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## PHARMACOKINETICS. BASIC CONCEPTS

- 1. The increase in ionization of weak electrolytes causes GIT absorption to:**
  - a) Increase;
  - b) Decrease;
  - c) Stay the same.
- 2. Intramuscular injections provide high rates of absorption for:**
  - a) Non-polar lipophilic drugs only;
  - b) Polar hydrophilic drugs only;
  - c) Both lipophilic and hydrophilic drugs.
- 3. Elimination half-life period:**
  - a) Time equal to one-half of a full elimination period;
  - b) Time needed to decrease plasma concentration of a drug by 2 on the exponential part of a pharmacokinetic curve.
- 4. To accelerate the excretion of weak bases by the kidneys it's necessary to:**
  - a) Alkalinize the urine;
  - b) Acidify the urine;
  - c) Maintain neutral pH.
- 5. Extent of oral drug absorption determines:**
  - a) Clearance;
  - b) Bioavailability;
  - c) Ionization constant;
  - d) Elimination half-life;
  - e) Elimination rate constant;
  - f) Volume of distribution.
- 6. Volume of distribution indicates:**
  - a) The volume of body fluids in which drugs are distributed uniformly;
  - b) The volume of fluid in which a drug distributes uniformly in a concentration equal to that of blood plasma;
  - c) The volume of fluid in which a drug distributes uniformly in a concentration equal to that of tissue fluids;
  - d) The volume of fluid in which a drug distributes uniformly in a therapeutic concentration.
- 7. Total clearance is characteristic of:**
  - a) Drug absorption;
  - b) Drug distribution;
  - c) Drug elimination;
  - d) Drug deposition.
- 8. Principal mechanism of drug absorption from the GIT:**
  - a) Active transport;
  - b) Passive diffusion through a lipid barrier;
  - c) Diffusion through aqueous pores and intercellular spaces;
  - d) Microvesicular transport.
- 9. Determinants of renal clearance:**
  - a) Metabolic transformation;
  - b) Glomerular filtration;
  - c) Tubular reabsorption;
  - d) Tubular secretion;
  - e) Conjugation.

**10. Which of these enteral routes of administration provide absorption into the systemic circulation bypassing or partially bypassing the liver?**

- a) Oral (swallow);
- b) Sublingual;
- c) Transbuccal;
- d) Into the duodenum;
- e) Rectal.

**11. Indicate the determinants of hepatic clearance:**

- a) Rate of biotransformation reactions in the liver;
- b) Liver blood flow;
- c) Unbound fraction of a drug;
- d) Bioavailability;
- e) Volume of distribution.

**12. The direction of biotransformation reactions in the liver is:**

- a) A decrease of hydrophilicity;
- b) Increase of hydrophilicity;
- c) Increase of activity;
- d) Decrease of activity;
- e) Increase of polarity;
- f) Decrease of polarity.

**13. Biotransformation of drugs gives metabolites:**

- a) Which are poorly reabsorbed across the renal tubule;
- b) Which are highly reabsorbed across the renal tubule;
- c) Which are poorly absorbed from the intestines;
- d) Which are highly absorbed from the intestines;
- e) Rapidly leave the organism;
- f) Slowly leave the organism.

**14. Oral bioavailability is determined by:**

- a) Extent of gastrointestinal absorption;
- b) Plasma protein binding;
- c) First pass liver metabolism;
- d) Rate of distribution throughout the body;
- e) Quality of pharmaceutical drug formulation.

**15. Liver cirrhosis may alter the pharmacokinetics of drugs:**

- a) Decreases presystemic elimination;
- b) Increases the free fraction of drugs in plasma;
- c) Decreases drug clearance;
- d) Increases elimination half-life ( $T_{1/2}$ );
- e) Increases bioavailability;
- f) Decreases the volume of distribution.

**16. Features of rectal route of administration:**

- a) Is used only in clinics;
- b) Influence of digestive enzymes is presence;
- c) May be used in unconscious patients;
- d) Drugs destroying in the GIT can be applied;
- e) Some fraction of a drug bypasses the liver;
- f) Needs the trained medical personnel.

**17. Features of intravenous route:**

- a) Maximum accuracy of dosing;
- b) Provides highest possible bioavailability;
- c) Fast onset of action;
- d) Need to sterilize drugs and adhere to aseptic techniques;
- e) Plasma steady state concentration of a drug is achieved in 2 half-lives.

**18. Which dose of Drug M should be injected to a patient weighting 50 kg to rapidly achieve a plasma concentration of 30 mg/l ( $V_d = 0,1$  l/kg)?**

- a) 150,0 mg;
- b) 300,0 mg;
- c) 450,0 mg;
- d) 750,0 mg;
- e) 900,0 mg;
- f) 1500,0 mg.

**19. Arrange the drugs in ascending order by intestinal absorption rate ( $pH = 7,2$ )**

- a) Weak acid A ( $pK = 3,5$ );
- b) Weak acid B ( $pK = 5,2$ );
- c) Weak base C ( $pK = 8,2$ );
- d) Weak base D ( $pK = 7,2$ ).

**20. Arrange the drugs with different distribution patterns in ascending order by the loading doses needed to achieve plasma  $C_{ss} = 1$  mg/ml (intravenous administration):**

- a) B ( $V_d = 2,0$  l/kg);
- b) C ( $V_d = 0,5$  l/kg);
- c) E ( $V_d = 4,0$  l/kg);
- d) A ( $V_d = 0,2$  l/kg);
- e) D ( $V_d = 1,5$  l/kg).

## PHARMACODYNAMIC

**1. Intrinsic activity is:**

- a) Ability to bind to specific receptors;
- b) Ability to stimulate specific receptors and cause an effect upon binding;
- c) Ability to block specific receptors and cause an effect upon binding;
- d) Ability to compete with endogenous ligands for specific receptors.

**2. Drugs with low intrinsic activity are called:**

- a) Agonists-antagonists;
- b) Partial agonists;
- c) Antagonists;
- d) Full agonists.

**3. Drugs with high intrinsic activity are called:**

- a) Agonists-antagonists;
- b) Partial agonists;
- c) Antagonists;
- d) Full agonists.

**4. Drugs stimulating one receptor subtype and blocking another one are called:**

- a) Agonists-antagonists;
- b) Partial agonists;
- c) Antagonists;
- d) Full agonists.

**5. Drugs with no intrinsic activity are called:**

- a) Agonists-antagonists;
- b) Partial agonists;
- c) Antagonists;
- d) Full agonists.

**6. The measure of efficacy:**

- a) Maximal effective dose;
- b) Maximal effect (E<sub>max</sub>);
- c) The dose that causes maximal effect;
- d) Therapeutic range;
- e) Therapeutic index.

**7. Synergism is:**

- a) Enhanced effect of a drug combination;
- b) Decreased drug effect following by repeated administration;
- c) Decreased effect of a drug combination;
- d) Decreased effect of a drug following by its prolonged application.

**8. Potentiation is:**

- a) The sum of drug effects;
- b) The enhancement of action of one drug by another drug that is inactive;
- c) Enhanced effect of a drug following by repeated administration;
- d) Kind of drug-drug interaction resulting in an effect that is less than the sum of effects when the drugs are given individually.

**9. Antagonism is:**

- a) Decreased effect following by repeated drug administration;
- b) The combined effect of two or more drugs is less than the sum of the effects when the drugs are given individually;
- c) The enhancement of action of one drug by another drug that is inactive;
- d) Enhanced effect following by dose reduction.

**10. Repeated use of drugs leads to the following negative consequences:**

- a) Cumulation;
- b) Tachyphylaxis;
- c) Drug dependence;
- d) Tolerance;
- e) Idiosyncrasy.

**11. Accumulation is:**

- a) A decreased sensibility to a drug following by repeated administration;
- b) An increased sensibility to a drug following by repeated administration;
- c) An enhanced response to a drug following by repeated administration that results from its cumulation in the body;
- d) Unusual drug reactions resulting from congenital enzyme defects;
- e) An enhanced biotransformation of a drug following by repeated administration.

**12. It is needed 25 mg of diuretic A or 50 mg diuretic of B to increase daily urine output by 2 l. Identify the correct statement:**

- a) Diuretic A is 2 times more effective than diuretic B;
- b) Diuretic B is 2 times more effective than diuretic A;
- c) Diuretic A is 2 times more potent (active) than diuretic B;
- d) Diuretic B is 2 times more potent (active) than diuretic A;
- e) Diuretics A and B are equipotent (active) but differ in efficacy.

**13. It is established that ED<sub>50</sub> value of diuretics A and B is 1,0 mg/kg. Besides, diuretic A increases daily urine output by 2 l at the highest tested dose and diuretic B — by 1 l. Identify the correct statement:**

- a) Diuretic A is 2 times more effective than diuretic B, potency (activity) is the same;
- b) Diuretic B is 2 times more effective than diuretic A, potency (activity) is the same;
- c) Diuretics A and B are equieffective but differ in potency (activity);
- d) Diuretic B is 2 times more potent (active) than diuretic A;
- e) Diuretics A and B are equieffective but differ in potency (activity).

**14. What is tolerance?**

- a) Individual drug intolerance;
- b) Decreased organism sensibility to drugs;
- c) Increased organism sensibility to drugs;
- d) Drug dependence.

**15. Two drugs have opposite effects on the same receptor, it is called as:**

- a) Antidotism;
- b) Physicochemical antagonism;
- c) Physiologic antagonism;
- d) Pharmacological antagonism;
- e) Synergism.

**16. Maximal effect is the measure of:**

- a) Potency (activity);
- b) Efficacy;
- c) Therapeutic index;
- d) Safety;
- e) Therapeutic range.

**17. Which of these events appear only when drugs are used in combination?**

- a) Additive effect;
- b) Antagonism;
- c) Potentiation of action;
- d) Sensibilization;
- e) Tolerance;
- f) Synergism;
- g) Idiosyncrasy.

**18. Arrange the drugs in descending order by potential hazard:**

- a) Drug A (TI = 900);
- b) Drug B (TI = 10);
- c) Drug C (TI = 50);
- d) Drug D (TI = 300);
- e) Drug E (TI = 100).

**19. Arrange the drugs in ascending order by safety. LD<sub>50</sub> is 500 mg for each, but ED<sub>50</sub> values differ:**

- a) Drug A (ED<sub>50</sub> = 0,01 mg);
- b) Drug B (ED<sub>50</sub> = 0,1 g);
- c) Drug C (ED<sub>50</sub> = 5 mg);
- d) Drug D (ED<sub>50</sub> = 50 mg).

**20. Arrange the diuretic drugs in ascending order by efficacy:**

- a) Drug A (ED<sub>50</sub>=6,0 mg/kg – E<sub>max</sub>=1000 ml/day);
- b) Drug B (ED<sub>50</sub>=80 mcg/kg– E<sub>max</sub>=3,0 l/day);
- c) Drug C (ED<sub>50</sub>=0,2 mg/kg– E<sub>max</sub>=2,0 l/day);
- d) Drug D (ED<sub>50</sub>=0,01 g/kg – E<sub>max</sub>=500 ml/day);
- e) Drug E (ED<sub>50</sub>=10 mcg/kg– E<sub>max</sub>=4,0 l/day).

**21. Arrange the diuretic drugs in ascending order by potency (activity):**

- a) Drug A (ED<sub>50</sub>=0,2 mg/kg– E<sub>max</sub>=2,0 l/day);
- b) Drug B (ED<sub>50</sub>=80 mcg/kg– E<sub>max</sub>=3,0 l/day);
- c) Drug C (ED<sub>50</sub>=10 mcg/kg– E<sub>max</sub>=4,0 l/day);
- d) Drug D (ED<sub>50</sub>=0,01 g/kg – E<sub>max</sub>=500 ml/day);
- e) Drug E (ED<sub>50</sub>=6,0 mg/kg – E<sub>max</sub>=1000 ml/day).

**CHOLINOMIMETIC AND ANTICHOLINESTERASE DRUGS**

**1. Localization of N-cholinoreceptors:**

- a) Autonomic ganglions;
- b) Postganglionic endings of parasympathetic nerves;
- c) Endings of efferent nerve;
- d) Chromaffin tissue of adrenal glands;
- e) Sino-carotid zone.

**2. N-cholinergic receptor is:**

- a) G-protein-coupled receptor;
- b) Ligand-gated channel;
- c) Transmembrane protein;
- d) Nuclear receptor.

**3. M-cholinergic receptor is:**

- a) G-protein-coupled receptor;
- b) Ligand-gated channel;
- c) Transmembrane protein;
- d) Nuclear receptor.

**4. After interaction with the receptor, acetylcholine is:**

- a) Enzymatically degraded in the synaptic cleft;
- b) Eliminated from the body by the kidneys in unchanged form;
- c) Metabolized primarily in the liver;
- d) Enzymatically degraded in the presynaptic endings.

**5. Acetylcholine is destroyed by:**

- a) Acetylcholinesterase;
- b) Acetylcholinesynthase;
- c) Acetylcholinearomathase;
- d) Acetylcholine dehydrogenase;
- e) Is not destroyed by enzymes.

**6. Localization of M- cholinergic receptors:**

- a) Cells of effector organs near the end of postganglionic cholinergic fiber;
- b) Neurons of sympathetic ganglions;
- c) Neurons of parasympathetic ganglions;
- d) Neurons of the spinal cord;
- e) Carotid sinus;
- f) Chromaffin cells of adrenal medulla;
- g) Skeletal muscles.



**7. Select M-cholinomimetics:**

- a) Pilocarpine;
- b) Neostigmine;
- c) Acetylcholine chloride;
- d) Aceclidine;
- e) Carbachol;
- f) Pyridostigmine bromide;
- g) Bethanechol.

**8. Select N-cholinomimetics**

- a) Nicotine;
- b) Cytisine;
- c) Pilocarpine;
- d) Aceclidine;
- e) Bethanechol.

**9. Select M, N-cholinomimetics of direct action**

- a) Acetylcholine chloride;
- b) Carbachol;
- c) Neostigmine;
- d) Pyridostigmine bromide;
- e) Donepezil.

**10. Select M, N-cholinomimetics with indirect action**

- a) Acetylcholine chloride;
- b) Carbachol;
- c) Neostigmine;
- d) Pyridostigmine bromide;
- e) Donepezil.

**11. Select Anticholinesterase drugs:**

- a) Neostigmine;
- b) Pyridostigmine bromide;
- c) Aceclidine;
- d) Edrophonium chloride;
- e) Carbachol;
- f) Armin;
- g) Donepezil.

**12. Irreversible cholinesterase inhibitors are:**

- a) Pyridostigmine bromide;
- b) Armin;
- c) Donepezil;
- d) Organophosphorous compounds;
- e) Neostigmine.

**13. Effects of acetylcholine are:**

- a) A decreased heart rate;
- b) A decreased secretion of the bronchial glands and the digestive glands;
- c) An increased secretion of the bronchial glands and the digestive glands;
- d) A contraction of the bronchial muscles;
- e) An increased intestine motility;
- f) A hypersecretion of the sweat glands;
- g) A hyporsecretion of the sweat glands.

**14. The mechanism of reduction of ocular hypertension after pilocarpin application is:**

- a) Opening of the venous sinus, increased outflow of intraocular fluid from the anterior chamber of the eye;
- b) Inhibition of the carbonic anhydrase and a decrease production of intraocular fluid.

**15. Effects of M-cholinomimetics on the bronchi is:**

- a) Dilation of bronchi;
- b) Bronchospasm;
- c) Have no effect on the bronchi.

**16. Effects of M-cholinomimetics on heart rate is:**

- a) Increased heart rate;
- b) Decreased heart rate;
- c) Have no effect on heart rate.

**17. Effects of M-cholinomimetics are:**

- a) A pupil dilatation (mydriasis);
- b) A contraction of the pupil (miosis);
- c) A decreased of intraocular pressure;
- d) A spasm of accommodation;
- e) A paralysis of accommodation.

