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- Select the correct statement about the Cricoarytenoid joint :
 - (A) It is a synovial joint.
 - (B) It is a primary cartilaginous joint.
 - (C) It is a secondary cartilaginous joint.
 - (D) It is a fibrous joint.
- Select the incorrect statement about
 the ciliary ganglion :
 - (A) It lies between the optic nerve and medial rectus near the apex of the orbit.
 - (B) It lies between the optic nerve and lateral rectus near the apex of the orbit.
 - (C) Topographically it is connected to the nasociliary nerve.
 - (D) It is functionally connected to the oculomoter nerve.
- Circumvallate papillae of tongue are supplied by :
 - (A) Lingual nerve
 - (B) Hypoglossal nerve
 - (C) Facial nerve
 - (D) Glossopharyngeal nerve
- Lower lateral cutaneous nerve of arm is a branch of :
 - (A) Musculocutaneous nerve

- (B) Supraclavicular nerve
- (C) Axillary nerve
- (D) Radial nerve
- Root value of genitofemoral nerve is :
 - (A) L_{1, 2}
 - (B) L_{2,3}
 - (C) L, 2 3
 - (D) L_{2, 3, 4}
- Hyperosmolar coma is associated with:
 - (A) Cellular overhydration
 - (B) Increased colloid osmotic pressure of the interstitial fluid
 - (C) Cellular dehydration
 - (D) Increased hydrostatic pressure of the plasma
- Normal bone marrow contains%
 proerythroblast and early normoblast,
 and% of intermediate and late
 normoblast cells.
 - (A) 30;70
 - (B) 70;30
 - (C) 50;50
 - (D) 80;20





- 8. Occlusion of both carotid arteries between the heart and the carotid sinuses would be expected to produce:
 - (A) Increased blood pressure as measured in the femoral artery
 - (B) Decreased heart rate
 - (C) Increased activity in the afferent nerves from the carotid sinuses
 - (D) Decreased activity of the vasomotor centre
- 9. Which of the following factor has direct stimulatory effect on the medullary respiratory centre?
 - (A) Changes in arterial pCO2
 - (B) Changes in arterial pH
 - (C) Changes in arterial pO2
 - (D) Changes in the nervous output from the joint proprioceptors
- 10. Cardiovascular function in neonate is different from that in embryo in that in neonates:
 - (A) Left atrial pressure becomes lower than the right atrial pressure
 - (B) Pressure in all cardiac chambers is same through out the cardiac cycle

- (C) Pulmonary vascular resistance is higher than in embryo
- (D) Pulmonary vascular resistance is lower than in embryo
- 11. Which amino acid acts as a buffer at the physiological pH of human body?
 - (A) Histidine
 - B) Lysine
 - (C) Cysteine
 - (D) Threonine
- 12. Hypokalaemia occurs in all conditions except:
 - (A) Rapid correction of acidosis
 - (B) Infusion of insulin and glucose
 - (C) Use of loop diuretics
 - (D) Polycythacmia
- 13. The following alteration in enzyme activities can be seen in organophosphorous poisoning:
 - (A) An increase in acetyl choline esterase activity
 - (B) A decrease in acetyl choline esterase activity
 - (C) A decrease in pseudocholine esterase activity
 - (D) Both (B) and (D)

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- 14. Which of these is not synthesized from glycine?
 - (A) Glutathione
 - (B) Creatine
 - (C) Pyrimidine
 - (D) Haem
- 15. Which parameter gives the most correct estimation of average blood glucose over the previous 14-21 days?
 - (A) HbA1c
 - (B) Advanced glycation end products
 - (C) Glycated albumin
 - (D) HbA1a
- 16. All of these are features of carnitine deficiency except:
 - (A) Muscle weakness
 - (B) Mental retardation
 - (C) Hypoglycemia
 - (D) Delayed motor development
- 17. Which of these is a characteristic feature of untreated diabetes mellitus regardless of its type?
 - (A) Hyperglycemia
 - (B) Ketoacidosis
 - (C) Normal level of C-peptide
 - (D) Low level of HbA1c

- 18. Severe Combined Immunodeficiency Disease (SCID) can result due to defective :
 - (A) Non-homologous end joining repair
 - (B) Nucleotide excision repair
 - (C) Base excision repair
 - (D) Mismatch repair
- 19. Which one of the following statements concerning the ability of acidosis to precipitate a crisis in sickle cell anaemia is correct?
 - (A) Acidosis increases oxygen affinity of haemoglobin.
 - (B) Acidosis decreases the solubility of haemoglobin S.
 - (C) Acidosis shifts the oxygen dissociation curve to left.
 - (D) Acidosis decreases the ability of 2, 3-PBG to bind to haemoglobin.
- 20. Which Vitamin deficiency can cause dementia?
 - (A) Biotin
 - (B) Folic acid
 - (C) Thiamine
 - (D) Pantothenic acid





- 21. Which of the following drugs is an irreversible non-selective COX inhibitor?
 - (A) Diclofenac
 - (B) Indomethacin
 - (C) Ketorolac
 - (D) Aspirin
- 22. Which of the following drug you will choose to treat a case of noninvasive diarrhoea?
 - (A) Ciprofloxacin
 - (B) Metronidazole
 - (C) Sulfasalazine
 - (D) ORS
- 23. All of the following are used as DMARDs for rheumatoid arthritis except:
 - (A) Hydroxochloroquine
 - (B) Methotrexate
 - (C) Anakinra
 - (D) Aspirin
- 24. Drugs used through TDDS:
 - (A) Nitroglycerine
 - (B) Aspirin
 - (C) Dopamine
 - (D) Morphine
- 25. All of the following are side effects with haloperidol except:
 - (A) Hyperprolactinemia

