

Test – EMT – Automated Blood Glucose Monitoring

Name: _____

Date: _____

MULTIPLE CHOICE: Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.

1) Blood Glucose monitoring is indicated for:

- A) Altered level of consciousness
- B) Known diabetic with medical illness or traumatic injury
- C) Diabetic patient that is confused or agitated
- D) All of the above

2) If the drop of blood is not large enough to cover the target area of the test strip,

- A) Rinse the strip with sterile water and re-apply another drop of blood
- B) Add another drop of blood to the same strip
- C) Discard that strip and repeat procedure, obtaining a larger drop of blood
- D) Spread the drop of blood with a gloved finger until it covers the target area

3) Blood Glucose monitors:

- A) All work exactly the same
- B) All have different operating instructions
- C) All have interchangeable test strips
- D) All use the same control solutions

4) Blood Glucose monitoring is indicated for:

- A) Confused or unresponsive driver of a crashed motor vehicle
- B) Child in respiratory distress
- C) Diabetic patient with cough
- D) Mentally ill patient who is threatening to kill himself

5) Before using an automated blood glucose meter, you should

- A) Verify that the blood glucose monitor has working batteries
- B) Check test strips for expiration
- C) Make sure that there is a supply of test strips, lancets, and control solution (if used)
- D) All of the above

6) A good place to get a blood sample is:

- A) The side of the finger
- B) The pad of the finger
- C) The pad of the thumb
- D) All of the above

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- 1) D
- 2) C
- 3) B
- 4) A
- 5) D
- 6) A