**18. Effects of pilocarpine are:**

- a) A decreases heart rate;
- b) An increase in the secretion of the exocrine glands;
- c) A decreased secretion of the exocrine glands;
- d) Miosis;
- e) A reduction of the tone of urinary bladder;
- f) A decreased intraocular pressure;
- g) An increased intraocular pressure;
- h) A spasm of accommodation;
- i) A paralysis of accommodation;
- j) Mydriasis.

**19. Aceclidine:**

- a) Increases the intraocular pressure;
- b) Increases the intestinal tone;
- c) Increases the secretion of the digestive glands;
- d) Dilates the bronchi;
- e) Causes the spasm of accommodation.

**20. Acetylcholine chloride:**

- a) Decreases the intestinal tone;
- b) Increase the secretion of the exocrine glands;
- c) Increases the secretion of the bronchial glands;
- d) Decreases the heart rate;
- e) Causes bronchospasm.

**21. Anticholinesterase drugs:**

- a) Inhibit the degradation of acetylcholine;
- b) Activate the destruction of acetylcholine;
- c) Stimulate the release of acetylcholine;
- d) Inhibit acetylcholine release.

**22. How do anticholinesterase drugs influence on the action of acetylcholine?**

- a) Potentiate;
- b) Suppress;
- c) Make it shorter;
- d) Protract.

**23. Effect of anticholinesterase drugs on skeletal muscle are:**

- a) Facilitation of the neuromuscular transmission;
- b) Interruption of the neuromuscular transmission;
- c) They do not act on neuromuscular transmission;
- d) Raising of the muscle tone;
- e) Reduction of the muscle tone;
- f) They do not act on the muscle tone.

**24. Effects of pyridostigmine:**

- a) Decreases secretion of digestive glands;
- b) Bronchospasm;
- c) Frequent urination;
- d) Increases heart rate;
- e) Decreases secretion of exocrine glands;
- f) Facilitation of neuromuscular transmission;
- g) Interrupt of neuromuscular transmission;
- h) Raising of muscle tone;
- i) Reduce muscle tone;
- j) It does not effect on muscle tone;
- k) Decreases the heart rate;
- l) Depression of the A-V nodal activity;
- m) Decreases the cardiac output;
- n) Increases the A-V nodal activity;
- o) Increase the cardiac output.

**25. Indications for the anticholinesterase drugs:**

- a) Myasthenia;
- b) Glaucoma;
- c) Renal colic;
- d) Intestinal atony;
- e) Asthma;
- f) Atony of urinary bladder.

**26. Effects of nicotine:**

- a) Initiation of the inspiratory center;
- b) An increase in the intestinal tone;
- c) An increase in the heart rate;
- d) Suppression of the inspiratory center;
- e) A decrease in the intestinal tone.

**27. Drugs that can be applied in the case of intestinal and urinary bladder atony:**

- a) Armin;
- b) Pilocarpine;
- c) Pyridostigmine bromide;
- d) Donepezil;
- e) Neostigmine;
- f) Aceclidine;
- g) Edrophonium chloride.

**28. Drugs are used for the treatment of glaucoma:**

- a) Armin;
- b) Pilocarpine;
- c) Pyridostigmine bromide;
- d) Donepezil;
- e) Neostigmine;
- f) Aceclidine;
- g) Edrophonium chloride.

**CHOLINERGIC ANTAGONIST (ANTICHOLINERGIC) DRUGS**

**1. Pirenzepine is:**

- a) Antagonist of M<sub>1</sub> receptors;
- b) Antagonist of M<sub>2</sub> receptors;
- c) Antagonist of M<sub>3</sub> receptors;
- d) Agonist of M<sub>1</sub> receptors;
- e) Non-selective antagonist of M-receptors.

**2. Atropine is:**

- a) Antagonist of M<sub>1</sub> receptors;
- b) Antagonist of M<sub>2</sub> receptors;
- c) Antagonist of M<sub>3</sub> receptors;
- d) Agonist of M<sub>2</sub> receptors;
- e) Non-selective antagonist of M-receptors.

**3. Darifenacine is:**

- a) Antagonist of M<sub>1</sub> receptors;
- b) Antagonist of M<sub>2</sub> receptors;
- c) Antagonist of M<sub>3</sub> receptors;
- d) Agonist of M<sub>3</sub> receptors;
- e) Non-selective antagonist of M-receptors.

**4. Pipecuronium bromide is:**

- a) Antagonist of N<sub>M</sub> receptors;
- b) Antagonist of M<sub>2</sub> receptors;
- c) Antagonist of M<sub>3</sub> receptors;
- d) Agonist of M<sub>1</sub> receptors;
- e) Antagonist of N<sub>N</sub> receptors.

**5. Trimethaphan is:**

- a) Antagonist of N<sub>M</sub> receptors;
- b) Antagonist of M<sub>1</sub> receptors;
- c) Antagonist of M<sub>2</sub> receptors;
- d) Agonist of M<sub>3</sub> receptors;
- e) Antagonist of N<sub>N</sub> receptors.

**6. Select M-cholinergic antagonists:**

- a) Atropine;
- b) Scopolamine;
- c) Homatropine;
- d) Trimethaphan;
- e) Azamethonium bromide;
- f) Darifenacine;
- g) Tropicamide;
- h) Pipecuronium bromide;
- i) Suxamethonium chloride;
- j) Trihexyphenidyl;
- k) Pirenzepine;
- l) Aprophen;
- m) Atracurium.

**7. N<sub>N</sub>-cholinoblockers:**

- a) Atropine;
- b) Pilocarpine;
- c) Pirenzepine;
- d) Trimethaphan;
- e) Azamethonium bromide.

**8. N<sub>M</sub>-cholinoblockers**

- a) Pipecuronium bromide;
- b) Pancuronium bromide;
- c) Atracurium;
- d) Neostigmine;
- e) Pyridostigmine.

**9. Pharmacological effects of M-cholinergic antagonists:**

- a) Pupil dilatation (mydriasis) and loss of light reflex;
- b) Decreasing of intraocular pressure;
- c) Cycloplegia;
- d) Bradycardia;
- e) Tachycardia;
- f) Decreased secretion of exocrine glands;
- g) Decreased secretion of bronchial glands.

**10. Effect of atropine on eye:**

- a) Contraction of circular muscle of the iris;
- b) Relaxation of the ciliary muscle.

**11. Effects of hyoscine hydrobromide on CNS:**

- a) CNS depression;
- b) Pleasure emotions;
- c) Paradoxal reaction with hallucinations in toxic doses;
- d) No effect.

**12. M-cholinergic antagonist used as bronchodilator:**

- a) Homatropine;
- b) Pirenzepine;
- c) Trimethaphan;
- d) Ipratropium bromide;
- e) Tropicamide;
- f) Darifenacine.

**13. Selective M<sub>3</sub>-cholinergic antagonists used to decrease tone of urinary bladder:**

- a) Propantheline bromide;
- b) Trihexyphenidyl;
- c) Darifenacine;
- d) Trepirium iodide;
- e) Suxamethonium chloride;
- f) Tolterodin.

**14. Indications for administration of M-anticholinergic drug:**

- a) Intestinal atony;
- b) Asthma;
- c) Reflex bradycardia;
- d) Renal and intestinal colics;
- e) Hypersecretion of salivary and bronchial glands;
- f) Gastric ulcer and duodenal ulcer;
- g) Hypoacid gastritis;
- h) Paralysis of accommodation.

**15. Atropine:**

- a) Reduces the heart rate;
- b) Increases the secretion of the salivary glands;
- c) Decreases the secretion of the salivary glands;
- d) Reduces the pupil (miosis);
- e) Paralyzes the urinary bladder and causes urinary retention;
- f) Non-selectively blocks M-cholinergic receptors.

**16. Ipratropium bromide:**

- a) Decreases the motility of the alimentary tract;
- b) Decreases the secretion of the bronchial glands;
- c) Increases the secretion of the bronchial glands;
- d) Dilates the bronchi;
- e) Causes bronchospasm.

**17. Scopolamine:**

- a) Increases the intraocular pressure;
- b) Intensifies the motility of the gastro-intestinal tract;
- c) Increases the secretion of the digestive glands;
- d) Relaxes the bronchial smooth muscle;
- e) Causes spasm of accommodation.

**18. Therapeutic uses of darifenacin:**

- a) Urinary disorders;
- b) Reduction of urinary incontinence;
- c) Glaucoma;
- d) Decreased secretion of the digestive glands;
- e) Bronchial asthma.

**19. Therapeutic uses of pirenzepine:**

- a) Reduction of secretion of the digestive glands;
- b) Peptic ulcer;
- c) Relieving the urinary incontinence;
- d) Bronchial asthma;
- e) As mydriatic.

**20. Tropicamide:**

- a) Reduces the intraocular pressure;
- b) Increases the intraocular pressure;
- c) Causes the spasm of accommodation;
- d) Causes the paralysis of accommodation;
- e) Reduces the pupil (miosis);
- f) Causes pupil dilatation (mydriasis);

**21. Therapeutic uses of tropicamide:**

- a) As mydriatic;
- b) As cycloplegic (to prevent hypertrophy of ciliary muscle);
- c) In patients with increased intraocular pressure;

- d) Treatment of bronchospasm;
- e) Treatment of the urinary incontinence.

**22. Atropine is used:**

- a) For the treatment of poisoning with anticholinesterase drugs;
- b) For the treatment of sialorrhoea (hypersalivation);
- c) Treatment of poisoning with overdosage of muscle relaxant drugs;
- d) For the treatment of intestinal atony;
- e) In patients with decreased body temperature.

**23. Trihexyphenidyl is used:**

- a) For the treatment of parkinsonism;
- b) For the treatment of bronchial asthma;
- c) For cycloplegia during testing of refraction;
- d) For the treatment of poisoning with muscle relaxant drugs.

**24. Drugs applied in case of an overdosage of atropine are:**

- a) Pyridostigmine bromide;
- b) Neostigmine;
- c) Acetylcholine chloride;
- d) Ipratropium bromide;
- e) Pipecuronium bromide.

**25. Choose the drugs that are used as cycloplegics (for testing of refraction or to prevent hypertrophy of ciliary muscle):**

- a) Ipratropium bromide;
- b) Pilocarpine;
- c) Homatropine;
- d) Tropicamide;
- e) Atropine.

**26. Pharmacological effects of ganglionic blockers:**

- a) Hypotension (reduction of blood pressure);
- b) Intensifying of the motility of the gastro-intestinal tract;
- c) Decreased motility of the gastro-intestinal tract;
- d) Mydriasis and paralysis of accommodation;
- e) Bronchodilatation;
- f) Bronchospasm;
- g) Decreased secretion of the digestive glands.

**27. Clinical applications for ganglionic blockers:**

- a) Arterial hypertension, hypertensive crisis;
- b) Spasm of arteriols;
- c) Gastric and duodenal ulcers;
- d) For adjustable hypotonia;
- e) Pulmonary edema;
- f) Cerebral edema.

**28. Side effect of ganglionic blockers are:**

- a) Postural hypotension;
- b) Intestinal atony;
- c) Miosis;

- d) Paralysis of accommodation;
- e) Xerostomia;
- f) Frequent urination;
- g) Intestinal atony;
- h) Atony of the urinary bladder.

**29. Aid measures in case of respiratory arrest caused by pipecuronium bromide:**

- a) Introduction of analeptics;
- b) Introduction of anticholinesterase drugs;
- c) Artificial lung ventilation.

**30. Pipecuronium bromide:**

- a) Facilitates the neuromuscular transmission;
- b) Interrupts the neuromuscular transmission;
- c) Raises the muscle tone;
- d) Reduces the muscle tone;
- e) Has no effect on muscle tone.

**31. The sequence of muscle relaxation after muscle relaxants application:**

- a) Hands, feet, limbs muscles;
- b) Diaphragm;
- c) Intercostal muscles;
- d) Oculomotor muscles;
- e) Neck and face muscles.

## ADRENERGIC DRUGS

**1. Specify selective  $\alpha_1$ -adrenomimetic:**

- a) Epinephrine;
- b) Dobutamine;
- c) Ephedrine;
- d) Phenylephrine;
- e) Isoprenaline;
- f) Salbutamol.

**2. Specify selective  $\alpha_2$ -adrenomimetic:**

- a) Amphetamine;
- b) Terbutaline;
- c) Clonidine;
- d) Salmeterol;
- e) Norepinephrine.

**3. Specify  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2$ -adrenomimetic:**

- a) Norepinephrine;
- b) Naphazoline;
- c) Dopamine;
- d) Isoprenaline;
- e) Phenylephrine.

**4. Specify sympatomimetic:**

- a) Phenylephrine;
- b) Dobutamine;
- c) Ephedrine;
- d) Salbutamol;
- e) Fenoterol.

**5. Isoprenaline causes:**

- a) Stimulation of  $\alpha$ - and  $\beta$ -receptors;



- b) Blocking of  $\alpha$ - and  $\beta$ -receptors;
- c) Selective stimulation of  $\beta_1$ -receptors;
- d) Selective stimulation of  $\beta_2$ -receptors;
- e) Stimulation of  $\beta_1$ ,  $\beta_2$  and  $\beta_3$ -receptors;
- f) Blocking of  $\beta_1$ ,  $\beta_2$  and  $\beta_3$ -receptors.

**6. Salbutamol causes:**

- a) Stimulation of  $\alpha$ - and  $\beta$ -receptors;
- b) Blocking of  $\alpha$ - and  $\beta$ -receptors;
- c) Selective stimulation of  $\beta_1$ -receptors;
- d) Selective stimulation of  $\beta_2$ -receptors;
- e) Stimulation of  $\beta_1$ ,  $\beta_2$  and  $\beta_3$ -receptors;
- f) Blocking of  $\beta_1$ ,  $\beta_2$  and  $\beta_3$ -receptors.

**7. Localization of sympathetic part of peripheral nervous system:**

- a) Cranial outflow;
- b) Thoracic outflow;
- c) Thoracolumbar outflow;
- d) Sacral outflow.

**8. Localization of  $\alpha_1$ -adrenoreceptors:**

- a) Bronchial smooth muscles;
- b) Uterus;
- c) Radial muscle of iris;
- d) Circular muscle of iris;
- e) Gastro-intestinal sphincters;
- f) Pilo-motor smooth muscle;
- g) Urinary sphincter;
- h) Spleen capsule.

**9. Localization of  $\alpha_2$  -adrenoreceptors:**

- a) Cardiac conduction system;
- b) Presynaptic nerves;
- c) Thrombocytes;
- d) Adipose tissue;
- e) Bronchial smooth muscle;
- f) Radial muscle of iris.

**10. Localization of  $\beta_1$ -adrenoreceptors:**

- a) Blood vessels;
- b) Heart;
- c) Cardiac conduction system;
- d) Bronchial smooth muscle;
- e) Uterus;
- f) Juxtaglomerular apparatus.

**11. Localization of  $\beta_2$ -adrenoreceptors:**

- a) Blood vessels;
- b) Cardiac conduction system;
- c) Bronchial smooth muscle;
- d) Uterus;
- e) Juxtaglomerular apparatus;
- f) Blood vessels of skeletal muscle.

**12. Localization of  $D_1$ -receptors:**

- a) Blood vessels;
- b) Bronchial smooth muscle;
- c) Mesenteric vessels;
- d) Adipose tissue;
- e) Blood vessels of the kidney;
- f) Intestinal tract.

**13. Effects associated with the activation of  $\alpha_1$ -adrenoceptor:**

- a) Constriction of blood vessels;
- b) Dilation of blood vessels;
- c) Myosis;
- d) Decreased blood pressure;
- e) Reflex bradycardia;
- f) An increase in tone GI sphincter;
- g) Mydriasis;
- h) An increase in arterial pressure.