- (B) Hyperglycemia
- (C) Rabbit syndrome
- (D) Extrapyramidal side effect
- 26. Primaquine is given in patients with P.vivax malaria for :
 - (A) Gametocidal action
 - (B) Radical cure
 - (C) Clinical cure
 - (D) Chloroquine resistance
- 27. Drugs of first choice for Type 2 diabetes melitus is :
 - (A) Glicazide
 - (B) Vildagliptin
 - (C) Metformin
 - (D) Acarbose
- 28. Which of the following diuretic reduces mortality in CHF?
 - (A) Triamterine
 - (B) Hydrochlorothiazide
 - (C) Spironolactone
 - (D) Frusemide
- 29. All of the following drugs are applied locally in case of scabies except :
 - (A) Gamma benzene hexachloride
 - (B) Permethrin
 - (C) Sulfer
 - (D) Ivermectin





- 30. Acute intoxication with Methanol is treated with:
 - (A) Disulfiram
 - (B) Metronidazole
 - (C) Naltrexone
 - (D) Fomepizole
- 31. The following are features of apoptosis except:
 - (A) Nuclear clumping
 - (B) Cytoplasmic eosinophilia
 - (C) Apoptotic bodies
 - (D) Membrane damage
- Amyloid is seen in this type of thyroid carcinoma:
 - (A) Papillary
 - (B) Follicular
 - (C) Medullary
 - (D) Anaplastic
- 33. Tumour marker in Yolk Sac tumour:
 - (A) Beta-HCG
 - (B) AFP
 - (C) CA-125
 - (D) CA 19-9
- 34. All are features of Crohn disease except:
 - (A) Caseous necrosis

- (B) Transmural inflammation
- (C) Skip lesion
- (D) Cobblestone
- 35. Barr body is absent in :
 - (A) Klinefelter syndrome
 - (B) Turner syndrome
 - (C) Superfemale
 - (D) None of these
- 36. All are stains for reticulocyte except:
 - (A) Brilliant cresyl blue
 - (B) Perls stain
 - (C) New methylene blue
 - (D) Acridine orange
- 37. All are included under Luminal subtype of Invasive breast carcinoma except:
 - (A) Tubular
 - (B) Lobular
 - (C) Papillary
 - (D) Medullary
- 38. Dermatofibrosarcoma protruberans is a tumour that is:
 - (A) Malignant
 - (B) Benign
 - (C) Locally aggressive
 - (D) None of these





- 39. Psammoma bodies are seen in:
 - (A) Serous papillary carcinoma of the ovary
 - (B) Follicular carcinoma of thyroid
 - (C) Endometrioid endometrial carcinoma
 - (D) Carcinoma of breast
- 40. Psoriasis is linked to genes within this HLA locus:
 - (A) HLA-A
 - (B) HLA-B
 - (C) HLA-C
 - (D) HLA-D
- 41. Which of these is an endogenous etiological causes of SSI in an opened viscus surgery?
 - (A) Staphylococcus aureus
 - (B) Staphylococcus epidermidis
 - (C) Streptococcus viridans
 - (D) Enterococcus
- 42. Which of the microbes has the capacity to cause a severe necrotising SSI in a post operative patient?
 - (A) Bacteroides fragilis
 - (B) Coccidiodesimmitis
 - (C) Clostridium perfringenes
 - (D) Pseudoallescheria boydii

- 43. Which of the following drugs will you consider for redosing as surgical antimicrobial prophylaxis if duration of your surgical procedure goes longer than expected?
 - (A) Penicillins
 - (B) Monobactams
 - (C) Carbapenams
 - (D) Streptogramins
- 44. Which of these does not form a part of pre-operative SSI bundle care?
 - (A) Maintaining normothermia
 - (B) Surgical antimicrobial prophylaxis
 - (C) Hair remoral
 - (D) Screening for MRSA carrier
- 45. According to WHO, storage time (time gap between generation and treatment) for infectious waste in a warm climate should not exceed:
 - (A) 24 hours
 - (B) 48 hours
 - (C) 72 hours
 - (D) 96 hours
- 46. Antiseptic handwash contains what percentage concentration of chlorhexidine gluconate?
 - (A) 2%
 - (B) 4%
 - (C) 6%
 - (D) 0.5%





- 47. Which of the following should not be done while handling needles to prevent occupational exposure?
 - (A) Handwashing
 - (B) Use of vacutainers
 - (C) Recapping of needles
 - (D) Use of special containers for sharp segregation
- 48. A healthcare worker was exposed to a source sample positive for HBsAg. For post-exposure prophylaxis of Hepatitis B, if a healthcare worker is a non-responder (titre < 10mIU/mL after 6 doses), what will be your plan of action?
 - (A) Repeat Hepatitis B vaccination
 - (B) H Hepatitis B vaccination booster shot
 - (C) HBIG single dose 6 weeks apart
 - (D) HBIG 2 doses 4 weeks apart
- 49. A new operation theatre was just constructed in your hospital. The general cleaning of space followed by high level disinfection is to be done. Which disinfectant will you recommend for the fogging of operating rooms?
 - (A) Ethanol

- (B) Formaldehyde
- (C) Glutaraldehyde
- (D) Dettol
- 50. Four days post-operative, a patient develops erythema and pus discharge at the wound site. Wound swab sent for culture shows growth of MRSA (methicillin resistant Staphylococcous aureus); sensitive only to vancomycin and linezolid. After 2 days, another post-op patient in the same ward develops wound discharge and MRSA grows on culture with same susceptibility pattern. What advice will you give in this situation to prevent further rise in infection?
 - (A) Do not use handrub
 - (B) Use same gloves while handling all patients
 - (C) Isolate the index case
 - (D) Keep the index case in the same ward
- 51. Death sentence can be awarded by :
 - (A) First class Magistrate
 - (B) Second class Magistrate
 - (C) Sessions Court
 - (D) Chief Judicial Magistrate





