

Public Health Quiz - Advanced

1. **Who is widely considered the "Father of Modern Epidemiology"?**
 - A. Robert Koch
 - B. John Snow
 - C. Joseph Lister
 - D. W. C. Cole Claiborne
2. **What is an epidemic?**
 - A. The first time a disease is documented
 - B. When more than 50% of a population has a specific illness.
 - C. When more than 25% of a population has a specific illness.
 - D. When the occurrence of a disease exceeds the normal rate.
3. **Which is the first illness that was attributed to an animal carrier?**
 - A. Rabies
 - B. Smallpox
 - C. HIV
 - D. Malaria
4. **What is one of the fastest growing public health concerns in the world?**
 - A. Cancer
 - B. SARS
 - C. Diabetes
 - D. Workplace accidents
5. **How effective are condoms in preventing transmission of HIV/AIDS?**
 - A. 100%
 - B. 85%
 - C. 50%
 - D. 0%
6. **To what minimum internal temperature (Fahrenheit) must one cook poultry in order to ensure that foodborne bacteria have been destroyed?**
 - A. 100 degrees
 - B. 150 degrees
 - C. 180 degrees
 - D. 220 degrees
7. **Hand washing can prevent all of the following except:**
 - A. Infectious diarrhea
 - B. Hepatitis A
 - C. Hepatitis B
 - D. Meningitis
8. **What two diseases account for over 50% of all deaths in the United States?**
 - A. cancer and heart disease
 - B. stroke and tuberculosis
 - C. AIDS and cancer
 - D. old age and infant mortality
9. **Approximately what fraction of people over age 12 smoke?**
 - A. 1/20
 - B. 1/10
 - C. 1/4
 - D. 1/3
10. **Antibiotics are widely used as a preventive measure against bacterial diseases. For how many years have antibiotics been used?**
 - A. 1000 years
 - B. 500 years
 - C. 100 years
 - D. >50 years
11. **Which of the following is responsible for over half of all deaths from unintentional injuries?**
 - A. Drowning
 - B. Motor vehicle crashes
 - C. Poisoning
 - D. Firearm injuries
12. **Which Chinese invention played a early role in improving sanitation and hygiene?**
 - A. Chopsticks
 - B. Sewers
 - C. Fireworks
 - D. Rice Steamers