**14. Effects of activation of  $\alpha_2$ -receptors:**

- a) An increase in NE release;
- b) A decrease in NE release;
- c) An increase in the heart rate;
- d) Activation of platelet adhesion;
- e) Decreased platelet adhesion;
- f) Lipolysis inhibition.

**15. Stimulation of  $\beta_1$ -adrenergic receptors causes the following changes in the indices of the heart:**

- a) An increase in the heart rate and myocardial contractility;
- b) A decrease in the excitability;
- c) An increase in automaticity and conduction velocity;
- d) Decrease in automaticity and conduction velocity;
- e) An increase in the cardiac output;
- f) A decrease in the cardiac output;
- g) A decrease in the heart rate and myocardial contractility;
- h) An increase in excitability.

**16. Effect of activation of  $\beta_1$ -receptors:**

- a) Increased renin secretion;
- b) Decreased renin secretion;
- c) Increased arterial pressure;
- d) Decreased arterial pressure;
- e) Bronchospasm;
- f) Bronchodilation;
- g) Increased basal metabolism;
- h) Decreased basal metabolism;
- i) Increased glycogenolysis;
- j) Decreased glycogenolysis;
- k) Lipolysis activation;
- l) Lipolysis inhibition.

**17. Effect of activation of  $\beta_2$ -receptors:**

- a) Increased heart rate;
- b) Vasodilation;
- c) Bronchodilation;
- d) Increased tone and contractile activity of the myometrium;
- e) Decreased tone and contractile activity of the myometrium;
- f) Increased glycogenolysis.

**18. Effect of activation of  $\beta_3$ -receptors:**

- a) Increased glycogenolysis;
- b) Decreased glycogenolysis;
- c) Lipolysis activation;
- d) Increased blood free fatty acids;
- e) Hyperglycemia;
- f) Hypoglycemia.

**19. Effect of activation of  $D_1$ -receptors:**

- a) Reduction of the tone of blood vessels in skeletal muscles, kidney, GIT, heart, CNS;
- b) An increase in the tone of blood vessels in skeletal muscles, kidney, GIT, heart, CNS;
- c) Increased heart rate;
- d) Decreased heart rate.

**20. Drugs are applied for the treatment of asthma:**

- a) Propranolol;
- b) Ephedrine;
- c) Norepinephrine;
- d) Isoprenaline;
- e) Xylometazoline;
- f) Salbutamol;
- g) Fenoterol.

**21. Drugs are locally applied in rhinitis:**

- a) Propranolol;
- b) Oxymetazoline;
- c) Ephedrine;
- d) Isoprenaline;
- e) Phenylephrine;
- f) Salbutamol;
- g) Xylometazoline.

**22. Drugs are used for the treatment of arterial hypotension:**

- a) Phenylephrine;
- b) Epinephrine;
- c) Ephedrine;
- d) Salbutamol;
- e) Dobutamine;

**23.  $\beta_1$ -Agonists are used to treating the following diseases:**

- a) Hypotension;
- b) Bronchial asthma;
- c) Arrhythmia;
- d) Atrioventricular heart block;
- e) Congestive cardiac failure.

**24. Correct statements about epinephrine:**

- a) It is the transmitter in the sympathetic system;
- b) Synthesis of catecholamines begins with the amino acid tyrosine;
- c) Mediate negative-feedback control on NE secretion;
- d) The all epinephrine gets inactivation in liver by catechol-O-methyltransferase (COMT).

**25. Epinephrine has the following effects:**

- a) Cardiac stimulation;
- b) Constriction blood vessels of the muscle;
- c) Constriction blood vessels of the skin;
- d) Bronchodilatation;
- e) Hyperglycemia.

**26. Epinephrine is used for:**

- a) Essential hypertension;
- b) Anaphylactic shock;
- c) Bronchial asthma;
- d) Arteritis obliterans;
- e) Cardiac resuscitation;
- f) Hypoglycemia;
- g) Extension of the duration of local anaesthesia.

**27. Dopamine has the following features:**

- a) Stimulation of only dopamine-receptor;
- b) Dilates renal blood vessels;

- c) May cause severe heart failure with renal impairment;
- d) Cross the BBB;
- e) Route of administration is orally only.

**28. Dopamine is used for treating the following diseases:**

- a) Congestive cardiac failure;
- b) Essential hypertension;
- c) Hypotension;
- d) Cardiogenic shock;
- e) Bronchial asthma;
- f) Oligouric shock.

**29. Correct statements about ephedrine:**

- a) Releases NE from sympathetic nerve endings;
- b) Administer orally;
- c) The duration of its action is less than epinephrine's one;
- d) The onset of action is slower than epinephrine has;
- e) It has a more pronounced effect on the central nervous system than epinephrine.

**30. Drugs that can cause bronchodilation:**

- a) Epinephrine;
- b) Ephedrine;
- c) Phenylephrine;
- d) Isoprenaline;
- e) Salbutamol.

### ADRENERGIC ANTAGONISTS

**1.  $\beta_1$ -adrenergic antagonist, which additionally stimulates NO (nitrogen oxide) release:**

- a) Sotalol;
- b) Nadolol;
- c) Nebivolol;
- d) Pindolol.

**2.  $\beta_1, \beta_2$ -adrenergic antagonist with intrinsic sympathomimetic activity (ISA):**

- a) Metoprolol;
- b) Pindolol;
- c) Labetalol;
- d) Phentolamine.

**3.  $\beta_1$ -adrenergic antagonist with intrinsic sympathomimetic activity (ISA):**

- a) Tamsulosin;
- b) Pindolol;
- c) Propranolol;
- d) Acebutolol.

**4. Used to treat glaucoma:**

- a) Propranolol;
- b) Yohimbine;
- c) Timolol;
- d) Guanethidine.

**5. For the treatment of benign prostatic hyperplasia (BPH) used:**

- a) Phentolamine; Tamsulosin;
- b) Prazosin; Carvedilol.

**6. Alfa-adrenergic (both selective and non-selective) antagonists:**

- a) Nadolol;
- b) Prazosin;
- c) Labetalol;
- d) Yohimbine;
- e) Clonidine;
- f) Phentolamine;
- g) Metoprolol;
- h) Tamsulosin;
- i) Dihydroergotamine;
- j) Guanethidine.

**7.  $\alpha_2$ -adrenergic antagonist:**

- a) Tamsulosin;
- b) Carvedilol;
- c) Yohimbine;
- d) Timolol.

**8. Beta-adrenergic (both selective and non-selective) antagonists:**

- a) Reserpine;
- b) Prazosin;
- c) Propranolol;
- d) Nebivolol;
- e) Guanethidine;
- f) Terazosin;
- g) Nadolol;
- h) Doxazosin;
- i) Atenolol;
- j) Metoprolol.

**9. Mixed-action (alfa and beta) adrenergic antagonists:**

- a) Guanethidine;
- b) Phentolamine;
- c) Labetalol;
- d) Timolol;
- e) Carvedilol;
- f) Dihydroergotamine.

**10. Sympatholytics:**

- a) Guanethidine;
- b) Yohimbine;
- c) Prazosin;
- d) Reserpine;
- e) Sotalol.

**11.  $\alpha_1$ -adrenergic antagonists:**

- a) Nadolol;
- b) Prazosin;
- c) Phentolamine;
- d) Tamsulosin;
- e) Doxazosin;
- f) Labetalol.

**12.  $\alpha_1$ ,  $\alpha_2$ -adrenergic antagonists:**

- a) Propranolol;
- b) Terazosin;
- c) Phentolamine;
- d) Acebutolol;
- e) Dihydroergotamine.

**13.  $\beta_1$ ,  $\beta_2$ -adrenergic antagonists without intrinsic sympathomimetic activity (ISA):**

- a) Propranolol;
- b) Phentolamine;
- c) Carvedilol;
- d) Nadolol;
- e) Doxazosin;
- f) Sotalol;
- g) Prazosin;
- h) Guanethidine;
- i) Timolol;
- j) Phenylephrine.

**14. Selective  $\beta_1$ -adrenergic antagonists without intrinsic sympathomimetic activity (ISA):**

- a) Sotalol;
- b) Metoprolol;
- c) Atenolol;
- d) Reserpine;
- e) Phentolamine;
- f) Bisoprolol;
- g) Timolol;
- h) Propranolol;
- i) Nebivolol;
- j) Dihydroergotamine.

**15.  $\alpha$ -adrenergic antagonists decrease:**

- a) Bronchi tone;
- c) Heart rate;
- d) Blood pressure;
- e) Smooth muscle tone in the neck of urinary bladder and prostatic urethra.
- b) Vascular tone;

**16.  $\beta$ -adrenergic antagonists decrease:**

- a) Heart rate;
- b) Bronchi tone;
- c) Vascular tone;
- d) Myocardial contractility;
- e) Automaticity;
- f) Secretion renin.

**17.  $\beta$ -adrenergic antagonists may increase:**

- a) Heart rate;
- b) Vascular tone;
- c) Secretion of intraocular fluid;
- d) Bronchi tone;
- e) Activity of the myometrium;
- f) Myocardial oxygen demand.

**18. Effects of propranolol:**

- a) Decrease automaticity;
- b) Atrioventricular conduction delay;
- c) Release of glucose;
- d) Decrease blood pressure;
- e) Increase renin secretion;
- f) Increase tone and contractile activity of the myometrium.

**19. Timolol decrease:**

- a) Blood pressure;
- b) Myocardial oxygen demand;
- c) Activity and tone of the myometrium;
- d) Automatism of heart;
- e) Intraocular fluid;
- f) Bronchi tone.

**20. Labetalol increase:**

- a) Heart rate and contractility;
- b) Bronchi tone (in patient with asthma);
- c) Cardiac output;
- d) Vascular tone;
- e) Blood pressure.

**21. Effects of reserpine:**

- a) Decrease blood pressure;
- b) Bradycardia;
- c) Reduces the secretion of gastric acid;
- d) Increases the release of gastric acid;
- e) Increase motion of the gastro-intestinal tract;
- f) Induction CNS;
- g) Sedation.

**22. Indications for use of  $\alpha$ -adrenergic antagonists:**

- a) Hypotension;
- b) Arterial hypertension;
- c) Spasms of peripheral blood vessels;
- d) Pheochromocytoma;
- e) Prostatic hyperplasia.

**23. Indications for use of  $\beta$ -adrenergic antagonists:**

- a) Hypotension;
- b) Arterial hypertension;
- c) Atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease;
- d) Delayed atrioventricular conduction;
- e) Bronchial asthma;
- f) Tachyarrhythmia.

**24. Indications for use of labetalol:**

- a) Hypertensive crisis;
- b) Arterial hypertension;
- c) Tachyarrhythmia;
- d) Open-angle glaucoma;
- e) Pheochromocytoma.

**25. Drugs for the treatment of arterial hypertension:**

- a) Doxazosin;
- b) Aceclidine;
- c) Metoprolol;
- d) Physostigmine;
- e) Phenylephrine;
- f) Prazosin;
- g) Ephedrine;
- h) Labetalol;
- i) Propranolol;
- j) Reserpine.

**26. Side effects of  $\alpha$ -adrenergic antagonists:**

- a) Bronchospasm;
- b) Tachycardia;
- c) Depress A–V nodal activity;
- d) Postural hypotension;
- e) Mydriasis.

**27. Side effects of  $\beta_1, \beta_2$ -adrenergic antagonists:**

- a) Bradycardia;
- b) Depress A–V nodal activity;
- c) Vasoconstriction;
- d) May cause bronchospasm;
- e) Decrease tone and contractile activity of the myometrium;
- f) Intestinal atony.

**28. Side effects of  $\beta_1$ -adrenergic antagonists:**

- a) Bradycardia;
- b) Depress A–V nodal activity;
- c) Increase cardiac failure;
- d) Vasoconstriction;
- e) Bronchospasm;
- f) Increase tone and contractile activity of the myometrium.

**29. Drugs that cause postural hypotension:**

- a) Prazosin;
- b) Phentolamine;
- c) Propranolol;
- d) Atenolol;
- e) Labetalol.

**30. Side effects of  $\alpha, \beta$ -adrenergic antagonists:**

- a) Postural hypotension;
- b) Bradycardia;
- c) Depress A–V nodal activity;
- d) Increase cardiac failure;
- e) May cause bronchospasm;
- f) Vasoconstriction.

## DIURETIC DRUGS

**1. Localization of action of thiazide and thiazide-like diuretics in nephron:**

- a) Proximal renal tubules;
- b) The ascending part of Henle's loop;
- c) Distal renal tubules (final part);

- d) Distal renal tubules (initial part);
- e) Collector renal tubules.

**2. Localization of action of furosemide and bumetanide in nephron:**

- a) Proximal renal tubules;
- b) The ascending part of Henle's loop;
- c) Distal renal tubules;
- d) Collector renal tubules;
- e) The descending part of Henle's loop.

**3. Localization of action of potassium-sparing diuretics in nephron:**

- a) Proximal renal tubules;
- b) The ascending part of Henle's loop;
- c) Distal renal tubules (initial part);
- d) Collector renal tubules;
- e) Glomerulus.

**4. Localization of action of osmotic diuretics in nephron:**

- a) Acting on the all nephron;
- b) The ascending part of Henle's loop;
- c) Distal renal tubules (initial part);
- d) Collector renal tubules;
- e) Only proximal renal tubules.

**5. Pharmacodynamic features of hydrochlorothiazide:**

- a) Inhibits reabsorption of  $\text{Na}^+$ ,  $\text{Cl}^-$ ,  $\text{HCO}_3^-$  ions;
- b) Remains  $\text{K}^+$ -ions in the organism;
- c) Effects lasts for 4–8 hours;
- d) Effects lasts more than 24 hours;
- e) Increases the action of antihypertensive drugs;
- f) Increases the reabsorption of  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  ions.

**6. Properties of furosemide are as follows:**

- a) Low speed of onset;
- b) Short duration of the effect (2–4 hours);
- c) High diuretic potency;
- d) Decreasing of the blood pressure;
- e) Increasing of the reabsorption of  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  и  $\text{Mg}^{2+}$  ions;
- f) Acts on the proximal renal tubules.

**7. Properties of spironolactone:**

- a) Decreases  $\text{K}^+$  ions excretion;
- b) Delays the  $\text{Na}^+$  ions excretion;
- c) Has high efficacy;
- d) High speed of onset;
- e) Blocks the synthesis of aldosterone;
- f) Clinical uses include condition of increased aldosterone secretion.



**8. Properties of acetazolamide:**

- a) Decreases  $K^+$  ions excretion;
- b) Inhibits the reabsorption of  $Na^+$ ,  $Cl^-$ ,  $HCO_3^-$  ions;
- c) Clinical uses include condition of increased aldosterone secretion;
- d) Clinical uses include glaucoma;
- e) Long-term application can causes the acidosis;
- f) Deafness is typical adverse effect.

**9. Mannitol:**

- a) Inhibits  $Na^+-K^+-2Cl^-$  co-transporter in the thick ascending part of Henle's loop;
- b) Increases osmotic pressure in the renal tubules;
- c) Can be used as dehydrator;
- d) Is indicated for forced diuresis;
- e) Is indicated in the case of chronic heart failure;
- f) Is well absorbed in the intestine.

**10. The following drugs can be used for the treatment of arterial hypertension:**

- a) Hydrochlorothiazide;
- b) Furosemide;
- c) Mannitol;
- d) Spironolactone;
- e) Acetazolamide;
- f) Indapamide.

**11. The following drugs can be used for forced diuresis:**

- a) Bendroflumethiazide;
- b) Triamterene;
- c) Spironolactone;
- d) Mannitol;
- e) Furosemide;
- f) Metolazone.

**12. Choose the practical combinations of diuretics:**

- a) Furosemide+acetazolamide;
- b) Hydrochlorthiazide+amiloride;
- c) Amiloride+triamterene;
- d) Triamterene+chlorthalidone;
- e) Spironolactone+hydrochlorthiazide;
- f) Mannitol+acetazolamide.