- 52. Davidson body can be detected in :
 - (A) Male Hepatocyte
 - (B) Female Buccal mucosal cells
 - (C) Male Neutrophil
 - (D) Female Neutrophil
- 53. Forensic Entomology deals with the study of :
 - (A) Bones
 - (B) Soft tissues
 - (C) Organs
 - (D) Insects
- 54. Most common preservative used to preserve the specimens for chemical analysis is:
 - (A) 10% saline
 - (B) Alcohol
 - (C) Saturated sodium chloride solution
 - (D) Normal solution of saline
- 55. Suspended animation can be occurring after:
 - (A) Electrocution
 - (B) Cyanide poisoning
 - (C) Burns
 - (D) Strychnine poisoning

- 56. In a completely charred body, at autopsy, medical officer can say that the burns are ante mortem, if he can find:
 - (A) Cyanosis of finger nails
 - (B) Congestion of organs
 - (C) Pale internal organs
 - (D) Soot in respiratory passages
- 57. Which of the following sign will indicate that death was due to ante mortem drowning?
 - (A) Petechial haemorrhages in eyes
 - (B) Weed and grass firmly grasped in hands
 - (C) Washer woman's skin
 - (D) Cyanosis
- 58. In a case of organophosphate compound poisoning, smell of stomach contents is:
 - (A) Fishy
 - (B) Mousy
 - (C) Bitter almond like
 - (D) Kerosene oil like
- 59. "Leading Question" is allowed in :
 - (A) Examination in chief
 - (B) Cross examination
 - (C) Re-examination
 - (D) Police inquest

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- 60. Specific pulmonary injury seen in Bomb explosion is known as :
 - (A) Explosive lung
 - (B) Frothy lung
 - (C) Blast lung
 - (D) Cor-Pulmonale
- 61. A tattoo mark, described by immediate relatives, is absent on autopsy. Its evidence can be obtained from dissection of:
 - (A) Adjacent muscles
 - (B) Adjacent fat
 - (C) Adjacent subcutaneous tissue
 - (D) Adjacent lymph nodes
- 62. The first internal sign of putrefaction is usually a discoloration seen on :
 - (A) Under surface of liver
 - (B) Bases of lungs
 - (C) Base of brain
 - (D) Lower surface of kidneys
- 63. Fracture dislocation of cervical column at the level of 2nd and 3rd or 3rd and 4th cervical vertebra is caused by:
 - (A) Judicial hanging
 - (B) Typical hanging

- (C) Atypical hanging
- (D) Complete hanging
- 64. Aseptic autolysis is found in:
 - (A) Adipocere
 - (B) Putrefaction
 - (C) Mummification
 - (D) Maceration
- 65. Tattooing present around firearm entry wound is due to:
 - (A) Grease
 - (B) Hot gases
 - (C) Smoke
 - (D) Unburnt powder particles
- 66. Duration of stay in hospital is used as one of the following health indicator:
 - (A) Disability
 - (B) Morbidity
 - (C) Health care delivery
 - (D) Utilization rate
- 67. The mechanism of multiplication of plague bacilli in rat flea is called :
 - (A) Propagative
 - (B) Cyclo-propagative
 - (C) Cycle-developmental
 - (D) Mechanical

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- 68. Pentavalent vaccine used under Universal Immunization Program gives protection against:
 - (A) Diptheria, Pertussis, Tetanus, Hepatitis B, Rubella
 - (B) Diptheria, Pertussis, Tetanus,Hib, Measles
 - (C) Diptheria, Pertussis, Tetanus, Hepatitis B, Varicella
 - (D) Diptheria, Pertussis, Tetanus, Hib, Hepatitis B
- 69. One of the following mode of transmission of Human Plague is rare and exceptional:
 - (A) Bite by rodent flea
 - (B) Bite by human flea
 - (C) Droplet infection
 - (D) Direct contact with tissues of infected animal
- 70. Obesity is often expressed in terms of:
 - (A) Body Mass Index
 - (B) Ponderal Index
 - (C) Broca's Index
 - (D) Corpulence Index
- 71. The numbers included in the names of Cu-T refer to:
 - (A) Weight of Copper

- (B) Length of Copper
- (C) Surface areas of Copper
- (D) Breadth of Copper
- 72. Which one of the following statement is related to simple random sampling?
 - (A) Greatest number of possible samples is provided
 - (B) The number of possible samples of greatly reduced
 - (C) Each portion of the sample represents a corresponding strata of the universe
 - (D) Every 10th unit is picked up at regular interval
- 73. Which of the following statement is true about disaster?
 - (A) Triage is not carried out at the site of disaster
 - (B) Epidemics rarely results from disaster
 - (C) People who are indoors keep calm and stay below the stairs
 - (D) Chlorination is the best way of disinfecting water following disaster





- 74. One of the characteristic of rash of Chicken Pox is :
 - (A) Deep seated
 - (B) Begins behind the ear
 - (C) Pleomorphism
 - (D) Often becomes confluent and blotchy
- 75. Early initiation of breastfeeding begins within:
 - (A) 30 minutes
 - (B) 60 minutes
 - (C) 90 minutes
 - (D) 120 minutes
- 76. Children between 0 to 18 years are the beneficiaries of :
 - (A) ICDS
 - (B) RMNCH+A
 - (C) RBSK
 - (D) RKSK
- 77. Total number of prophylactic doses of vitamin A solution given to children up to five years is:
 - (A) 3
 - (B) 6
 - (C) 9
 - (D) 12
- 78. The best known example of occult filariasis is :
 - (A) Tropical Pulmonary eosinophilia

- (B) Acute dermato-lymphangioadenitis
- (C) Elephantiasis
- (D) Epididymo-orchitis
- 79. One of the following is the extreme form of Diabetes Mellitus:
 - (A) Type 1
 - (B) Type 2
 - (C) Gestational Diabetes Mellitus
 - (D) Malnutrition related Diabetes Mellitus
- 80. Blood group having no antigen is:
 - (A) A
 - (B) B
 - (C) AB
 - (D) O
- 81. Target (Iris) lesions are seen in :
 - (A) Urticaria
 - (B) Erythema Multiforme
 - (C) Scabies
 - (D) Lichen planus
- 82. Multiple erythematous annular lesions with peripheral collarette of scales arranged predominantly over trunk are seen in:
 - (A) Pityriasis versicolor
 - (B) Pityriasis rubra
 - (C) Pityriasis rosea
 - (D) Pityriasis lichenoides chronica





