

How Much Do You Know About Communicable Diseases?

1. Which diseases are preventable by immunization?
 - a. Influenza
 - b. Hepatitis
 - c. AIDS
 - d. Tuberculosis
 - e. Measles
 - f. Pertussis (whooping cough)

Did you Know? Almost all colds and other upper respiratory infections are caused by viruses—not bacteria

2. How often should an adult have a diphtheria/Tetanus booster?
 - a. every year
 - b. every 5 years
 - c. every 10 years
 - d. for dog bites only
3. You should contact your local health department if you have been exposed to which of the following:
 - a. Hepatitis
 - b. animal bites
 - c. food poisoning
 - d. sunburn

Did you Know? Every time you cough you send germs into the air at speeds faster than 100 mph!

4. You should not visit patients in a hospital if you have:
 - a. fever
 - b. diabetes
 - c. sore throat-runny nose
 - d. nausea, vomiting or diarrhea
5. The influenza vaccine is free for the following KGH personnel:
 - a. staff physicians
 - b. all employees
 - c. medical residents
 - d. volunteers

Did you Know? Most colds are not cured by antibiotics

Answers:
1. a,b,e,f
2. c
3. a,b,c
4. a,c,d
5. all

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