**13. Hydrochlorthiazide and furosemide can be combined for the following purposes:**

- a) Prophylaxis of hypercalcemia;
- b) Prophylaxis of hypokalemia;
- c) Increasing the duration of action;
- d) Changing the pH of the urine;
- e) Inhibition of the secretion of aldosterone.

#### 14. Indications of loop diuretics:

- a) Edema, caused by heart failure;
- b) Pulmonary edema;
- c) Acute hypercalcemia;
- d) Hypokalemia caused by thiazide diuretics;
- e) Brain edema;
- f) Elevated antidiuretic hormone.

#### 15. Indications of thiazide diuretics:

- a) Nephrogenic diabetes insipidus;
- b) Hypertension;
- c) Congestive heart failure;
- d) For forced diuresis;
- e) Idiopathic calciuria;
- f) Toxic pulmonary edema.

### ANTIHYPERTENSIVE DRUGS

#### 1. Arterial blood pressure is directly proportionate to:

- a) Cardiac output and peripheral vascular resistance;
- b) Heart rate and peripheral vascular resistance;
- c) Stroke volume and heart rate;
- d) Cardiac output and heart rate;
- e) All answer choices are not correct.

#### 2. What antihypertensive drug can block the production of renin?

- a) Prazosin;
- b) Metoprolol;
- c) Captopril;
- d) Sodium nitroprusside;
- e) Diazoxide;
- f) Clonidine.

#### 3. What diuretic should be prescribed in case of hypertensive crises complicated by pulmonary edema?

- a) Furosemide;
- b) Indapamide;
- c) Triamterene;
- d) Mannitol;
- e) Bendroflumethiazide;
- f) Chlortalidone.

#### 4. Targets of antihypertensive drugs are:

- a)  $\beta$ -adrenergic receptors;
- b)  $\alpha_2$ -adrenergic receptors;
- c)  $I_1$ -imidazoline receptors;
- d)  $\alpha_1$ -adrenergic receptors;
- e) angiotensin-II receptors;
- f)  $N_m$ -cholinergic receptors.

#### 5. Mechanisms of hypotensive action of diuretics:

- a) Reduction of the circulating blood volume;
- b) Increase in the synthesis of vasolitic prostaglandins in the kidney;
- c) Reduction of the vessel response to vasoconstrictors;
- d) For some diuretics – direct vasolytic action;
- e) A decrease in the heart rate.

#### 6. Typical side-effects of thiazides and thiazide-like diuretics:

- a) Electrolyte disturbances;
- b) Dry cough, rashes;
- c) Swellings;
- d) Hyperglycemia;
- e) Hyperlipidemia;
- f) Hyperuricemia.

**7. Counter indications of ACE-inhibitors:**

- a) Pregnancy;
- b) Bilateral renal artery stenosis;
- c) Hyperpotassemia;
- d) Heart failure;
- e) Hypopotassemia.

**8. Clonidine:**

- a) Has analgesic activity;
- b) Is precursor of norepinephrine;
- c) Rapid infusion can lead to a shortly increased blood pressure;
- d) Has effects of anxiolytic, sedative drug and amnesia;
- e) Can treat withdrawal symptoms in opioid and alcohol addicts.

**9. Non-selective  $\beta$ -adrenergic blockers shouldn't be applied in patients with bronchial asthma and chronic obstruction pulmonary disease because of:**

- a) Block of  $\beta_2$ -adrenergic receptors can lead to bronchospasm;
- b) Stimulation of gland secretion;
- c) Intensification of pulmonary blood supply;
- d) Negative influence on gas exchange;
- e) Inhibition of the cells respiration.

**10. Methyldopa:**

- a) Is first-line antihypertensive drug during pregnancy;
- b) Can cause orthostatic hypotension;
- c) Is used for relief of hypertensive crises;
- d) Has the same final effect as clonidine;
- e) Does not pass through blood-brain barrier.

**11. The main aims of treatment of arterial hypertension:**

- a) Reduce blood pressure to lower the point of 140/90 mmHg;
- b) Prevention of eventual end-organ damage (heart, kidney, brain);
- c) Prevention of cardiovascular complications, increasing the life expectancy;
- d) Relief the hypertensive crises, everything else does not matter;
- e) Keep blood pressure at the level of feeling well, without complaints.

**12. During the treatment of arterial hypertension with  $\alpha$ -adrenergic antagonists can be:**

- a) Reflex tachycardia;
- b) Bradycardia;
- c) Increased plasma concentrations of very-low-density lipoproteins;
- d) Decreased sympathetic influence;
- e) Improvement of blood supply in peripheral arteries.

**13. Ganglionic blockers can be used in case of:**

- a) Long-term treatment of arterial hypertension;
- b) Relief of hypertensive crises;
- c) Controlled hypotension;

- d) Increase in blood pressure in patients with collapse;
- e) Ganglionic blockers do not change the blood pressure.

**14. What is the mechanism of action of calcium channel blockers (one answer)?**

- a) Interact with membrane phospholipid and inhibit ion transport;
- b) Block the  $\text{Na}^+/\text{K}^+$  ATPase in smooth muscles and heart;
- c) Interact with definite domen of calcium L-type channel;
- d) Decrease the  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  influx as a result of interactions with sodium-channels;
- e) Disturb the actin-myosin interaction.

**15. Side-effects of vasodilating calcium channel blockers:**

- a) Ankle swellings
- b) Head ache
- c) Bradycardia
- d) Reflex tachycardia

**ANTIANGINAL AND HYPOLIPIDEMIC DRUGS**

**1. Atenolol:**

- a) Cardioselective  $\beta$ -adrenergic antagonists;
- b) Has intrinsic symphatomimetic activity;
- c) Pass through blood-brain barrier;
- d) Dilate coronary vessels;
- e) Can be used for relief of angina attacks.

**2. Verapamil:**

- a) Can be applicated to treat vasospastic (or variant) angina pectoris;
- b) Speed up the conduction through the AV node;
- c) Increase the heart rate;
- d) Dilate all vessels except coronary;
- e) Is used for relief of angina attacks.

**3. Mechanism of antianginal effect of isosorbide mononitrate:**

- a) Blocks the calcium channels;
- b) Activates the potassium channels;
- c) Releases of nitric oxide (NO);
- d) Blocks  $\beta$ -adrenergic receptors;
- e) Blocks  $\alpha$ -adrenergic receptors.

**4. Define the antianginal drugs:**

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|----------------------------|----------------|
| a) Metoprolol;             | d) Enalapril;  |
| b) Clonidine;              | e) Indapamide; |
| c) Isosorbide mononitrate; | f) Amlodipin.  |

**5.  $\beta$ -adrenergic antagonists:**

- a) Dilate coronary vessels;
- b) Dilate large veins, decrease the amount of blood returned to the heart;
- c) Increase the myocardial oxygen supply;
- d) Decrease the myocardial oxygen demand;
- e) Decrease heart rate and contractility.

**6. Propranolol:**

- a) Selective  $\beta_1$ -adrenoreceptor blockers;
- b) Antagonist with intrinsic sympathomimetic activity;
- c) Can cause bronchospasm;
- d) Passes into CNS, causes depression;
- e) Dilates coronary vessels.

**7. Metoprolol:**

- a) Cardioselective  $\beta$ -adrenergic antagonist;
- b) Passes through blood-brain barrier;
- c) Dilates coronary vessels;
- d) Does not change heart rate;
- e) Causes «coronary steal phenomenon».

**8. Side-effects of propranolol:**

- a) Disturbance of atrioventricular conduction;
- b) Bronchospasm;
- c) Depression, sedation, sleeplessness;
- d) An increase in blood pressure;
- e) An increase in intraocular pressure.

**9. The preload and the afterload are decreased by:**

- a) Metoprolol;
- b) Verapamil;
- c) Nitroglycerin;
- d) Isosorbide mononitrate;
- e) Trinitrolong.

**10. Reflex tachycardia is caused by:**

- a) Isosorbide dinitrate;
- b) Metoprolol;
- c) Nifedipine;
- d) Verapamil;
- e) Amlodipin.

**11. Atrioventricular conduction can be disturbed by:**

- a) Nitroglycerin;
- b) Atenolol;
- c) Verapamil;
- d) Trimetazidine;
- e) Molsidomine.

**12. Amlodipin:**

- a) Is vasodilating calcium channel blocker;
- b) Has antiarrhythmic activity;
- c) Causes increased plasma concentrations of very-low-density lipoproteins;
- d) Has antihypertensive activity;
- e) Can cause reflex tachycardia.

**13. Nicorandil:**

- a) Is a nicotinamide nitrate ester;
- b) Decreases the preload and afterload;
- c) Potassium channels activator;
- d) Is the first-line drug for relief of angina attack;
- e) Blocks  $\beta$ -adrenergic receptors.

**14. Common properties of propranolol and verapamil:**

- a) Decrease force of myocardial contraction;
- b) Decrease myocardial oxygen demand;
- c) Cause coronary steal phenomenon;
- d) Inhibit atrioventricular conduction;
- e) Can cause bronchospasm.

**15. First-line drugs for pain relief in case of myocardial infarction:**

- a) Morphine;
- b) Metamizole;
- c) Fentanyl;
- d) Keterolac;
- e) Validol.

**DRUGS USED FOR THE TREATMENT OF HEART FAILURE**

**1. ACE inhibitors are the first-line drugs in the treatment of chronic heart failure because of:**

- a) Retard remodeling and cardiac hypertrophy;
- b) Deftly manage with control of drug plasma concentration;
- c) Improvement of pump heart function, that's why improvement of clinical symptoms;
- d) High tolerability and low cost;
- e) They can be applied one time a day.

**2. The main benefit of  $\beta$ -adrenergic antagonists in the treatment of chronic heart failure:**

- a) Reduction of heart remodeling and improvement of prognosis;
- b) Improvement of clinical symptoms and quality of life;
- c) An increase of pump heart function;
- d) High tolerability and low cost;
- e) Monotherapy.

**3. Correct assumptions about diuretic usage in the treatment of chronic heart failure:**

- a) Indication is clinical symptoms of congestion (start with class II failure);
- b) Loop diuretics are prefer;
- c) Reduce the heart remodeling;
- d) Improve the prognosis because retard the progress of chronic heart failure;
- e) Pulse-therapy is effective only.

**4. The main groups of drugs in the treatment of chronic heart failure:**

- a) Renin-angiotensin system inhibitors;
- b) Diuretic drugs;
- c) Cardiac glycosides;
- d)  $\beta$ -adrenergic antagonists;
- e) Vasodilators;
- f) Calcium channel blockers.

**5. Miscellaneous groups of drugs in the treatment of chronic heart failure:**

- a) Cytoprotective agents;
- b) Diuretic drugs;
- c) Antiplatelet drugs;
- d)  $\beta$ -adrenergic antagonists;
- e) Vasodilators;
- f) Calcium channel blockers.

**6. For the following ACE inhibitors improvement of prognosis in the treatment of chronic heart failure are provided:**

- a) Trandalopril;
- b) Captopril;
- c) Enalapril;
- d) Ramipril;
- e) Lisinopril;
- f) Fosinopril.

**7. Potassium chloride is indicated in the treatment of digoxin toxicity because of:**

- a) High level of potassium inhibits glycoside's binding to  $\text{Na}^+\text{-K}^+\text{-ATPase}$ ;
- b) High level of potassium induces glycoside's binding to  $\text{Na}^+\text{-K}^+\text{-ATPase}$ ;
- c) High level of potassium increases  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  level in myocyte cells;
- d) High level of potassium induces conduction from atriums to ventricles;
- e) Potassium chloride is counter-indicated in the treatment of digoxin toxicity.

**8. Effects of the treatment of chronic heart failure with cardiac glycosides:**

- a) Improve of prognosis;
- b) Slow down the progression of disease;
- c) Clinical benefits;
- d) Improve quality of life;
- e) Extend life span.

**9. Angiotensin-converting-enzyme inhibitors with long-term action (can be applicated one time a day):**

- a) Captopril;
- b) Amlodipine;
- c) Lisinopril;
- d) Ramipril;
- e) Trandalopril.

**10. Cardioselective  $\beta$ -adrenergic antagonists:**

- a) Bisoprolol;
- b) Metoprolol;
- c) Carvedilol;
- d) Propranolol;
- e) Atenolol.

**11. Drugs increasing myocardial contractility and are phosphodiesterase inhibitors:**

- a) Dopamine;
- b) Dobutamine;
- c) Milrinone;
- d) Enoximone;
- e) Vesnarinone.

**12. Effective measures in the treatment of digoxin toxicity are:**

- a) Infusion of unithiol;
- b) Infusion of potassium chloride;
- c) Treatment of AV-block with atropine;
- d) Treatment with ventricle arrhythmias with lidocaine;
- e) Renal dialysis;
- f) Infusion of drugs containing  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$ .

**13. Excess of dose over mean therapeutic dose of dopamine can cause:**

- a) An increase in peripheral vascular resistance;
- b) A decrease in blood pressure;
- c) Arrhythmias;
- d) Tachycardia;
- e) Orthostatic collapse;
- f) Angina attack in patients with chronic heart failure.

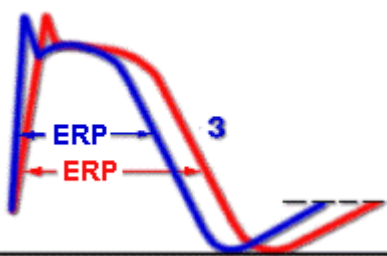
**14. Counter indications of cardiac glycosides:**

- a) Tachyarrhythmical form of continuous arrhythmia;
- b) Heart failure;
- c) Supraventricular tachycardia;
- d) AV block;
- e) Ventricular extrasystole;
- f) Bradycardia.

**15. Unithiol can be used in the treatment of digoxin toxicity because:**

- g) Stimulates of function of troponin complex proteins in cardiomyocytes;
- h) Force the metabolism of glycosides in the liver;
- i) Derease the  $\text{Ca}^{2+}$  influx in cardiomyocytes;
- j) Recover the SH-groups of  $\text{Na}^+\text{-K}^+\text{-ATPase}$  in cardiomyocytes.

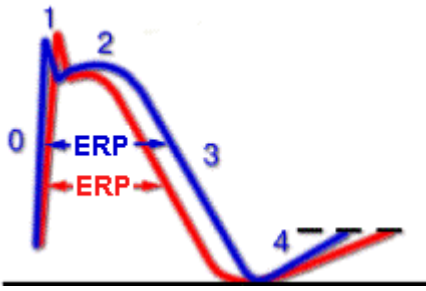
**ANTIARRHYTHMIC DRUGS**



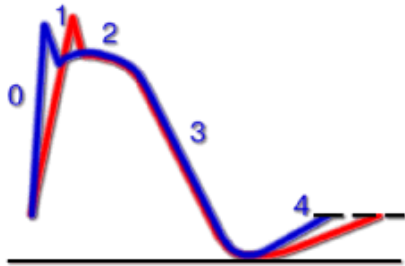
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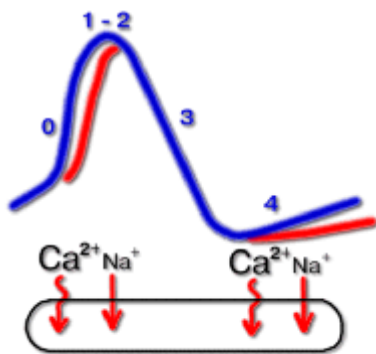




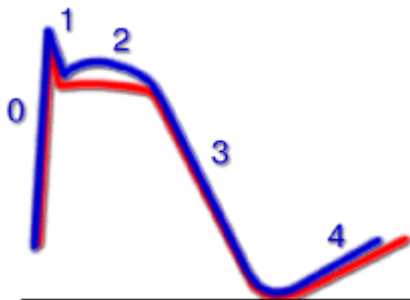
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6. Define correct assertions about antiarrhythmic drugs with class IV:

- a) By blocking voltage-gated sodium channels they slow the phase 0 of action potential;

- b) They block calcium channels;
- c) They slow conduction through SA and AV nodes;
- d) They facilitate the potassium channels gating, it leads to shortening of effective refractory period;
- e) They block  $\beta_1$ -adrenergic receptors, it decreases automatism of SA and AV nodes.