- Wickham's striae are seen in:
 - Lichen nitidus
 - Lichenoid eruption
 - Lichen striatus
 - (D) Lichen planus
- 84. Primary bullous lesions are seen in which type of syphilis?
 - (A) Primary
 - Secondary
 - Tertiary
 - Congenital
- 85. All are true about Lepra bacilli except:
 - (A) Long generation time
 - Can be grown in foot pad of mice
 - Cultivable in artificial media
 - (D) Schwann cell is the target cell
- On a 2nd trimester ultrasound scan, 86. the fetal brain is showing banana sign and lemon sign. What is the likely diagnosis?
 - (A) Arnold Chiari malformation
 - Dandy walker malformation
 - Agenesis of corpus callosum
 - Holoprosencephaly

- A 10 year old child has mixed cystic and solid mass in suprasellar region with foci of calcification. What is the most likely possibility?
 - Pituitary adenoma
 - Pilocytic astrocytoma
 - Craniopharyngioma
 - Germ cell tumor
- 88. Which of the following is not a feature of Chron's disease in small bowel follow through examination?
 - String sign
 - Cobble stone appearance (B)
 - Aphthous ulcers (C)
 - (D) Contracted and pulled op cecum
 - A 15 year old patient presented with knee swelling. Plain radiograph reveals illdefined lytic lesion involving distal metaphysis of femur with 'Codman triangle' appearance of periosteal reaction and illdefined density in adjacent soft tissue. What is the most likely diagnosis?
 - Ewing's sarcoma
 - (B) Osteomyelitis
 - Osteosarcoma (C)
 - Soft tissue sarcoma

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- 90. What is true regarding CSF signal intensity in MRI?
 - (A) Hyperintense on T1W sequence
 - (B) Hypointense on FLAIR sequence
 - (C) Hypointense on GRE sequence
 - (D) Hypointense on T2W sequence
- 91. Pericoronal abscess related to distoangular impacted lower third molars the infection may spread to:
 - (A) Submasseteric space
 - (B) Sublingual space
 - (C) Submental space
 - (D) Buccal space
- 92. Mallampati's grading is used in relation to:
 - (A) Hard palate
 - (B) Soft palate
 - (C) Dentition
 - (D) Facial skeleton
- 93. A patient complains of pain in TMJ area on mastication, his muscles of mastication are tender and an

audible click is there, these features are characteristic of :

- (A) MPDS
- (B) Traumatic subluxation
- (C) Rheumatoid arthritis
- (D) Rheumatic arthritis
- 94. A mandibular dental infection which perforates the buccal cortical plate above the muscle attachment will cause abscess of:
 - (A) Buccal space
 - (B) Masseter space
 - (C) Vestibular sulcus
 - (D) Masticatory space
- 95. Anatomical structure injured in excision of Ranula:
 - (A) Lingual Vein
 - (B) Lingual Artery
 - (C) Sub-Mandibular duct
 - (D) Parotid duct
- 96. Commonest cause of Non Traumatic Chest Pain in Final discharge diagnosis is:
 - (A) Gastrointestinal
 - (B) Ischemic Heart Disease
 - (C) Chest wall Syndromes
 - (D) Pleuritic

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- 97. Painful condition which responds to Tricyclic Antidepressants is :
 - (A) Post Herpatic Neuralgia
 - (B) Tension Headache
 - (C) Diabetic Neuropathy
 - (D) All of these
- 98. MMR vaccination gives protection against which diseases?
 - (A) Chicken Pox
 - (B) Measles
 - (C) Mumps
 - (D) Measles, Mumps and Rubella
- 99. Anosmia is:
 - (A) An inability to hear
 - (B) An inability to see
 - (C) An inability to taste
 - (D) An inability to smell
- 100. Which of the following is the largest organ in the human body?
 - (A) Liver
 - (B) Heart
 - (C) Skin
 - (D) Lung
- 101. What does blunting of the costo phrenic angles suggest?
 - (A) Pneumothorax
 - (B) Consolidation

- (C) Collapse
- (D) Pleural effusion
- 102. Anti-TSH receptor antibodies are most specific to which disease?
 - (A) Graves Disease
 - (B) Hashimotos Thyroiditis
 - (C) Post Viral Thyroiditis
 - (D) Atrophic Thyroiditis
- 103. Which of the following is a cause of glucose in urine?
 - (A) Fanconis syndrome
 - (B) Glomerulonephritis
 - (C) Urinary Tract Infection
 - (D) Lupus Nephritis
- 104. Among women younger than 60 who die from cancer, which of the following is the most common organ of origin?
 - (A) Breast
 - (B) Cervix
 - (C) Colon
 - (D) Blood
- 105. All of the following medications may be useful in the treatment of benign prostatic hypertrophy except:
 - (A) Alfuzosin
 - (B) Bosentan
 - (C) Finasteride
 - (D) Sildenafil





- 106. All of the following are typically increased in a patient with hemolytic anemia except:
 - (A) Aspartate aminotransferase (AST)
 - (B) Haptoglobin
 - (C) LDH
 - (D) Reticulocytes
- 107. All of the following diseases are more common in women than men except:
 - (A) Depression
 - (B) Obesity
 - (C) Rheumatoid arthritis
 - (D) Type 1 diabetes mellitus
- 108. Which of the following cardiovascular conditions is a contraindication to pregnancy?
 - (A) Atrial septal defect without Eisenmenger syndrome
 - (B) Idiopathic pulmonary arterial hypertension
 - (C) Marfan syndrome
 - (D) Mitral regurgitation
- 109. All of the following are changes in the cardiovascular system seen in pregnancy except:
 - (A) Decreased blood pressure

