Chapter 80, Self-Assessment Questions

1. Penicillin is the drug of choice in which of the following conditions?
   A. Syphilis
   B. Chlamydia
   C. Genital warts
   D. Chancroid

2. Which of the following agents should not be prescribed for MSM or patients with a history of recent foreign travel and a positive diagnosis of Neisseria gonorrhoeae?
   A. Doxycycline
   B. Azithromycin
   C. Penicillin G
   D. Ofloxacin

3. Which of the following regimens is considered to be effective treatment for Disseminated Gonococcal Infection?
   A. Ofloxacin 400 mg orally three times daily for 14 days
   B. Benzathine Penicillin 2.4 million units once weekly for 3 weeks
   C. Azithromycin 1 g as a one time dose
   D. Ceftriaxone 1 g IM or IV every 24 hours until improvement is noted

4. In which of the following stages of syphilis would fatigue, diffuse rash, fever, and a genital or perineal condyloma be observed?
   A. Primary
   B. Secondary
   C. Latent Early
   D. Latent Late

5. If a patient has been diagnosed with primary syphilis, after how many month of treatment should a follow-up quantitative nontreponemal titer be ordered?
   A. 1, 2, and 3
   B. 3, 6, and 12
   C. 6, 12, and 24
   D. 9, 18, and 36

6. If a patient has been diagnosed with neurosyphilis and pleocytosis is present, how often should one reexamine the patient’s cerebral spinal fluid?
   A. Every 3 months
   B. Every 4 months
C. Every 5 months
D. Every 6 months

7. Which dose of metronidazole should be administered for 7 days to treat trichomoniasis?
   A. 250 mg orally two times daily
   B. 500 mg orally two times daily
   C. 250 mg orally three times daily
   D. 500 mg orally three times daily

8. Which of the following is considered an alternative choice for the treatment of trichomoniasis?
   A. Tinidazole
   B. Ceftriaxone
   C. Azithromycin
   D. Doxycycline

9. HPV types 6 and 11 are responsible for which of the following conditions?
   A. Genital herpes
   B. Genital warts
   C. Bacterial vaginosis
   D. Chancroid

10. Which of the following agents may be used during pregnancy for the treatment of HPV?
    A. Podofilox
    B. Fluorouracil
    C. Bichloroacetic acid
    D. Sinecatechins

11. Which of the following factors is used to determine choice of therapy with regard to genital warts?
    A. Size of lesion
    B. Site of lesion
    C. Morphology of lesion
    D. All of the above

12. Which of the following is a beneficial outcome of agents used in the treatment of HSV?
A. Bacterial shedding
B. Healing time
C. Muscle growth
D. Weight loss

13. When should the initiation of HSV therapy occur for an episodic occurrence?

A. Within the first month
B. When a patient becomes symptomatic with fever
C. After a biopsy is performed
D. Within one day of onset

14. Which is not employed during the suppressive stage of HSV treatment?

A. Cidofovir orally
B. Famciclovir orally
C. Acyclovir orally
D. Valacyclovir orally

15. Which of the following is the preferred parenteral treatment for PID?

A. Cephalexin IV four times a day
B. Cefaclor by mouth three times a day
C. Cefotetan IV twice a day
D. Vaccine given in four injections over a period of 9 months
Answers
1. A
2. D
3. D
4. B
5. C
6. D
7. D
8. A
9. B
10. C
11. D
12. B
13. D
14. A
15. C