**7. Define correct assertions about antiarrhythmic drugs with class IA:**

- a) By blocking voltage-gated sodium channels they slow the phase 0 of action potential;
- b) By blocking potassium channels they prolong repolarization and effective refractory period;
- c) They slow conduction through SA and AV nodes by blocking calcium channels;
- d) They facilitate the potassium channels gating, it leads to shortening of effective refractory period;
- e) They block  $\beta_1$ -adrenergic receptors, it decreases automatism of SA and AV nodes.

**8. Define correct assertions about antiarrhythmic drugs with class IB:**

- a) By blocking voltage-gated sodium channels they slow the phase 0 of action potential;
- b) By blocking potassium channels they prolong repolarization and effective refractory period;
- c) They slow conduction through SA and AV nodes by blocking calcium channels;
- d) They facilitate the potassium channels gating, it leads to shortening of effective refractory period;
- e) They block  $\beta_1$ -adrenergic receptors, it decreases automatism of SA and AV nodes.

**9. Define correct assertions about antiarrhythmic drugs with class IC:**

- a) By blocking voltage-gated sodium channels they slow the phase 0 of action potential;
- b) By blocking potassium channels they prolong repolarization and effective refractory period;
- c) They slow conduction through SA and AV nodes by blocking calcium channels;
- d) They do not change the duration of effective refractory period;
- e) They block  $\beta_1$ -adrenergic receptors, it decreases automatism of SA and AV nodes.

**10. Define correct assertions about antiarrhythmic drugs with class II:**

- a) By blocking voltage-gated sodium channels they slow the phase 0 of action potential;

- b) By blocking potassium channels they prolong repolarization and effective refractory period;
- c) They slow conduction through SA and AV nodes by blocking calcium channels;
- d) They block  $\beta_1$ -adrenergic receptors;
- e) They decrease automatism of SA and AV nodes.

**11. What antiarrhythmic drugs bind with voltage-gated sodium channels firmly?**

- a) Antiarrhythmic drugs with class IA;
- b) Antiarrhythmic drugs with class IB;
- c) Antiarrhythmic drugs with class IC;
- d) All antiarrhythmic drugs with class I;
- e) Antiarrhythmic drugs with class I do not bind with sodium channels at all.

**12. Antiarrhythmic drugs that dissociate from the channel with rapid kinetics are:**

- a) Drugs with class IA;
- b) Drugs with class IB;
- c) Drugs with class IC;
- d) All antiarrhythmic drugs with class I;
- e) Antiarrhythmic drugs with class I do not bind with sodium channels at all.

**13. Amiodarone:**

- a) Blocks voltage-gated sodium channels (slows the phase 0 of action potential)
- b) By blocking potassium channels it prolongs repolarization and effective refractory period
- c) Blocks calcium channels
- d) It facilitates the potassium channels gating, it leads to shortening of effective refractory period
- e) It blocks  $\beta_1$ -adrenergic receptors, it decreases automatism of SA and AV nodes

**14. Side effects of amiodarone:**

- a) AV block;
- b) Dysfunction of thyroid gland;
- c) Corneal microdeposits;
- d) A gray-blue skin discoloration;
- e) Photosensibilization, photodermatitis;
- f) Arterial hypertension.

**15. Side effects of drugs with class II:**

- a) Bronchospasm;
- b) Bradycardia;
- c) An increase in blood pressure;
- d) AV block;
- e) Heart failure;
- f) An increase in intraocular pressure.

**GENERAL ANESTHETICS. ETHYL ALCOHOL.  
ANTICONVULSANTS. ANALGETICS**

**1. Definition of general anesthesia includes all the following except of:**

- a) Analgesia;
- b) Amnesia;
- c) Psychostimulation;
- d) Skeletal muscle relaxation;
- e) Unconsciousness.

**2. Minimal Alveolar Concentration (MAC) of inhaled anesthetics is:**

- a) Concentration of inhaled anesthetics in inspired gas to prevent a response to a surgical incision over 50 % (effect of analgesia occurs);
- b) Concentration of inhaled anesthetics in inspired gas to prevent a response to a surgical incision in the proximity of 100 % (effect of analgesia occurs);
- c) Concentration of inhaled anesthetics in the blood causing apnea in the proximity of 50 %;
- d) Concentration of inhaled anesthetics in inspired gas causing surgical anesthesia in the proximity of 50 %.

**3. Ideal anesthetic drug should:**

- a) Induce slow general anesthesia and be rapidly reversible upon discontinuation;
- b) Induce rapid general anesthesia and be slowly reversible upon discontinuation;
- c) Induce rapid general anesthesia and be rapidly reversible upon discontinuation;
- d) Induce slow general anesthesia and be slowly reversible upon discontinuation;
- e) Speed of induction of general anesthesia make no difference.

**4. Type of general anesthesia, based on combination of general anesthetics with drugs potentiated them (opioid analgesics, anxiolytics, skeletal muscle relaxants and others) is:**

- a) Mixed anesthesia;
- b) Potentiated anesthesia;
- c) Basis anesthesia;
- d) Induction of anesthesia;
- e) Neuroleptanalgesia.

**5. Method of general anesthesia beginning that provides rapid, safety and effective loss of consciousness, analgesia and skeletal muscle relaxation:**

- a) Mixed anesthesia;
- b) Potentiated anesthesia;
- c) Basis anesthesia;
- d) Induction of anesthesia;
- e) Neuroleptanalgesia.

**6. Type of general anesthesia occurring by usage of two or more general anesthetics at the same time is:**

- a) Mixed anesthesia;
- b) Potentiated anesthesia;
- c) Basis anesthesia;
- d) Induction of anesthesia;
- e) Neuroleptanalgesia.

**7. Features of halothane:**

- a) Has high narcotic activity;
- b) General anesthesia occurs rapidly — in 3–5 minutes;
- c) Mild stage of excitement;
- d) Recovery is rapid;
- e) Explosive.

**8. Side-effects of halothane:**

- a) Tachycardia;
- b) Bradycardia;
- c) Arrhythmias;
- d) An increase in blood pressure;
- e) Hypotension.

**9. Nitrous oxide:**

- a) Has high narcotic activity;
- b) Has low narcotic activity;
- c) Has high analgesic activity;
- d) Is poor skeletal muscle relaxant;
- e) Is non-irritant;
- f) Has little effect on inner organs.

**10. Features of propofol:**

- a) General anesthesia occurs rapidly — in 30–40 seconds;
- b) Duration of action is 3–10 minutes;
- c) Duration of action is 1,5–3 hours;
- d) Recovery is rapid;
- e) Has severe depression of consciousness after recovery.

**11. Features of thiopentone sodium:**

- a) Has a rapid onset;
- b) Mild stage of excitement;
- c) Severe stage of excitement;
- d) Duration of general anesthesia is 20–30 minutes;
- e) Stimulation of vasomotor and respiratory centers.

**12. Side effects of ketamine:**

- a) A decrease in blood pressure;      Hallucinations after recovery;
- b) An increase in blood pressure;      Bradycardia.
- c) Tachycardia;

**13. Features of ketamine:**

- a) Noncompetitive antagonist of NMDA-receptors;
- b) Causes deep surgical anesthesia;
- c) Causes immobility, loss of consciousness and analgesia;
- d) Has a little effect on skeletal muscle tone;
- e) Causes marked relaxation of skeletal muscles.

**14. When halothane causes hypotension, to restore pressure cannot be used:**

- a) Epinephrine;
- b) Phenylephrine;
- c) Norepinephrine;
- d) Ephedrine;
- e) Atropine.

**15. Morphine acts on antinociceptive system in the following way:**

- a) Stimulates the synthesis of opioid peptides;
- b) Intensify the release of opioid peptides;
- c) Stimulates the opioid receptors;
- d) Block the inactivation of opioid receptors;
- e) Block the presynaptic opioid receptors.

**16. The opioid antagonist is:**

- a) Naloxone;
- b) Droperidol;
- c) Clonidine;
- d) Nefopam;
- e) Ibuprofen.

**17. Mechanism of vomiting upon the application of morphine:**

- a) Irritation of receptors of stomach mucosal membrane;
- b) Intracranial hypertension;
- c) Excitement of chemoreceptors emetic trigger zone;
- d) Acting on vestibular system;
- e) Stimulation of pharynx mechanoreceptors.

**18. What drug can be combined with phentanyl for the purpose of neuroleptanalgesia:**

- a) Acetylsalicylic acid;
- b) Droperidol;
- c) Paracetamol;
- d) Diazepam;
- e) Pyracetam.

**19. Features of narcotic analgetics:**

- a) Increase respiratory volume;
- b) Relieve pain of any genesis;
- c) Facilitate sleep onset;
- d) Cause drug dependence;
- e) Have anti-inflammatory activity.

**20. Mechanisms of obstipation caused by morphine:**

- a) Block of motilin receptors;
- b) Inhibition of secretion of digestive glands;
- c) Spasm of intestine sphincters;
- d) Inhibition of intestinal peristalsis;
- e) A decrease in intestinal smooth muscle tone.

**21. Features of nonnarcotic analgetics:**

- a) Relieve pain of any genesis;
- b) Decrease respiratory volume;
- c) Cause drug dependence;
- d) Relieve pain of inflammatory genesis;
- e) Have anti-inflammatory activity;
- f) Have antipyretic activity.

**22. Peripheral COX inhibitors:**

- a) Ibuprofen;
- b) Acetylsalicylic acid;
- c) Keterolac;
- d) Metamizol;
- e) Paracetamol.

**23. Features of acetylsalicylic acid are:**

- a) Is pain reliever;
- b) Anti-inflammatory activity;
- c) Antipyretic activity;
- d) Antiplatelet action;
- e) Cough reduction.

**24. Features of paracetamol:**

- a) Pain reliever;
- b) Anti-inflammatory activity;
- c) Antipyretic activity;
- d) Antiplatelet action;
- e) Inhibition of intestinal peristalsis.

**25. Features of ibuprofen:**

- a) Pain reliever;
- b) Anti-inflammatory activity;
- c) Inhibition of intestinal peristalsis;
- d) Emetogenic activity;
- e) Anticonvulsant action.

**26. Features of ketorolac:**

- a) Antipyretic activity;
- b) Anti-inflammatory activity;
- c) Stimulation of intestinal peristalsis;
- d) Diuretic activity;
- e) Analgesic activity.

**27. Features of metamizole:**

- a) Pain reliever;
- b) Antipyretic activity;
- c) Causes miosis;
- d) Sedative-hypnogenic activity;
- e) Antiemetic activity.

**28. Drugs that are counter indicated in case of intracranial hypertension:**

- a) Ketamine;
- b) Morphine;
- c) Phentanyl;
- d) Propofol;
- e) Thiopental sodium.

**ANXIOLITIC AND SEDATIVE-HYPNOGENIC DRUGS.  
ANTIPSYCHOTIC**

**1. Anxiolytic effect is:**

- a) Ability to induce sleep;
- b) Raising of mood;
- c) Stimulation of CNS;
- d) Reduction of depression;
- e) Reduction of anxiety.

**2. Sedative-hypnogenic effect is:**

- a) Appearance of colorful dreaming;
- b) Deficiency of dreaming;
- c) Reduction of depression;
- d) Sedation and facilitation of sleep onset;
- e) Raising of mood.

**3. Anxiolytic effect can be useful in the following situations:**

- a) Decreased requirement of sleep;
- b) Panic;
- c) Psychic excitement;
- d) Sleepiness;
- e) Brain ischemia.

**4. Sedative-hypnogenic effect can be useful in the following situations:**

- a) Decreased requirement of sleep;
- b) Sleeplessness;
- c) Sleepiness;
- d) Brain ischemia;
- e) Psychic excitement.

**5. Melatonin can be applied in the case of:**

- a) Decreased requirement of sleep;
- b) Clock zone changing for correction of biorhythmies;
- c) Sleepiness;
- d) Brain ischemia;
- e) Psychic excitement.

**6. Effects of barbiturates:**

- a) Diarrhea;
- b) Leukopenia;
- c) Suppression of respiration;
- d) Anesthesia;
- e) Anticonvulsant activity;
- f) Bronchospasm;
- g) Gastrointestinal ulcers;
- h) Suppression of vasomotor center;
- i) Myorelaxation;
- j) Hearing disturbance;
- k) Antiplatelet effect;
- l) Antipyretic effect;
- m) Facilitation of the sleep onset;
- n) Reduction of the pain;
- o) An increase in the respiratory volume;
- p) Antipsychotic activity.

**7. Effects of benzodiazepines:**

- a) An increase in bronchi tonus;
- b) Hematopoiesis disturbance;
- c) Anticonvulsant activity;
- d) An increase in gastrointestinal motility;
- e) Hearing disturbance;
- f) Sedative effect;
- g) Hypnogenic effect;
- h) An increase in the respiratory volume;
- i) A decrease in the tone of skeletal muscles;
- j) A decrease in the anxiety;
- k) Anti-inflammatory effect.

**8. Features of buspirone:**

- a) Has hypnogenic effect;
- b) Reduction of anxiety;
- c) Does not cause significant sedative effect;
- d) Anticonvulsant activity;
- e) Is muscle relaxant;
- f) Driving is not recommended upon the application of this drug;
- g) Causes myorelaxation;
- h) Effect occurs immediately after drug administration;
- i) Hepatic metabolism is typical.



**9. Mechanisms of muscle tone reduction upon the application of benzodiazepines:**

- a) Calcium depletion in the sarcolemma;
- b) Inhibition of GABA-dependent regulation of muscle tone in the spinal cord;
- c) Phosphodiesterase inhibition in the muscle fibers;
- d) Block of neuromuscle transmission (high doses);
- e) Accumulation of lactic acid in the muscle fiber.

**10. Anticonvulsant activity of benzodiazepines is determined by:**

- a) Hypnogenic effect;
- b) Inhibition of primary seizure pattern;
- c) Increasing of limbic system activity;
- d) A decrease in cortex structures excitability;
- e) Suppression of centers of medulla oblongata.

**11. Hypnogenic activity of benzodiazepines is determined by:**

- a) Activation of epiphysis function;
- b) Decrease of spontaneous activity of CNS;
- c) Decrease of metabolic activity of CNS;
- d) A decrease in cortex structures excitability;
- e) Facilitation of NMDA-dependent signal flow in the neuronal network.

**12. Mechanisms of action of benzodiazepines:**

- a) An increase in duration of GABA-dependent chloric channel opening;
- b) An increase in rate of GABA-dependent chloric channel opening;
- c) Inhibition of GABA-dependent ion channel;
- d) An increase in effectiveness of GABA-dependent synaptic inhibition;
- e) Direct activation of GABA-receptor.

**13. Mechanisms of action of barbiturates:**

- a) An increase in duration of GABA-dependent chloric channel opening;
- b) An increase in rate of GABA-dependent chloric channel opening;
- c) Inhibition of GABA-dependent ion channel;
- d) An increase in effectiveness of GABA-dependent synaptic inhibition;
- e) Direct activation of GABA-receptor.

**14. Define the sedative drugs without anxiolytic effect:**

- a) Alprazolam;
- b) Diazepam;
- c) Nitrazepam;
- d) Diphenhydramine;
- e) Promethazine.

**15. Features of zolpidem:**

- a) Driving is not recommended upon the application of this drug;
- b) Causes mild myorelaxation;
- c) Effect occurs immediately after drug administration;
- d) Acts on GABA-dependent signal transmission;
- e) Suppresses respiratory center;

- f) Driving can be recommended upon the application of this drug;
- g) Significant residual effect is typical;
- h) Effect occurs slowly (in one week);
- i) Is antagonist of serotonin receptors;
- j) Low toxic.