- (B) Increased cardiac output
- (C) Increased heart rate
- (D) Increased systemic vascul resistance
- 110. All of the following drugs exert an antipyretic effect through inhibition of cyclooxygenase except:
 - (A) Acetaminophen
 - (B) Aspirin
 - (C) Celecoxib
 - (D) Prednisone
- 111. Which of the following infectious organisms is most likely to cause relative bradycardia during a febrile event?
 - (A) P. aeruginosa
 - (B) Salmonella typhi
 - (C) Staphylococcus aureus
 - (D) S. pneumoniae
- 112. Which of the following immunizations is required for centry into many countries in Sub-Saharan Africa?
 - (A) Cholera
 - (B) Hepatitis A
 - (C) Meningococcus
 - (D) Yellow fever





- 113. A 20-year-old woman is 36 weeks pregnant and presents for her first evaluation. She is diagnosed with C trachomatis infection of the cervix.

 Upon delivery, what complication is her infant most at risk for?
 - (A) Jaundice
 - (B) Hydrocephalus
 - (C) Hutchinson triad
 - (D) Conjunctivitis
- 114. From a pathophysiologic perspective, all of the following are upregulated in heart failure with reduced ejection fraction except:
 - (A) Angiotensin II
 - (B) B-type natriuratic peptide
 (BNP)
 - (C) Calcium uptake into the sarcoplasmic reticulum
 - (D) Norepinephrine
- 115. All of the following are classic definitional features of the tetralogy of Failct except:
 - (A) Obstruction of RV outflow
 - (B) Overriding aorta
 - (C) R. V. hypertrophy
 - (D) Tricuspid atresia

- 116. All of the following are typically characterized as an obstructive lung disease except:
 - (A) Asbestosis
 - (B) Asthma
 - (C) Bronchiectasis
 - (D) Chronic bronchitis
- 117. Chronic silicosis is related to an increased risk of which of the following conditions?
 - (A) Infection with invasive
 Aspergillus
 - (B) Infection with Mycobacterium tuberculosis
 - (C) Rheumatoid arthritis
 - (D) All of these
- 118. Which of the following is a potential etiology for ischemic acute renal failure?
 - (A) Apoptosis and necrosis of tubular cells
 - (B) Decreased glomerular vasodilation in response to nitric oxide
 - (C) Increased glomerular vasoconstriction in response to elevated endothelin levels
 - (D) All of these





- 119. Which of the following has a wellestablished association with gastroesophageal reflux?
 - (A) Chronic sinusitis
 - (B) Dental erosion
 - (C) Pulmonary fibrosis
 - (D) Recurrent aspiration pneumonia
- 120. Which of the following autoantibodies is least likely to be present in a patient with systemic lupus erythematosus?
 - (A) Anti-dsDNA
 - (B) Antinuclear antibodies
 - (C) Anti-La (SS-B)
 - (D) Antiphospholipid
- 121. When do you consider administering epinephrine in a neonate during resuscitation?
 - (A) Heart rate remains at < 60 / min despite effective compressions and ventilation
 - (B) Heart rate remains at < 100 / min despite effective compressions and ventilations
 - (C) Heart rate does not improve after 30 sec with bag and mask ventilation
 - (D) Infants with severe respiratory depression fail to respond to positive-pressure ventilation via bag and mask

- 122. At what age should a typical child exhibit Social Smile and Stranger anxiety?
 - (A) 2 months and 6 months respectively
 - (B) 1 month and 6 months respectively
 - (C) 6 months and 12 months respectively
 - (D) 6 months and 9 months respectively
- 123. A 5 year-old-child brought to the hospital with H/O loose stools. His mother says he is irritable and drinks water hastily when given. O / E eyes are sunken and during the skin pinch test, the skin retracted within 2 sec but not immediately. What is the treatment for the child?
 - (A) Administer the first dose of IV
 antibiotic and immediately
 refer to a higher centre
 - (B) Give the oral fluids and ask the mother to continue the same and visit again the next day
 - (C) Give zinc supplementation and ORS only and ask mother to come back if some danger signs develop
 - (D) Consider severe dehydration, start IV fluids, IR antibiotics and refer to a higher centre





- 124. Which of the following is the most common preventable cause of mental retardation?
 - (A) Congenital hypothyroidism
 - (B) Inborn errors of metabolism
 - (C) Congenital hyperthyroidism
 - (D) Downs syndrome
- 125. Which of the following is the most common cyanotic congenital heart disease?
 - (A) Tetrology of fallot
 - (B) Transposition of Great arteries
 - (C) Tricuspid atresia
 - (D) Total anomalous pulmonary venous connection
- 126. Which of the following is not a feature of cerebral palsy?
 - (A) Hypotonia
 - (B) Microcephaly
 - (C) Ataxia
 - (D) Flaccid paralysis
- 127. Shake test can be done to know:
 - (i) Whether vaccine had been frozen at some point of time in cold chain
 - (ii) Done to check cold damage to vaccine

- (iii) On shake test if sedimentation occurs, vials should be discarded irrespective of their expiry date
- (iv) Used for DPT, DT, TT OR Hepatitis B
- (A) (i), (iii), (iv) are correct
- (B) (i), (ii), (iii) are correct
- (C) (ii), (iii), (iv) are correct
- (D) All of these
- 128. Dose of iron and folic acid in a 4
 year-old-child with some palmar
 pallor
 - (A) 2 tablets of IFA pediatric tablet
 (100 mcg ferrous sulphate and
 100 mcg folic acid)
 - (B) 1 tablet of IFA pediatric tablet
 (100 mcg ferrous sulphate and
 100 mcg folic acid)
 - (C) 3 tablets of IFA pediatric tablet
 (100 mcg ferrous sulphate and
 100 mcg folic acid)
 - (D) 4 tablets of IFA pediatric tablet (100 mcg ferrous sulphate and 100 mcg folic acid)

(Tum over)





- 129. An infant was noted to have occasional episodes of cyanosis.

