

# Pharmacology

## First Exam

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Q1) what is Pharmacognosy

- a) the science that deals with identification and preparation of drugs from their sources.
- b- preparation, compounding, marketing and dispensing drugs. x
- c- the mutual interaction between drugs and biological organs.
- d- reference of registered drugs in a country.
- e- ...

\* match the following

Q2) absorption.

Q3) distribution.

Q4) affinity.

Q5) intrinsic activity.

Q6) excretion.

- a) the tightness that a drug binds to the receptor.
- b) irreversible transport from site of administration to the bloodstream.
- c) drug leaves the blood to peripheral tissue.
- d) ability to generate effect.
- e) proportional to the concentration of drug in plasma.

Q7) what is Pulverization

- a) preparation of drug from crude ~~dead~~ plants.
- b) distillation of volatile plant oils.
- c) expression of fixed plant oil.
- d) ...

Q8) what's the main purpose of prescribing drug with their appropriate name:

- a- ..... c- ..... e- .....  
 b- ..... d- ..... f- .....

Q9) what is the proportion of nonionized form of weak base ( $PK_a = 9.4$ ) when put in a media ( $PH = 7.4$ ). ( $PK_a = 9.4$ )

- a- 99%      c- 0.1%      e- .....  
 b- 1%      d- 50%      f- .....

Q10) bioavailability is best described by

- a- area under serum drug conc. curve.  
 b- ...  
 c- ...  
 d- ...  
 e- ...

\* match the following:-

Q11) volume of distribution.

a) total amount of drug in body  
 = doesn't represent uniform body drug conc.

Q12)  $\alpha$ -phase.

b) distribution phase.

Q13)  $\beta$ -phase.

c) elimination phase.

Q14) clearance.

d) Q13) f  
 e) volume of plasma from which all drug appears to be removed in a given time.

Q15)

Q16) a doctor write in a prescription (take 1 capsule (3mg) every 6 hours) and you know that the  $t_{1/2}$  of the drug = 3 hours then what's the maximal amount of the drug that would accumulate in plasma.

Q17) which one of the following statement is correct

- a - weak bases are absorbed efficiently across the epithelial cell of the stomach.
- b - coadministration of atropine speeds the absorption of a second drug.
- c - drugs showing a large  $V_d$  can be efficiently removed by dialysis of the plasma.
- d - stressful emotions can lead to a slowing of drug absorption.
- e - if the  $V_d$  for a drug is small, most of the drug is in the extraplasmic space.

Q18) which one of the following is true for a drug whose elimination from plasma shows first-order kinetics:-

- a - the  $t_{1/2}$  of the drug is proportional to the drug concentration in plasma.
- b - the amount eliminated per unit of time is constant.
- c - the rate of elimination is proportional to the plasma concentration.
- d - elimination involves a rate-limiting enzymic reaction operating at its maximal velocity ( $V_m$ ).
- e - a plot of drug concentration versus time is a straight line.

Q19) the addition of glucuronic acid to a drug.

- a - ↓ its water solubility.
- b - usually leads to inactivation of the drug.
- c - is an example of phase I reaction.
- d - occurs at the same rate in adults and newborns.
- e - involves cytochrome P450.

100) a patient is treated with drug A, which has a high affinity for albumin and is administered in amounts that do not exceed the binding capacity of albumin. a second drug B also has a high affinity for albumin but is administered in amounts that are 100 times the binding capacity of albumin. what happens after administration of drug B.

a -  $\uparrow$  tissue conc. for drug A.

b -  $\downarrow$  " " " " " "

c -  $\downarrow$   $V_d$  of drug A.

d -  $\downarrow$   $t_{1/2}$  " " " "

e - addition of more drug A significantly alters the serum conc. of unbound drug B.

Q21) drugs showing zero-order kinetics of elimination.

a - are more common than those showing first-order kinetics.

b -  $\downarrow$  in conc. exponentially with time.

c - have a  $t_{1/2}$  independent of dose.

d - show a plot of drug concentration versus time that is linear.

e - show a constant fraction of the drug eliminated per unit time.

Q22) a drug, given as a 100-mg single dose, results in

$C_{max} = 20 \mu\text{g/ml}$ . then  $V_d$  is

a - 0.5 L

c - 2 L

e - 10 L

b - 1 L

d - 5 L

Q23) a drug, given as 200-mg, we found  $V_d$  for it to be 20 L then its conc. in plasma is.

a - 10 mg/L.

c - 5 mg/L.

e - 6 mg/L.

b - 20 mg/L.

d - 15 mg/L.

Q27) Variation in the sensitivity of a population of individuals to increasing doses of a drug is best determined by which of the following:

- a- efficacy
- b- potency
- c- therapeutic index
- d- graded dose-response curve.
- e- Quantal dose-response curve.

Q28) which of the following statements most accurately describes a system having spare receptors.

- a- the number of spare receptors determines the maximum effect.
- b- spare receptors are sequestered in the cytosol.
- c- a single drug-receptor interaction results in many cellular response elements being activated.
- d- spare receptors are active even in the absence of agonist.
- e- agonist affinity for spare receptors is less than their affinity for nonspare receptors.

Q29) which of the following show comparative cytology.

⇒ penicillin G

Q51)

Q24) A drug with  $t_{1/2} = 18$  hours is administered by continuous IV infusion. How long will it take for the drug to reach 90% of its final steady state.

- a) 18 h      c) 30 h      e) 90 h  
b) 24 h      d) 40 h

Q25) Which of the following results in a doubling of the steady-state conc. of a drug.

- a - doubling the rate of infusion.  
b - maintaining the rate of infusion but doubling the loading dose.  
c - doubling the rate of infusion and doubling the concentration of the infused drug.  
d - tripling the rate of infusion.  
e - Quadrupling the rate of infusion.

Q26) Which of the following statements is correct?

- a - If 10 mg of drug A produces the same response as 100 mg of drug B, drug A is more efficacious than drug B.  
b - The greater the efficacy, the greater the potency of a drug.  
c - In selecting a drug, potency is usually more important than efficacy.  
d - A competitive antagonist increases the  $ED_{50}$ .  
e - Variations in response to a drug among different individuals is most likely to occur with a drug showing a large therapeutic index.