**16. Antipsychotic drugs are applied in the following cases:**

- a) Ischemic stroke;
- b) Depression;
- c) Schizophrenia.
- d) Opioid withdrawal syndrome;

**17. Antipsychotic drugs are effectively the most in case of:**

- a) Panic disorder;
- b) Manic depressive psychosis;
- c) Positive symptoms;
- d) Sleepiness;
- e) Brain ischemia.

**18. Antipsychotic drugs cause:**

- a) Colorful dreaming;
- b) Hallucination;
- c) Memory improvement;
- d) Suppression of positive symptoms in case of psychosis;
- e) Sleep.

**19. The main properties of neuroleptics (antipsychotic drugs):**

- a) Intensify the GABA-dependent suppression of CNS;
- b) Block the dopamine receptors;
- c) Activate the serotonin receptors;
- d) Block the Mcholinergic receptors;
- e) Inhibit the NMDA-receptors;
- f) Block the  $\alpha$ adrenergic receptors;
- g) Activate the Mcholinergic receptors.

**20. Features of antipsychotic drugs:**

- a) Increase the agitation in patients with schizophrenia;
- b) Decrease the skeletal muscle tone;
- c) Increase the anxiety in health people;
- d) Reduce the anxiety;
- e) Reduce the vomiting;
- f) Induce psychic excitement;
- g) Cause extrapyramidal disorder;
- h) Increase the prolactin secretion;
- i) Are effective in patients with Parkinson's disease;
- j) Can cause euphoria.

**21. Side effects of neuroleptics (antipsychotic drugs):**

- a) Hypertension;
- b) Sleepiness;
- c) Restlessness (akathisia);
- d) Decreased libido in men;

- e) Tardive dyskinesia (extrapyramidal symptoms);
- f) Gynecomastia;
- g) Increased libido in women.

**22. Effects of neuroleptics associated with acting on M-cholinergic receptors:**

- a) Extrapyramidal symptoms;
- b) Impotention;
- c) Sleeplessness;
- d) Constipation;
- e) Paralysis of accommodation.

**23. Effects of neuroleptics associated with acting on  $\alpha$ -adrenoreceptors:**

- a) Giddiness;
- b) Gynecomastia;
- c) Orthostatic hypotension;
- d) Obstipation;
- e) Increased libido in women.

**24. Effects of neuroleptics associated with acting on dopamine receptors in extrapyramidal system:**

- a) Decreased libido in men;
- b) Obstipation;
- c) Tardive dyskinesia;
- d) Restlessness (akathisia);
- e) Sleepiness.

**25. Effects of neuroleptics associated with acting on dopamine receptors in hypothalamus:**

- a) Orthostatic hypotension;
- b) Restlessness (akathisia);
- c) Increased libido in women;
- d) Gynecomastia in men;
- e) Tardive dyskinesia.

**26. Effects of neuroleptics associated with acting on prolactin secretion:**

- a) Gynecomastia in men;
- b) Ejaculation disorder;
- c) Induction of lactation;
- d) Increased libido in women;
- e) Parkinson's syndrome.

**ANTIDEPRESSANTS. PSYCHOSTIMULANTS. NOOTROPIC DRUGS AND TONICS**

**1. Set up a correspondence between the pharmacological group:**

- a) Antidepressant, serotonin reuptake inhibitors;
- b) Antidepressant, norepinephrine reuptake inhibitor;
- c) Antidepressant, MAO inhibitor;
- d) Neuroleptic;
- e) Normothymic.

**and drug:**

- 1) Amitriptyline;
- 2) Fluoxetine;
- 3) Clozapine;
- 4) Carbamazepine;
- 5) Moclobemid.

**2. Normothymic (antimanic) drugs can be administered in case of:**

- a) Panic disorder;
- b) Manic-depressive psychosis;
- c) Schizo-affective psychosis;
- d) Sleepiness;
- e) Brain ischemia.

**3. Supposed mechanisms of antimanic activity of lithium salts:**

- a) Inhibition of  $\text{Na}^+$ ,  $\text{K}^+$ -ATPase activity of sodium pump in the neuronal membrane;
- b) Shift of secondary messengers activity;
- c) Block of  $\text{D}_2$ -receptors;
- d) Shift of cation distribution in intra- and intercellular compartments;
- e) Modification of neuromediators releasing: norepinephrine, dopamine, etc.

**4. Side effects of lithium salts:**

- a) Raising of arterial blood pressure;
- b) Hypertrophy of thyroid gland;
- c) Nephrogenic diabetes insipidus;
- d) Secondary immunodeficiency;
- e) Parkinson's disease.

**5. Antidepressants can be administered in case of:**

- a) Panic disorder;
- b) Endogenous depression;
- c) Sleepiness;
- d) Brain ischemia;
- e) Psychic excitement.

**6. Mechanism of action of tricyclic antidepressants:**

- a) Direct activation of adrenergic receptors;
- b) Nonselective inhibition of monoamines reuptake (epinephrine, norepinephrine);
- c) Block the inactivation of norepinephrine by MAO;
- d) Selective inhibition of norepinephrine reuptake;
- e) Block the inactivation of norepinephrine by COMT.

**7. Set up a correspondence between antidepressants:**

- a) Sertraline;
- b) Amitriptyline;
- c) Moclobemide;
- d) Tianeptine;
- e) Mirtazapine.

**and their mechanisms of action:**

- 1) MAO inhibitor;
- 2) Serotonin reuptake inhibitor;
- 3) Strengthens neuronal serotonin reuptake;
- 4) Inhibitor of presynaptic  $\alpha_2$ -adrenergic receptor;
- 5) Norepinephrine reuptake inhibitor.

**8. Features of tricyclic antidepressants:**

- a) An increase in arterial blood pressure;
- b) Obstipation and urinary retention;
- c) Relieve the pain, potentiate the analgesics;

- d) Increase the exercise tolerance;
- e) Weight gain.

**9. Biochemical effects of MAO inhibitors (group of antidepressants):**

- a) Inhibition MAO activity in presynaptic terminals;
- b) Inhibition MAO activity in postsynaptic terminals;
- c) Inhibition MAO activity in synaptic cleft;
- d) An increase in mediator concentration in vesicles;
- e) An increase in mediator concentration in synaptic cleft.

**10. Effects of MAO inhibitors:**

- a) Cachexia;
- b) Decreased blood pressure;
- c) Sexual dysfunction, loss of libido;
- d) Lack of the significant sedation;
- e) Alcohol decreases the sedative effect of this drugs.

**11. Correct affirmation about tricyclic antidepressants:**

- a) Are administered once a day as usual;
- b) Clinical effect occurs in 2–3 weeks of daily application;
- c) Are administered three and more times a day because of short half-life time;
- d) Clinical effect occurs in first few days;
- e) Drug effect ends in a few days after delay.

**12. Correct assertions about serotonin reuptake inhibitors:**

- a) Are administered once a day as usual;
- b) Functional accumulation is typical;
- c) Are administered parenterally mainly;
- d) Clinical effect occurs in first few days;
- e) Side effects occur in first few days.

**13. Features of MAO inhibitors:**

- a) Functional accumulation is typical;
- b) Clinical effect occurs in 2–3 weeks of daily application;
- c) Combination with serotonin reuptake inhibitors is recommended;
- d) May cause sleeplessness;
- e) Side effects occur in first few days.

**14. What symptom may appear while eating tyramine containing food (red wine, cheese, etc), and taking MAO inhibitors?**

- a) Severe hypotension;
- b) Obstipation;
- c) Bronchospasm;
- d) Hypertensive crisis;
- e) Insulin resistance.

**15. Combination of what drugs may cause the «serotonin syndrome»:**

- a) MAO inhibitors and serotonin reuptake inhibitors;
- b) Tricyclic antidepressants and serotonin reuptake inhibitors;

- c) Two drugs of serotonin reuptake inhibitors;
- d) Phenelzine and n fluoxetine;
- e) Fluoxetine and doxepin.

**16. Select the antidepressants:**

- a) Buspirone;
- b) Fluoxetine;
- c) Flumazenil;
- d) Tianeptine;
- e) Moclobemide;
- f) Sertraline;
- g) Amobarbital.

**17. Nootropic drugs:**

- a) Reduce the anxiety;
- b) Facilitate the sleep onset;
- c) Stimulate the immune system;
- d) Improve cognitive skills;
- e) Increase the brain resistance to hypoxia.

**18. Effects of piracetam:**

- a) Increased physical performance with a single dose;
- b) An increase in mental capacity with the use of single dose;
- c) Do not act on mental capacity with the use of single dose;
- d) Memory improvement in patients with brain disorder;
- e) Learning improvement in patients with organic brain disorder.

**19. Indications of nootropic drugs:**

- a) For rapid stimulation of mental capacity;
- b) For rapid increasing of physical endurance;
- c) Correction of posttraumatic mental disorders in children and adults;
- d) Correction of mental disorders caused by cerebrovascular disturbance;
- e) Prophylaxis of Parkinson's disease.

**20. Define adaptogens:**

- a) Tianeptine;
- b) Pantocrin;
- c) Ginseng tincture;
- d) Piracetam;
- e) Eleutherococ liquid extract.

**21. Choose analeptics:**

- a) Caffeine sodium benzoate;
- b) Mezocarb;
- c) Bemegrade;
- d) Aethimisol;
- e) Doxapram.

**22. Correct assertions about aethimisol:**

- a) Causes the bronchospasm;
- b) Increases the concentration of glucocorticosteroids in blood plasma;
- c) Stimulates the respiratory center;
- d) Suppresses the respiratory center;
- e) Can be used as analeptic.

**23. Correct assertions about bemegride:**

- a) Causes the psychomotor agitation in high doses;
- b) Can be used in case of poisoning with barbiturates and general anesthetics;
- c) Stimulates the respiratory center;
- d) Is used as stimulator of gastrointestinal motility;
- e) Is administered parenterally;
- f) Is administered orally.

**HORMONAL AND ANTI-HORMONAL DRUGS**

**1. Tetracosactide is effective stimulator of secretion of:**

- a) Glucocorticoids;
- b) Androgenic steroids;
- c) Thyroxine;
- d) Norepinephrine;
- e) Insulin.

**2. The excessive secretion of parathyroid hormone may cause:**

- a) Exophthalm («bulging eyes»), tachycardia, raised body temperature;
- b) Apyretic tetanus, cataract, psychosis;
- c) Hypoglycemia, raised body temperature;
- d) Water retention, raised blood pressure, increase in glucose concentration;
- e) Suppression of immune system.

**3. Drug is applied in case of decreased level of thyroid hormones:**

- a) Propylthiouracil;
- b) Thiamazole;
- c) Levothyroxine sodium;
- d) Teriparatide;
- e) Radioactive iodine.

**4. Antithyroid drugs are administered for the treatment of:**

- a) Hypothyroid infantilism;
- b) Congenital myxedema;
- c) Loss of sexual power;
- d) Hypothyroid status;
- e) Thyrotoxicosis.

**5. Hypoglycemic drugs that is the sulfonylurea derivate:**

- a) Glybenclamide;
- b) Acarbose;
- c) Metformin;
- d) Glucagon;
- e) Gliclazide.

**6. Select the correct assertion about calcitonin:**

- a) It increases the calcium absorption from intestine;
- b) It increases a bone decalcination;
- c) It increases the calcium concentration in the blood plasma;
- d) Is administered in patients with acute hypocalcemia;
- e) Is applied in case of osteoporosis.

**7. The following drugs are the hypothalamic hormones and their synthetic analogues:**

- a) Thyrotropin;
- b) Sermorelin;
- c) Oxytocin;
- d) Octreotide;
- e) Somatropin (growth hormone);
- f) Gonadorelin.

**8. Posterior pituitary lobe hormone drugs and their synthetic analogues are:**

- a) Melatonin;
- b) Oxytocin;
- c) Goserelin;
- d) Urofollitropin;
- e) Desmopressin.

**9. Correct assertion about desmopressin are:**

- a) It is a vasopressin derivate;
- b) It has diuretic activity;
- c) Can be applied for labor induction;
- d) Is used in case of diabetes insipidus;
- e) Can be administered in patients with diabetes type II.

**10. Properties of thiamazole:**

- a) Inhibits the synthesis of thyroid hormones;
- b) Can be applied in case of hyperthyroid status;
- c) Can be administered in patients with hypothyroidism (goiter);
- d) Has goitrogenic activity;
- e) Inhibits the synthesis of thyrotropin alfa.

**11. Mechanisms of hypoglycemic activity of insulin are:**

- a) An increase in glucose uptake by insulin dependent tissue;
- b) An increase in peripheral glucose disposal;
- c) Activation of glycogenolysis;
- d) Induction of lipolysis;
- e) Inhibition of gluconeogenesis.

**12. Side effects of insulin preparations are:**

- a) Loss of appetite;
- b) Hypoglycemia;
- c) Allergic reactions;
- d) Dyspeptic disturbances;
- e) Arterial hypertension.

**13. Drug is used in patients with diabetes insipidus:**

- a) Terlipressin;
- b) Oxytocin;
- c) Desmopressin;
- d) Urofollitropin;
- e) Furosemide.

**14. Physiological insulin antagonists:**

- a) Glucagon;
- b) Epinephrin;
- c) Acarbose;
- d) Glucocorticoids;
- e) Rosiglitazone.

**15. Mechanism of action of biguanides:**

- a) Inhibition of gluconeogenesis in the liver;
- b) Induction of insulin secretion by the  $\beta$ -cells of pancreas;
- c) An increase in glucose utilization by muscles and fat tissue;



- d) A decrease in glucose absorption in the intestine;
- e) Induction of glycogenolysis.

**16. Put in the right order the action of steroid hormones:**

- a) Activation of translation;
- b) Binding with specific receptors;
- c) Transport in the nucleus;
- d) Transport in the cell;
- e) Correlation with the genome;
- f) Induction of the transcription.

**17. Gestagen drugs:**

- a) Induce the ovulation;
- b) Inhibit the contractive activity of myometrium;
- c) Are used for the maintenance of pregnancy;
- d) Stimulate the development of secondary sex characteristics;
- e) Are applied in the contraceptive pills.

**18. Estrogen drugs:**

- a) Stimulate the development of secondary sex characteristics;
- b) Cause the hyperplasia of endometrium;
- c) Are applied in case of deficiency of ovarian function;
- d) Are in composition of combined contraceptive pills;
- e) Cause osteoporosis.

**19. Put in the right order of action of steroid hormones:**

- a) Correlation with the genome;
- b) Regulation of the transcription;
- c) Activation of translation;
- d) Transport in the cell;
- e) Binding with specific receptors in the cytoplasm of the cell;
- f) Transport the ligand-bound receptor complex in the nucleus.

**20. Adverse effects of glucocorticoids are:**

- a) Behavioral changes, anxiety;
- b) Sleeplessness, acute psychosis;
- c) Weakness, apathy;
- d) A decrease in the convulsive threshold;
- e) Vestibulo-cochlear disorders.

**21. Define the correct assertions about prednisolone:**

- a) Suppresses the synthesis of endogenous glucocorticoids;
- b) Has severe hypotension activity;
- c) More than half of dosage is applied in the morning if prednisolone is used as anti-inflammatory and anti-allergic drug;
- d) Applied dosage is uniformly distributed if prednisolone is used as anti-inflammatory and anti-allergic drug;
- e) Has immunostimulatory activity.

**22. Mineralocorticoids have the following properties:**

- a) Increase the reabsorption of sodium ions and water in the renal tubules;

- b) Increase the elimination of potassium ions;
- c) Increase the diuresis;
- d) Can cause the arterial hypertension;
- e) Can be applied in patients with Addison disease.