 Chest X-ray revealed a boot shaped appearance of the cardiac silhouette.

 What is the likely diagnosis?
 - (A) Transposition of great arteries
 - (B) Truncus arteriosus
 - (C) Tricuspid atresia
 - (D) Tetrology of fallot
- 130. You suspected a vesicoureteric reflux in a girl with a history of recurrent urinary tract infections. What is the investigation of choice to confirm this condition?
 - (A) USG abdomen
 - (B) MRI
 - (C) Voiding cystourethrogram
 - (D) DMSA scan
- 131. During autologous blood transfusion patients are made to pre-donate their own blood how many days / weeks before surgery?
 - (A) 7 days
 - (B) 3 weeks
 - (C) 4 days
 - (D) 2 weeks
- 132. Suture marks are minimal if:
 - (A) Sutures are close to the wound margin

- (B) If sutures are removed within 3 days
- (C) Sutures are not placed under tension
- (D) All of these
- 133. Metabolic abnormality occurring after massive normal saline infusion?
 - (A) Hyperchloremic anion gap acidosis
 - (B) Hypochloremic anion gap acidosis
 - (C) Hyperchloremic anion gap
 - (D) Hypochloremic anion gap alkalosis
- 134. The "Swirl Sign" in CT scan is an ominous sign depicting?



- (A) Coagulated Blood
- (B) Midline shift
- (C) Haemorrhage due to Malignancy
- (D) Ongoing Haemorrhage





135. A 48 year-old-man presents to the ER with anuria for 1 day and breathlessness. On evaluation his serum creatinine is 9.0 and serum potassium is 5.5, immediately after resuscitation, a bedside procedure is performed. Following which he improved significantly over the next 2 days. Post procedure x-ray KUB is as below. What is the procedure which has been performed in this given radiograph?



- (A) Bilateral PCN insertion
- (B) Bilateral DJ stenting
- (C) Bilateral URS
- (D) Bilateral PCNL
- 136. All of the following statements regarding primary survey are correct except:
 - (A) All trauma patients should have

- their cervical spine motion restricted
- (B) A pelvic binder should apply to all hemodynamically unstable patients
- (C) Higher BP > 90 mmHg should be targeted if a head injury is suspected
- (D) Excessive intravenous crystalloids should be infused
- 137. Optimal ratio for PRBC : FFP : RDP for massive transfusion protocol :
 - (A) 1:2:1
 - (B) 1:1:2
 - (C) 2:1:1
 - (D) 1:1:1
- 138. False statement regarding imaging in bowel obstruction?
 - (A) Volvuli connvintes (folds) are seen in small bowel
 - (B) Haustrations span the entire diameter of bowel
 - (C) Large bowel is obstructed if diameter is > 5-8 cm
 - (D) Oral Contrast CT is not needed in suspected bowel obstruction





- 139. All of the following statements are correct regarding secondary survey except:
 - (A) AMPLE history should be obtained
 - (B) Head to toe examination done
 - (C) Vaginal examination with speculum should be done in women with pelvic fracture
 - (D) A nasogastric tube insertion is not necessary in an intubated patient
- 140. Base deficit in Class III shock in an injured patient?
 - (A) -2 to -6 eEq/L
 - (B) 0 to -2 mEq/L
 - (C) -6 to 10 mEg/L
 - (D) -10 or more mEg/L
- 141. All of the following are components of Cushing triad except:
 - (A) Hypertension
 - (B) Bradycardia
 - (C) Tachycardia
 - (D) Irregular respiration
- 142. A 30 year-old-female patient was brought to the ER after a head injury. On examination the patient is confused and opens her eyes on verbal command. Patient moves her left hand to localize pain and withdraws right hand on painful

stimulus. Calculate GCS score for this patient:

- (A) 11
- (B) 12
- (C) 13
- (D) 14
- 143. All of the following are correct regarding skull base fracture except:
 - (A) Of orrhea or rhinorrhoea are signs of skull base fracture
 - (B) Skull base fracture may be complicated by pituitary dysfunction, cranial nerve deficit
 - (C) Blind nasogastric tube placement should be done immediately
 - (D) CSF leak may resolve spontaneously
- 144. Which of the following benign breast diseases is associated with moderately increased risk of breast carcinoma?
 - (A) Papilloma with a fibrovascular core
 - (B) Hyperplasia, moderate or florid, solid or papillary
 - (C) Atypical ductal hyperplasia
 - (D) Squamous metaplasia





- 145. Which of the following genes is most commonly associated with Hereditary breast cancer?
 - (A) BRCA 1
 - (B) BRCA 2
 - (C) P53
 - (D) PTEN
- by profession presented to Surgery
 OPD with chief complaints of chest
 pain and dysphagia heightened post
 intense exercise sessions
 occasionally. Patient was initially
 referred to a cardiologist for chest
 pain which ruled out cardiac cause
 as the cause of pain. Suspecting an
 esophageal disorder you ordered a
 barium esophagogram which is
 shown below:



- (A) Ineffective esophageal motility
- (B) Nutcracker esophagus

- (C) Achalasia type 2
- (D) Diffuse esophageal spasm
- 147. Hinchey's class 4 for diverticular perforation is:
 - (A) Contained abscess
 - (B) Gross purulent peritonitis
 - (C) Fecal peritonitis
 - (D) Diverticulitis without perforation
- 148. A 60-year-old man presented with fever, chills, and dysuria. On the DRE examination, his prostate was tender and boggy. His PSA level was 7.4 ng / dl. What is the next best step in the management of this patient?
 - (A) Repeat PSA
 - (B) Catheterization and prostatic massage
 - (C) TURP-guided biopsy
 - (D) Antibiotic therapy
- 149. A 50-year-old male patient with severe upper Gi bleed came to the ER. The medical officer wanted to use Esophageal ballon tamponade with a Sengstaken-Blakemore Tube. The tube should be decompressed to prevent necrosis:
 - (A) 90 min
 - (B) 3 hours
 - (C) 6 hours
 - (D) 12 hours





