Intravenous Therapy
Class Preparation
Nursing 201: Nursing Care of Special Populations

After reviewing the Beebe Healthcare *IV Therapy and Vascular Access Devices* guidelines answer the following questions.

1. Hand hygiene and gloves are indicated for IV insertion and removal; for drawing blood; and discontinuing of any vascular access device.

   TRUE **FALSE**

2. Prior to accessing an intravascular cap, how many seconds do you *scrub the hub*?
   -5 seconds

3. For INCOMPATIBLE solutions/medications, flush the line with 10ml NS before and 10ml NS after administering the medication.

4. Pediatric IV sites should be assessed Q ___1-2___hours.

5. Only Grade 2 infiltrations require a Safety Tracking Tool (STT) to be completed.

   TRUE **FALSE**

6. A physician's order is not required to initiate intravenous (IV) access.

   TRUE **FALSE**

7. Intravenous sites must be changed every 96 hours.
   TRUE **FALSE**

8. When an extravasation occurs, the nurse should immediately remove the intravenous (IV) site.
   TRUE **FALSE**

9. IV sites are assessed and documented on at least every ___4___ hours and PRN.

10. An intravenous site that is initiated in suboptimal aseptic conditions can stay in place if assessing within normal limits.
    TRUE **FALSE**