**23. Set up a corresponds between groups**

- a) Anabolic steroids;      c) Estrogenes;      e) Mineralocorticoids.
- b) Androgenes;      d) Glucocorticoids;

**and hormone drugs (each element in the right column can be used only once)**

- 1. Testosterone;      4. Desoxycortone
- 2. Diethylstibestrol;      5. Mometasone
- 3. Nandrolone;

**24. Glucocorticoids can be used as ... drugs:**

- a) Anti-allergic;      d) Catabolic;
- b) Hyperglycemic;      e) Immunosuppressive.
- c) Anti-inflammatory;

**25. Side effects of glucocorticoids:**

- a) Growth impairment in children;
- b) Menstrual disorders (secondary amenorrhea);
- c) Acceleration of sexual maturation;
- d) Disturbance of glucose tolerance;
- e) Hyperthyroidism.

**26. Choose the correct assertions about tetracosactide:**

- a) Is synthetic analogue of corticotrophin;
- b) Immunogenic activity is weak;
- c) Is administered in case of Cushing' syndrome;
- d) Is applied in patients with secondary adrenal insufficiency.

**27. Select the side effects of glucocorticoids:**

- a) Negative nitrogen balance;      d) Raised appetite;
- b) Hypoglycemia;      e) Obesity.
- c) Hyperlipidemia;

**28. Properties of anabolic steroids:**

- a) Inhibit the protein synthesis;
- b) Can be applied in case of cachexia (pantotrophia);
- c) Decrease the muscle mass;
- d) Are administered in case of osteoporosis;
- e) Can cause masculinization in women.

**29. The following drug has intensed mineralocorticoid activity (sodium and water retention and intensification of potassium elimination):**

- a) Dexamethasone;      c) Momethasone;      e) Methylprednisolone.
- b) Hydrocortisone;      d) Prednisolone;

## ANTI-INFLAMMATORY DRUGS

### 1. The main mechanism of anti-inflammatory action of NSAIDs:

- a) Stabilization of mast cell membranes, inhibition of the release of mediators of allergy and inflammation;
- b) Suppression of prostaglandin synthesis by inhibition of cyclooxygenase;
- c) Suppression of prostaglandin synthesis by inhibition of phospholipase A<sub>2</sub>;
- d) Suppression lipoxygenase activity with reduced production of leukotrienes;
- e) Destruction of mediators of inflammation.

### 2. The main side effects of nonselective cyclooxygenase inhibitors are:

- a) Ulceration of the gastrointestinal tract;
- b) Immunosuppression;
- c) Inhibition of kidney function (nephrotoxic effect);
- d) Cardiotoxic action;
- e) Impairment of protein, fat and carbohydrate metabolism.

### 3. The main pharmacodynamic effects of non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs are:

- a) Antipyretic;
- b) Anabolic;
- c) Anti-inflammatory;
- d) Analgesic;
- e) Immunosuppressive;
- f) Immunostimulatory.

### 4. Select NSAIDs with low selectivity for COX-2:

- a) Indomethacin;
- b) Celecoxib;
- c) Acetylsalicylic acid (analgesic and antipyretic doses);
- d) Naproxen;
- e) Valdecoxib;
- f) Diclofenac.

### 5. Features of celecoxib:

- a) It is equally inhibits COX-1 and COX-2;
- b) Has weak ulcerogenic effect;
- c) There is a risk of thromboembolic cardiovascular complications;
- d) Is less potent than acetylsalicylic acid for anti-inflammatory efficacy;
- e) Abnormal liver function requires correction dosing regimen.

### 6. Features are typical for non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs:

- a) Poor tolerability;
- b) Suppression of inflammation of any nature;
- c) Combination of anti-inflammatory, analgesic and antipyretic action;
- d) Reduction of the production of endogenous glucocorticosteroids;
- e) Inhibition of cyclooxygenase activity.

**7. Features of salicylates:**

- a) Have a gastrotoxic effect;
- b) Causes hyperglycemia;
- c) In low doses, platelet aggregation is inhibited;
- d) May cause bronchospasm;
- e) Suppress the migration of phagocytes to the focus of inflammation, inhibit phagocytosis.

**8. Steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs:**

- a) Suppress the production of endogenous glucocorticosteroids;
- b) Have an immunosuppressive effect;
- c) Only have anti-inflammatory, analgesic and antipyretic effects;
- d) Causes ulceration of the gastrointestinal tract;
- e) Block the synthesis of inflammatory mediators.

**9. Specify the effects of steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs:**

- a) Anti-inflammatory;
- b) Immunostimulatory;
- c) Immunosuppressive
- d) Anti-allergic;
- e) M-cholinoblocking.

**10. Mechanism of anti-inflammatory effect of glucocorticosteroids:**

- a) Decrease in the synthesis of prostaglandins and leukotrienes due to inhibition of the activity of phospholipase A2;
- b) Selective suppression of prostaglandin synthesis, due to inhibition of cyclooxygenase activity;
- c) Inhibition of COX-2 production;
- d) Suppression of cellular mechanisms of inflammation (impairment of migration of macrophages and neutrophils in the focus of inflammation);
- e) Immunosuppressive action — disturbance of proliferation and differentiation of immunocompetent cells, antibodies, cytokines, inflammatory mediators.

**11. Beclomethasone:**

- a) Glucocorticosteroid for topical application;
- b) Glucocorticosteroid for systemic use;
- c) Inhibition of the synthesis of endogenous glucocorticosteroids is significant;
- d) Used in aerosol dosage forms;
- e) It is used for the treatment of bronchial asthma and vasomotor rhinitis.

**12. Features of prescribing glucocorticosteroids as anti-inflammatory and antiallergic agents:**

- a) Most of the daily dose is prescribed in the morning hours;
- b) Most of the daily dose is prescribed in the evening hours;
- c) The daily dose is evenly distributed;
- d) Cancel gradually, slowly lowering the dose;
- e) Canceled at the same time.

**13. Irreversible consequences of GCS application:**

- a) Reduced resistance to infections;
- b) Deceleration of tissue regeneration;
- c) Subcapsular cataract;
- d) Teratogenic effect;
- e) Steroid diabetes.

**14. Mechanism of anti-gout action of allopurinol:**

- a) Inhibition of reabsorption of uric acid in renal tubules;
- b) Disruption of biosynthesis of uric acid from hypoxanthine;
- c) Suppression of phagocytosis and ejection of inflammatory mediators;
- d) Acceleration of biotransformation of uric acid;
- e) Covalent binding and excretion of uric acid.

**15. Mechanism of anti-gout action of sulfinpyrazone:**

- a) Inhibition of xanthine oxidase;
- b) Enhancement of uric acid secretion in renal tubules;
- c) Decrease in reabsorption of uric acid in renal tubules;
- d) Acceleration of biotransformation of uric acid;
- e) Covalent binding and excretion of uric acid.

**ANTI-ALLERGIC DRUGS. DRUGS AFFECTING THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM**

**1. Effects of antihistamines of the 1st generation:**

- a) Antiemetic effect;
- b) Sedative effect on the central nervous system;
- c) Potentiation the action of drugs for general anesthesia, opioid analgesics and anesthetics;
- d) Stimulation of peristalsis;
- e) Constriction of small arterioles.

**2. Distinctive features of antihistamines of the 2nd generation from the 1st generation:**

- a) High selectivity to H<sub>1</sub>-histamine receptors;
- b) Long duration of action;
- c) Less pronounced sedative effect;
- d) Less chance of the development of tolerance;
- e) Minor efficiency;
- f) Reduce glucose tolerance.

**3. Side effects of antihistamines of the 1st generation associated with their M-cholinoblocking action:**

- a) Dry mouth;
- b) Urine retention;
- c) Constipation;
- d) Bradycardia;
- e) Paralysis of accommodation;
- f) Activation of catabolism.

**4. Most probable side-effects after parenteral administration of antihistamines:**

- a) Hypotension;
- b) Tachycardia;
- c) Hypertension;
- d) Bradycardia;
- e) Tachycardia with hypertension;
- f) Tradicardia with hypotension.

**5. The most suitable medicines for the treatment of mild allergic reactions of immediate type (pruritus, urticaria):**

- a) Epinephrine;
- b) Cromoglycic acid;
- c) Diphenhydramine;
- d) Clemastine;
- e) Prednisolone;
- f) Loratadine.

**6. Set correspondence between groups:**

- a) Histamine receptor antagonist;
- b) Inhibitor of the action of mediators of allergy;
- c) Interleukins;
- d) Stabilizers of mast cell membranes;
- e) Leukotriene receptor antagonists.

**and drugs**

- 1) Diphenhydramine;
- 2) Zafirlukast;
- 3) Betaleikin;
- 4) Nedocromil;
- 5) Fenspiride.

**7. Specify antihistamines without M-cholinoblocking action:**

- a) Difenhydramine;
- b) Loratadine;
- c) Promethazine;
- d) Fexofenadine;
- e) Desloratadine.

**8. Specify antihistamines, which can be taken once a day:**

- a) Clemastine;
- b) Loratidine;
- c) Hifenadine;
- d) Diphenhydramine;
- e) Cetirizine.

**9. Restore the mechanism of development of a delayed-type allergic reaction:**

- a) Production of interleukin-1 by macrophages;
- b) Antigen killing, topical repair (or progression of immune inflammation);
- c) Induction of transformation of T-lymphocytes into effector cells;
- d) Antigen receipt, its recognition and capture by macrophages;
- e) The interaction of effector cells with other immune cells;
- f) Assignment of mediators of allergy and inflammation, attraction of immunocompetent cells to the outbreak;
- g) Activation of T-helpers;
- h) Production of interleukin-2 by T-helpers.

**10. Restore the mechanism of development of an allergic reaction of an immediate type:**

- a) Primary recognition of antigen by immunocompetent cells;

- b) Interaction of antigen with mast cells having specific sites of its binding;
- c) Clinical manifestations of an allergic reaction of immediate type;
- d) Degranulation of the mast cell with the release of mediators of allergy and inflammation;
- e) Production of antibodies (IgE) and its presentation on the surface of mast cells;
- f) Second contact with antigen.

**11. Drugs for treatment of delayed-type allergic reactions:**

- a) Preparations of gold;
- b) Glucocorticoids;
- c) Leukotriene receptor antagonists;
- d) Inhibitors of proliferation;
- e) Stabilizers of mast cell membranes;
- f) Penicillamine;
- g) Antihistamines.

**12. Restore the molecular mechanism of action of methotrexate:**

- a) Antagonism with folic acid;
- b) Inhibition of differentiation and proliferation of immunocompetent cells;
- c) Improvement of clinical symptoms;
- d) Immunosuppression, inhibition of remodeling of connective tissue;
- e) Inhibition of the synthesis of nucleic acids and proteins.

**13. Restore the sequence of actions to assist in anaphylactic shock:**

- a) Administration of glucocorticosteroids, preferably intravenously;
- b) Discontinuation of the ingestion of an allergen (epinephrine topically);
- c) Symptomatic therapy (bronchodilators, pacemakers, antihistamines, respiratory analeptics, etc.);
- d) Maintenance of systemic arterial pressure and work of the heart (epinephrine systemically).

**14. The mechanism of anti-allergic effect of glucocorticoids:**

- a) Reduction of immunocompetent cells;
- b) Blockade of histamine receptors;
- c) Stabilization of mast cell membranes;
- d) A decrease in the synthesis of immunoglobulins;
- e) Suppression of migration of immunocompetent cells.

**15. Zafirlukast:**

- a) Reduces vascular permeability;
- b) Suppresses bronchial secretion and reduces the viscosity of sputum;
- c) It is used for the relief of bronchospasm;
- d) Reduces the swelling of the bronchial mucosa;
- e) Is a leukotriene receptor antagonist;
- f) It is an antihistamine drug of the 1st generation.

**16. This drug dilates the bronchi by reducing parasympathetic effects:**

- a) Aminophylline;                      c) Atropine;                                      e) Salmerotol.
- b) Epinephrine;                              d) Isoprenaline;

**17. This drug has a bronchodilator effect due to stimulation of beta2-adrenoreceptors:**

- a) Aminophylline;                      c) Iprorotropium;                                      e) Montelukast.
- b) Beclomethasone;                              d) Isoprenaline;

**18. This drug has a bronchodilator effect by suppressing the release of mediators of allergy:**

- a) Cromoglycic acid;                      c) Atropine;                                      e) Salmerotol.
- b) Epinephrine;                              d) Isoprenaline;

**19. The antitussive drugs include:**

- a) Cromoglycic acid;                      c) Atropine;                                      e) Beclomethasone.
- b) Epinephrine;                              d) Dextromethorphan;

**20. For the relief of bronchospasm is used:**

- a) Epinephrine;                              c) Salmerotol;                                      e) Acetylcysteine.
- b) Cromoglycic acid;                              d) Tiotropium;

**21. For the prevention of bronchospasm used:**

- a) Epinephrine;                              c) Salmeterol;                                      e) Atropine.
- b) Isoprenaline;                              d) Salbutamol (in aerosol);

**22. A side effect of adrenergic bronchodilators is:**

- a) Tachycardia;                                      d) Bronchospasm;
- b) Bradycardia;                                      e) Peripheral vasospasm.
- c) Increased blood pressure;

**23. Salbutamol is contraindicated in:**

- a) Atrioventricular blockade;                                      d) Bronchospasm;
- b) Extrasystoles;                                      e) Anaphylactic shock.
- c) Preterm labor activity;

**24. Bronchodilators from the M-cholinoblockers group are contraindicated in:**

- a) Bradycardia;                                      d) Diarrhea;
- b) Atrioventricular blockade;                                      e) Hyperacid gastritis.
- c) Glaucoma;

**25. Side effects of topical application of glucocorticosteroids in the treatment of pulmonary diseases:**

- a) Reduced tolerance to the respiratory tract infections;
- b) Increased resistance to respiratory infections;
- c) Hypoglycaemia;
- d) Complete adrenal insufficiency;
- e) Atrophy of bronchial mucosa.

**26. Acetylcysteine:**

- a) Reflexively stimulates the secretion of the bronchial glands;



- b) Has a direct stimulating effect on bronchial glands;
- c) Reduces the viscosity of sputum due to destruction of disulfide bonds of proteoglycans;
- d) Inhibits cough reflex;
- e) Relaxes the smooth muscles of the bronchi.

**27. Therapeutic action of ganglionic blockers at pulmonary edema caused by:**

- a) Tissue dehydration;
- b) Diuretic effect;
- c) Anti-inflammatory effect;
- d) Reduce the pressure in the pulmonary circulation;
- e) Reduce the load on the heart.

**28. Drugs with bronchodilator action:**

- a) M-cholinoblockers;
- b) M-cholinomimetics;
- c) Ganglio-blockers;
- d) Beta-blockers;
- e) Beta-agonists.

**29. Unlike atropine, ipratropium bromide:**

- a) Selectively blocking m-cholinergic receptors of the bronchi;
- b) It is used only by inhalation;
- c) Has a slight resorptive effect;
- d) Does not affect the secretion of bronchial glands;
- e) Contraindicated in glaucoma.

**30. Codeine:**

- a) Inhibits the cough reflex;
- b) Reduces the tone of the muscles of the bronchi;
- c) Has analgesic properties;
- d) Has a sedative effect;
- e) May induce drug dependence;
- f) Stimulates intestinal motility.

**31. The following statements are true:**

- a) Propranolol can cause bronchospasm;
- b) Salbutamol causes tachycardia;
- c) Blockers of H<sub>1</sub>-histamine receptors used in the treatment of allergic rhinitis;
- d) Codeine does not have analgesic activity;
- e) Prolonged use of  $\alpha$ -adrenergic agonists leads to the development of rhinitis.

**32. Principles of pharmacotherapy of pulmonary edema:**

- a) Pressure reduction in the pulmonary circulation;
- b) Stimulation of the center of breathing;
- c) Suppressing the foaming of the transudate;
- d) Elimination of hypoxia;
- e) Dehydration of respiratory tract tissues;
- f) Inhibition of the cough center.