- 150. A 40-year-old male alcoholic with abdominal pain had a severe acute pancreatitis. CECT abdomen showed multiple peri-pancreatic collections with 20% non-enhancing areas of parenchyma. CTSI score will be:
 - (A) 5
 - (B) 8
 - (C) 10
 - (D) 6
- 151. Which of the following is associated with ankylosing spondylitis?
 - (A) HLA DR2
 - (B) HLA DR4
 - (C) HLA B27
 - (D) HLA B11
- 152. Commonest cause of scoliosis in children is:
 - (A) Unequal limb length
 - (B) Hemivertebra
 - (C) Marfan syndrome
 - (D) Idiopathic
- 153. Which of the following arise from epiphysis?
 - (A) Osteosarcoma
 - (B) Ewing sarcoma
 - (C) Osteoclastoma
 - (D) Multiple myeloma

- 154 Which is not seen in achondroplasia?
 - (A) Mental retardation
 - (3) Autosomal dominant
 - (C) Mutation in chondroblast maturation
 - (D) Trident hand
- 155. Which of the following does not have association with Developmental Dysplasia of Hip (DDH)?
 - (A) First born
 - (B) Club foot
 - (C) Oligohydramnios
 - (D) Female child
- 156. Which of the following is not a classification used for femoral neck fractures?
 - (A) Garden Classification
 - (B) Pauwels Classification
 - (C) AO/OTA Classification
 - (D) Salter Harris Classification
- 157. What is the chemical composition of plaster of Paris?
 - (A) CaSO₄.2H₂O
 - (B) CaSO₄.1H₂O
 - (C) CaSO₄.1/2H₂O
 - (D) CaSO₄.4H₂O





- 158. Which nerve is involved in carpal tunnel syndrome?
 - (A) Ulnar nerve
 - (B) Radial nerve
 - (C) Median nerve
 - (D) Anterior interosseous nerve
- 159. Which of the following is the most common organism identified in Osteomyelitis?
 - (A) Streptococcus pneumoniae
 - (B) Staphylococcus aureus
 - (C) Enterobacteriaceae
 - (D) Streptococcus pyogenes
- 160. Fallen fragment sign is pathognomonic of:
 - (A) Aneurysmal bone cyst
 - (B) Unicameral bone cyst
 - (C) Osteochondroma
 - (D) Osteosarcoma
- 161. A 10 year-old-boy has had ear problems for many years. He has a fever and you also notice that his mastoid bone is warm and tender to touch. Which of the following is the best course of action?
 - (A) Refer routinely to ENT
 - (B) Prescribe topical eardrops
 - (C) Prescribe antibiotics
 - (D) Refer urgently to ENT

- 162. If the patient can hear a whispered voice 30 cm away from the ear, the patient has :
 - (A) Normal hearing
 - (B) Sensorineural hearing loss
 - (C) Conductive hearing loss
 - (D) Congenital hearing loss
- 163. Regarding the tonsil, all of the following are true except:
 - (A) Palatoglossus lies anterior to the tonsil
 - (B) The tonsil is supplied by the tonsillar artery, a branch of the facial artery
 - (C) The internal carotid artery lies

 2.5 cm behind and lateral to the tonsil
 - (D) Contains 20 crypts
- 164. During a hunting trip a bullet affect one of the hunters in his neck by accident, he developed neck swelling and hoarsed voice, what could be the cause of his voice change?
 - (A) Unilateral vocal cord palsy
 - (B) Bilateral vocal cord palsy
 - (C) Laryngeal oedema
 - (D) All of these





- 165. A three year old Mongol boy gets high fever then associated with difficult swallowing and strider, the child was sitting, cannot sleep and drooling saliva, the resident pediatricism sent for lateral cervical X-ray then he asked your opinion about what was looking as a thumb in front of the hypopharynx, your diagnosis was:
 - (A) Acute pharyngitis
 - (B) Acute simple laryngitis
 - (C) Laryngo-tracheo-bronchitis
 - (D) Acute epiglottitis
- 166. D-shaped pupil occurs in:
 - (A) Iridocyclitis
 - (B) Iridodenesis
 - (C) Cyclodialysis
 - (D) Iridodialysis
- 167. Cherry red spot is seen in all of the following except:
 - (A) CRAO
 - (B) Berlins edema
 - (C) CRVO
 - (D) Tay sachs ds.
- 168. Which of the following is not a peripheral retinal degeneration?
 - (A) Lattice degeneration

- (B) Snail track degeneration
- (C) Photoretinitis
- (D) White without pressure
- 169. Excessive watering due to trichiasis is called as :
 - (A) Epiphora
 - (B) Acute dacryocystitis
 - (C) Hyperlacrimation
 - (D) Chronic dacryocystitis
- 170. Snow Banking is Seen in:
 - (A) Endophthalmitis
 - (B) Anterior uveitis
 - (C) Parsplanitis
 - (D) Choroiditis
- 171. The most common cause of abnormal vaginal bleeding in adolescents is:
 - (A) Anovulation
 - (B) Fibroid uterus
 - (C) Endometriosis
 - (D) Cervical dysplasia
- 172. During normal pregnancy, which of the following is not changed appreciably?
 - (A) Tidal volume
 - (B) Minute ventilatory volume
 - (C) Residual volume
 - (D) Forced vital capacity





