet
- **D**) There's nothing he can do

Question 13 of 19

What is NOT the way to prevent pressure sores?

- A) Turning the patient regularly
- **B**) Using a pressure mattress
- **C)** Leaving the patient in bed all day
- **D**) Providing proper skin care

Question 14 of 19

What causes skin breakdown?

- A) Laying in one spot for too long.
- **B**) Standing in one spot for too long.
- C) Showering for too long.
- **D**) Eating too much.

Question 15 of 19

Why would an activity plan NOT be adjusted?

- A) Family does not want patient to participate.
- **B**) Patient's functional status has changed.
- **C**) Home health aide is too tired.
- D) Time allotment does not allow for activities.

Question 16 of 19

What is the important action for a Home Health Aide when a client becomes combative?

- A) Identify the problem.
- B) Give the client space.
- **C)** Threaten the client.
- **D)** Talk harshly to the client.

Question 17 of 19

Which cultural belief can influence the dying process?

- A) Washing the body immediately after death
- B) Putting the patient in a body bag
- **C)** Removing the body from the home
- D) Touching the body shortly after death

Question 18 of 19

What does self-determination mean?

- A) Direct Care Worker allows family to make care choices.
- **B)** Patient has the ability to make choices about his own life.
- C) Family allows Direct Care Worker to make care choices.
- **D**) Patient is unable to make choices and manage his life.

Question 19 of 19

Which is a developmental disability?

- **A**) Multiple Sclerosis
- **B**) Alcoholism
- 🔘 C) Dementia
- 🔵 D) Lupus

Home Health Aide Sample Test Answer Key

Question	Answer
1.	D
1. 2. 3. 4. 5.	С
3.	В
4.	A
5.	В
6.	А
7. 8. 9. 10. 11.	D
8.	В
9.	С
10.	А
11.	D
12.	В
12. 13. 14.	C A
14.	А
15.	C
16.	В
15. 16. 17.	D
18.	В
19.	A