

N301 Adult Health I

Lab Week 1

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Math Practice Questions

- Express the following number to the nearest hundredth.
 - $2.345 = \mathbf{2.35}$
- Solve the following equation. Express your answer to the nearest tenth.
 - $55 \times 0.15 = 8.25 \sim \mathbf{8.3}$
- Solve the equation. Express your answer as a decimal fraction to the nearest tenth.
 - $0.114 \times 3.2 = 0.3648 \quad \mathbf{0.36}$
- You are to give 1,250 mg of a medication and you receive 250 mg tablets from the pharmacy. How many tablets would you administer?
 - $(250\text{mg}/1 \text{ tablet}) * (1,250\text{mg}) = \mathbf{5 \text{ tablets}}$
- You have to administer a combination drug that combines 25 mg of medication A and 6.25 mg of medication B. Pharmacy has given you 12.5 mg tablets of medication A and 12.5 mg of medication B. How many tablets of medication B would you give?
 - $(12.5\text{mg}/1 \text{ B tablet}) * (6.25\text{mg}) = \mathbf{0.5 \text{ tablet}}$
- You have to administer a prescription that combines two separate drugs of 50 mg of medication A and 12.5 mg of medication B. Pharmacy has given you 25 mg tablets of medication A and 6.25 mg of medication B. How many tablets of medication A would you give?
 - $(25\text{mg}/1 \text{ A tablet}) * (50\text{mg}) = \mathbf{2 \text{ tablets}}$
- Express 750 mg in g
 - $\mathbf{0.75g}$
- Express 0.75 mg in mcg
 - $1\text{mg} = 1,000\text{mcg} \quad 0.75\text{mg} * 1000 = \mathbf{750\text{mcg}}$
- The nurse needs to infuse 250 mL over 45 minutes by infusion pump. At what rate per hour does the nurse set the pump?
 - $\mathbf{6\text{gtt}/\text{min}} \text{ ???**}$
- The doctor has ordered 1 liter D5W (IV fluid solution 5% dextrose and water) over 12 hours. At what rate per hour does the nurse set the pump?
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- Convert these body weights into kilograms. Round to the nearest tenth.
 - $44.5 \text{ lbs} = \mathbf{20.2\text{kg}}$
 - $154 \text{ lbs} = \mathbf{70\text{kg}}$
 - $540 \text{ lbs} = \mathbf{245.5\text{kg}}$
 - $123 \text{ lbs} = \mathbf{55.9\text{kg}}$
- A doctor orders 75 mg of ceftriaxone to be taken by a 15 pound infant twice a day. The pharmaceutical reference states that 50-75 mg/kg/day is the appropriate dosage range. Is this doctor's orders within the desired range?
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- The most commonly used parenteral administration routes are: **B**
 - Sublingual, intravenous, transdermal
 - Intravenous, intramuscular, and subcutaneous (ANSWER)**
 - Intravenous, inhalation, and subcutaneous

14. Insulin can be administered by what other routes? **A**
- a. **Subcutaneous, intravenous, self-administered pens (ANSWER)**
 - b. Intramuscular, inhalation, intradermal
 - c. Subcutaneous, intradermal, sublingual
15. One balanced electrolyte solution is which of the following? **C**
- a. D5NS
 - b. LR
 - c. **0.9% NSS (ANSWER)**
 - d. 0.45% NSS
16. Identify which of the following solutions is the weakest? **B**
- a. 1:1000
 - b. **1:10,000 (ANSWER)**
 - c. 1:5
17. There are two bottles of milk of magnesium on the shelf at the pharmacy. One bottle contains 9.5 oz and the other 300 mL. Which has the larger volume?
- a. **300mL bottle**
18. The recommended dose of Dilantin for a child is 3 mg/kg/24 hr given every 12 hours. The patient's weight is 10 lbs. The medication is supplied in 250 mg/10 mL.
- a. Calculate the weight for the child in kg **4.5kg**
 - b. Calculate the safe dose for the child in mg/dose **13.5mg/dose**
 - c. How many milliliters will be administered for each dose? **0.54mL/dose**
19. The patient is ordered Tylenol elixir at 325 mg per 2 teaspoons (tsp.) How many mL would the nurse administer?
- a. **10mL**
20. An IV medication of 250 mL is started at 0750 to run at 33 gtts/min using a 10 gtts/mL set. How long will the infusion run?
- a. **75.8 minutes**