- 173. The estrogen component in the combined oral contraceptive pill is:
 - (A) Estradiol valerate
 - (B) Ethinyl estradiol
 - (C) Conjugated estrogens
 - (D) Micronized estradiol
- 174. Which of the following progestins is not a component of the combined oral contraceptive pill?
 - (A) Desogestrel
 - (B) Levonorgestrel
 - (C) Norgestrel
 - (D) Medroxy progesterone acetate
- 175. Which of the following is not a feature of the polycystic ovarian syndrome?
 - (A) Raised LH, raised FSH
 - (B) Raised LH, low to normal FSH
 - (C) Normal 17 hydroxy progesterone
 - (D) Hyperinsulinemia
- 176. Wet mount examination of vaginal discharge can identify the following infections except:
 - (A) Bacterial vaginosis
 - (B) Trichomoniasis
 - (C) Chlamydia
 - (D) Candidiasis

- 177. Which of these antihypertensive drugs is contra-indicated during pregnancy?
 - (A) Nifedipine
 - (B) Labetalol
 - (C) Enalapril
 - (D) Hydralazine
- 178. Which of the following is not a component of active management of the 3rd stage of labour?
 - (A) Controlled cord traction
 - (B) Administration of a uterotonic drug
 - (C) Uterine massage
 - (D) Early cord clamping
- 179. Which of the following is not useful to prevent or treat postpartum haemorrhage?
 - (A) Methylergonovine
 - (B) Prostaglandin E2
 - (C) Prostaglandin F2α
 - (D) Prostaglandin E1
- 180. Which of the following is not an indicator of the severity of hypertensive disorders of pregnancy?
 - (A) Visual disturbances
 - (B) Reduced fetal movements
 - (C) Thrombocytopenia
 - (D) Headache





- 181. The lowest term pregnancy rate after tubal recanalization surge of following tubal sterilization is associated with which of the following tubal sterilization procedures?
 - (A) Spring-loaded clip
 - (B) Electrocoagulation
 - (C) Ring occlusion
 - (D) Pomeroy's ligation
- 182. Which of the following is not a warning features to discontinue combined oral contraceptive pills?
 - (A) Chest pain or shortness of breath
 - (B) Jaundice
 - (C) Throbbing headache
 - (D) Nausea
- 183. The most reliable ultrasonographic parameter of estimated fetal weight is:
 - (A) Biparietal diameter
 - (B) Femur length
 - (C) Abdominal circumference
 - (D) Head circumference
- 184. Which of the following is an absolute contraindication to combined oral contraceptive pill use?
 - (A) Migraine headache

- (B) Uterine leiomyorna
- (C) Thromboembolic disorders
- (D) Hypertension
- 185. Which of these drugs is not useful in the treatment of hirsutism in a girl with polycystic ovarian disease?
 - (A) Laevonorgestrel
 - (B) Spironolactone
 - (C) Flutamide
 - (D) Finasteride
- 186. HIV transmission to the baby from the infected mother can be reduced by all except
 - (A) Antiretroviral therapy to the mother during pregnancy
 - (B) Delivery by elective caesarean section
 - (C) Breast feeding
 - (D) Antiretroviral therapy to the neonate for 3 weeks
- 187. The sensitivity of a single Pap smear to diagnose cervical dysplasia or cancer is:
 - (A) 25-30%
 - (B) 50-60%
 - (C) 70-80%
 - (D) > 90%





- 188. Which of these is not considered a risk factor for the development of endometrial cancer?
 - (A) Obesity
 - (B) Oral conrtraceptive use
 - (C) Delayed menopause
 - (D) Nulliparity
- 189. The single most common cause of maternal mortality in India is:
 - (A) Unsafe abortion
 - (B) Hypertensive disorders of pregnancy
 - (C) Infection
 - (D) Postpartum haemorrhage
- 190. Prevention or treatment of osteoporosis in postmenopausal women may be achieved by all except:
 - (A) Calcium and Vitamin D supplementation
 - (B) Bisphosphonates
 - (C) Multivitamin supplementation
 - (D) Estrogen and progestin hormone replacement therapy
- 191. Which of the following is directly proportional to the potency of inhalation anesthetic agents?
 - (A) Blood gas partition coefficient
 - (B) Oil gas partition coefficient

- (C) Both (A) and (B)
- (D) None of these
- 192. Which of the following does not belong to category of steroidal muscle relaxants?
 - (A) Atracurium
 - (B) Vecuronium
 - (C) Rocuronium
 - (D) Pancuronium
- 193. You have received a person in the casualty, and he is bleeding profusely through a lacerated wound, he is drowsy but still arousable. What will be your first priority while dealing with this patient?
 - (A) Airway
 - (B) Breathing
 - (C) Circulation
 - (D) Analgesia
- 194. A parturient has undergone a cesarean section under spinal anesthesia, 12 hours later the patient starts having severe pulsatile headache. What can be the possible diagnosis?
 - (A) Bacterial meningitis
 - (B) Chemical meningitis
 - (C) Post dural puncture headache
 - (D) All of these





- 195. Sensation of pain does not travel in which type of nerve fibres ?
 - (A) Adelta
 - (B) Abeta
 - (C) C fibres
 - (D) None of these
- 196. Modified Electro Convulsive Therapy is commonly given in :
 - (A) Hysteria
 - (B) Conversion Disorder
 - (C) Depression with Suicidal
 Tendency
 - (D) Chronic Schizophrenia
- 197. According to Wechsler intelligence scale scoring, average IQ of a normal child is:

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- (A) 55
- (B) 70
- (C) 95
- (D) 120

- 198. Depot Antipsychotic preparations are available for which of the following?
 - (A) Olanzapine
 - (B) Haloperidol
 - (C) Resperidone
 - (D) All of these
- 199. Bruxism is a term used for :
 - (A) Sleep Walking
 - (B) Grinding of teeth during sleep
 - (C) Sleep Apnea
 - (D) Nocturnal enuresis
- 20). Bipolar Affective Disorder includes all except:
 - (A) Recurrent depressive episodes
 - (B) Recurrent manic episodes
 - (C) Depressive episodes and hypomania
 - (D) Manic episodes and depressive episodes





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