**33. Medications used to treat bronchial asthma:**

- a) Blockers of leukotriene receptors;
- b) Blockers release of mediators of allergy from mast cells;
- c) Beta-adrenoreceptor agonists;
- d) Alpha-adrenoreceptor agonists;
- e) Local decongestants;
- f) Glucocorticosteroids.

**34. For the treatment of bronchial asthma use:**

- a) Bemegrid;
- b) Salmeterol;
- c) Beclomethasone;
- d) Tiotropium;
- e) Zafirlukast;
- f) Xylometazoline.

**35. The allergic component in bronchial asthma is suppressed by:**

- a) Tiotropium;
- b) Salbutamol;
- c) Nedocromil;
- d) Theophylline;
- e) Budesonide;
- f) Ketotifen.

**SYNTHETIC ANTIMICROBIAL DRUGS**

**1. Mechanism of action of sulfonamides:**

- a) Drug molecules are reduced by anaerobic microbes to metabolites interfering with nucleic acid replication;
- b) Inhibition of nucleic acid replication, complexation with microbial metalloenzymes;
- c) Folic acid synthesis inhibition in bacterial cells;
- d) Nitro-group of the drugs is reduced by anaerobic microbes and protozoic cells to metabolites causing DNA damage;
- e) Bacterial topoisomerase II (DNA-gyrase) and IV inhibition.

**2. Sulfonamides are:**

- a) Bacteriostatic;
- b) Bactericidal;
- c) Fungicidal;
- d) Virucidal.

**3. Trimethoprim is:**

- a) Bacteriostatic;
- b) Bactericidal;
- c) Fungicidal;
- d) Virucidal.

**4. Co-trimoxazole is:**

- a) Bacteriostatic;
- b) Bactericidal;
- c) Fungicidal;
- d) Virucidal.

**5. Sulfonamides may cause:**

- a) Bone marrow depression (anemia, leucopenia);
- b) Hearing loss and visual disturbances;
- c) Allergic reactions;
- d) Cristaluria and nephrolithiasis;
- e) Dyspepsia, hepatotoxicity.

**6. Co-trimoxazole may cause:**

- a) Bone marrow depression (neutropenia, anemia, thrombocytopenia);
- b) Nausea, vomiting, glossitis, stomatitis;
- c) Thrombosis;
- d) Allergic reactions (rash, Stevens-Johnson syndrome);
- e) Tachyarrhythmia.

**7. Phtalylsulfathiazole is used only for the treatment of intestinal infections (bacterial dysentery, enterocolitis) because:**

- a) It is superior to other sulfonamides in its activity against intestinal pathogens;
- b) Almost is not absorbed in GIT;
- c) Decreases intestinal peristalsis;
- d) Restores intestinal microflora;
- e) Well absorbed in GIT, excreted with bile.

**8. Co-trimoxazole:**

- a) Is bacteriostatic;
- b) Is bactericidal;
- c) Is inferior to other sulfonamides in its spectrum of activity;
- d) Has a wider range of activity than sulfonamides;
- e) Comparing to sulfonamides bacterial resistance develops more slowly.

**9. Antimicrobial spectrum of co-trimoxazole:**

- a) Has a broader spectrum of activity than sulfonamides;
- b) Nocardia spp., Moraxella spp., Pneumocysts;
- c) Toxoplasma spp., Haemophilus influenza;
- d) Pseudomonas aeruginosa;
- e) Mycobacterium tuberculosis;
- f) Mycoplasma spp., Rickettsia spp.

**10. Antimicrobial spectrum of sulfonamides:**

- a) Extremely broad;
- b) Relatively narrow;
- b) Toxoplasma spp, Haemophilus influenza;
- c) Shigella spp., Staphylococcus spp. (most strains);
- d) Treponema pallidum;
- e) Most fluoroquinolone-resistant microbes.

**11. Mechanism of action of 8-oxyquinoline derivatives:**

- a) Drug molecules are reduced by anaerobic microbes to metabolites interfering with nucleic acid replication;
- b) Inhibition of nucleic acid replication, complexation with microbial metalloenzymes;
- c) Folic acid synthesis inhibition in bacterial cells;
- d) Nitro-group of the drugs is reduced by anaerobic microbes and protozoic cells to metabolites causing DNA damage;
- e) Bacterial topoisomerase II (DNA-gyrase) and IV inhibition.

**12. 8-Oxyquinoline derivatives are:**

- a) Nitroxoline;
- b) Nalidixic acid;
- c) Metronidazole;
- d) Chlorquinaldol;
- e) Furazolidone.

**13. Quinolones are:**

- a) Nalidixic acid;
- b) Lomefloxacin;
- c) Oxolinic acid;
- d) Fusidic acid;
- e) Trimethoprim.

**14. Fluoroquinolones are:**

- a) Norfloxacin;
- b) Ciprofloxacin;
- c) Metronidazole;
- d) Ofloxacin;
- e) Lomefloxacin.

**15. Mechanism of action of fluoroquinolones:**

- a) Drug molecules are reduced by anaerobic microbes to metabolites interfering with nucleic acid replication;
- b) Inhibition of nucleic acid replication, complexation with microbial metalloenzymes;
- c) Folic acid synthesis inhibition in bacterial cells;
- d) Nitro-group of the drugs is reduced by anaerobic microbes and protozoic cells to metabolites causing DNA damage;
- e) Bacterial topoisomerases II (DNA-gyrase) and IV inhibition.

**16. Fluoroquinolones are**

- a) Bacteriostatic;
- b) Bactericidal;
- c) Fungicidal;
- d) Virucidal.

**17. Fluoroquinolones may cause:**

- a) Anorexia, nausea, vomiting, alteration in taste;
- b) Nephritis, nephrolithiasis;
- c) Allergic reactions (rash, angioedema), photosensitization;
- d) Headache, vertigo, sleep disorder;
- e) Tendinitis, juvenile arthropathy.

**18. Nitroxoline:**

- a) Has a broad spectrum of activity;
- b) Affects only gram-negative bacteria;
- c) Almost is not absorbed from GIT, that is why it is used for intestinal infections;
- d) Well absorbed from GIT, eliminated by renal excretion as unchanged drug, used for treating urinary infections;
- e) Is bacteriostatic.

**19. Antimicrobial spectrum of fluoroquinolones:**

- a) Broad;
- b) Narrow, only gram-negative bacteria are sensitive;
- c) Narrow, only gram-positive bacteria are sensitive;
- d) Treponema pallidum;
- e) Chlamydia, mycoplasma;
- f) Mycobacterium tuberculosis.

**20. Ciprofloxacin:**

- a) Has a broad spectrum of activity;
- b) Affects only gram-positive bacteria;
- c) Is used for intestinal infections (typhoid fever, paratyphoid fever, dysentery);
- d) Well absorbed from GIT, passes through BBB;
- e) Contraindicated in pregnant and nursing women.

**21. 5-Nitroimidazole derivatives are:**

- a) Norfloxacin;
- b) Nalidixic acid;
- c) Metronidazole;
- d) Tinidazole;
- e) Nitrofurantoin.

**22. Mechanism of action of 5-nitroimidazole derivatives:**

- a) Drug molecules are reduced by anaerobic microbes to metabolites interfering with nucleic acid replication;
- b) Inhibition of nucleic acid replication, complexation with microbial metalloenzymes;
- c) Nitro-group of the drugs is reduced by anaerobic microbes and protozoic cells to metabolites causing DNA damage;
- d) Bacterial topoisomerase II (DNA-gyrase) and IV inhibition.

**23. 5-Nitroimidazole derivatives are**

- a) Bacteriostatic;
- b) Bactericidal;
- c) Fungicidal;
- d) Virucidal.

**24. 5-Nitroimidazole derivatives may cause:**

- a) Nausea, vomiting, stomatitis, metallic taste;
- b) Hepatitis, liver cirrhosis;
- c) Allergic reactions (rash, angioedema);
- d) Urine discoloration (reddish-brown);
- e) Disulfiram-like reactions when taken together with alcohol.

**25. Antimicrobial spectrum of 5-nitroimidazole derivatives:**

- a) Affect only aerobic bacteria;
- b) Anaerobic bacteria;
- c) Ultra-broad;
- d) Amoebae;
- e) Trichomonas spp.;
- f) Lamblia spp.

**26. Nitrofurans are:**

- a) Nitrofurantoin;
- b) Tinidazole;
- c) Fusidic acid;
- d) Ofloxacin;
- e) Furazolidone.

**27. Nitrofurans may cause:**

- a) Headache, nausea, vertigo;
- b) Malignant hyperthermia;
- c) Peripheral neuropathy;
- d) Bone marrow depression (anemia, leucopenia);
- e) Liver injury (hepatitis, cholestasis).

## **28. Antimicrobial spectrum of nitrofurans:**

- a) Anaerobic bacteria;
- b) Broad;
- c) Escherichia coli, Shigella spp., Salmonella spp., Vibrio cholera;
- d) Pseudomonas aeruginosa, Proteus spp., Klebsiella spp.;
- e) Trichomonas spp.;
- f) Lamblia spp.

## **ANTIBIOTICS, PART I**

### **1. Antimicrobial combination therapy is used:**

- a) For the prevention of resistant bacterial strains development;
- b) To enhance antimicrobial effect;
- c) To broaden antibacterial spectrum of activity;
- d) To enhance antimicrobial effect of a bacteriostatic antibiotic it is necessary to add bactericidal one;
- e) To decrease the toxicity of certain antibiotics.

### **2. The most common causative agents of superinfections:**

- a) Clostridium difficile;
- b) Candida fungi;
- c) Mycobacterium tuberculosis;
- d) Chlamydia;
- e) Pseudomonas aeruginosa.

### **3. The causes of antibiotic therapy inefficiency:**

- a) Resistance of a pathogen to antibiotics;
- b) Concurrent administration of vitamins;
- c) Viral infections;
- d) Dosage regime violation;
- e) Incorrect antibiotic combinations.

### **4. Basic principles of chemotherapy:**

- a) Early start of chemotherapy;
- b) Pathogen identification;
- c) In life-threatening conditions broad-spectrum antibiotics may be used before pathogen identification has been completed;
- d) Full-course of chemotherapy unless pathogen eradication is achieved;
- e) Carry out chemotherapy until symptoms have resolved;
- f) The use of the most effective and safest antimicrobial drugs;
- g) Combination chemotherapy to increase the efficacy of the treatment or minimize the development of antibiotic resistant microbes.

### **5. Beta-Lactam antibiotics interfere with:**

- a) Cell wall synthesis;
- b) Plasma membrane permeability;
- c) Protein synthesis on ribosomes;
- d) RNA synthesis;
- e) All listed variants.

- 6. Benzylpenicillin preparations typically cause:**
- a) Agranulocytosis;
  - b) Anemia;
  - c) Allergic reactions;
  - d) Hearing loss and vestibular disturbances;
  - e) Nephrotoxicity;
  - f) Dysbacteriosis.
- 7. Penicillins show little activity or ineffective against:**
- a) *Treponema pallidum*;
  - b) Actively growing bacterial cells;
  - c) Meningococci;
  - d) Resting bacterial cells.
- 8. First-line antibiotic for the treatment of infections caused by *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*:**
- a) Benzylpenicillin;
  - b) Piperacillin;
  - c) Chloramphenicol;
  - d) Erythromycin;
  - e) Tetracycline.
- 9. First-line antibiotic for the treatment of meningococcal meningitis:**
- a) Amphotericin B;
  - b) Benzylpenicillin sodium salt;
  - c) Chloramphenicol;
  - d) Streptomycin;
  - e) Nystatin.
- 10. Most appropriate antibiotic for treating infections in pregnancy:**
- a) Streptomycin;
  - b) Tetracycline;
  - c) Benzylpenicillin;
  - d) Gentamicin;
  - e) Chloramphenicol.
- 11. Identify the correct statements about cephalosporins:**
- a) Cephalosporins are bactericidal towards multiplying bacteria;
  - b) Both cephalosporins and penicillins have the same spectrum of activity;
  - c) There is cross-sensitivity between penicillins and cephalosporins;
  - d) Cephalosporins are resistant to staphylococcal beta-lactamases (1st and 2nd generation), gram-negative bacteria (3rd and 4th generation).
- 12. Most active drugs against *Pseudomonas* spp.:**
- a) First-generation cephalosporins;
  - b) Second-generation cephalosporins;
  - c) Third-generation cephalosporins;
  - d) Fourth-generation cephalosporins.
- 13. The greatest ability to penetrate into the cerebrospinal fluid is for:**
- a) First-generation cephalosporins;
  - b) Second-generation cephalosporins;
  - c) Third-generation cephalosporins;
  - d) Fourth-generation cephalosporins.
- 14. Characteristic features of aztreonam:**
- a) Has a narrow spectrum of activity;
  - b) Is inactivated by beta-lactamases;
  - c) Resistant to beta-lactamases;
  - d) Inhibits RNA synthesis on ribosomes;

- e) Inhibits microbial cell wall synthesis;
- f) Is administered orally;
- g) Is administered parenterally.

**15. Characteristic features of imipenem:**

- a) Has a narrow spectrum of activity;
- b) Has a broad spectrum of activity;
- c) Is bacteriostatic;
- d) Is bactericidal;
- e) Inhibits RNA synthesis on ribosomes;
- f) Inhibits microbial cell wall synthesis;
- g) Is inactivated by beta-lactamases;
- h) Resistant to beta-lactamases;
- i) Is administered orally;
- j) Is administered parenterally.

**ANTIBIOTICS, PART II**

**1. Characteristic features of tetracyclines:**

- a) Have a broad spectrum of activity;
- b) Affect predominantly gram-negative bacteria;
- c) Are bactericidal;
- d) Are bacteriostatic;
- e) Slow resistance development;
- f) Fast resistance development;
- g) Inhibit protein synthesis on ribosomes;
- h) Inhibit cell wall synthesis;

**2. Tetracyclines are the drugs of choice for:**

- |                            |                   |
|----------------------------|-------------------|
| a) Coccal infections;      | f) Typhoid fever; |
| b) Bacillary dysentery;    | g) Syphilis;      |
| c) Brucellosis;            | h) Cholera;       |
| d) Tularemia;              | i) Plague;        |
| e) Rickettsial infections; | j) Typhoid fever. |

**3. Tetracyclines may cause:**

- |                    |                         |
|--------------------|-------------------------|
| a) Anemia;         | e) Liver injury;        |
| b) Dyspepsia;      | f) Allergic reactions;  |
| c) Hearing loss;   | g) Visual disturbances. |
| d) Dysbacteriosis; |                         |

**4. Characteristic features of chloramphenicol:**

- a) Has a broad spectrum of activity;
- b) Affects predominantly gram-positive bacteria;
- c) Is bactericidal;
- d) Is bacteriostatic;



- e) Slow resistance development;
- f) Fast resistance development.

**5. Chloramphenicol is the drug of choice for:**

- a) Typhoid fever and other salmonellosis;
- b) Coccal infections;
- c) Spotted fever and other Rickettsial infections;
- d) Cholera;
- e) Bacillary dysentery;
- f) Amebial dysentery.

**6. Chloramphenicol may cause:**

- a) Agranulocytosis;
- b) Anemia;
- c) Collapse;
- d) Hearing loss;
- e) Dysbacteriosis;
- f) Allergic reactions.

**7. Characteristic features of streptomycin:**

- a) Has a broad spectrum of activity;
- b) Affects predominantly gram-positive bacteria;
- c) Is bactericidal;
- d) Is bacteriostatic;
- e) Interferes with mRNA attachment and causes misreading of the genetic code;
- f) Interferes with plasma membrane permeability;
- g) Well absorbed from GIT;
- h) Poorly absorbed from GIT.

**8. Streptomycin is the drug of choice for:**

- a) Tuberculosis;
- b) Typhoid fever;
- c) Plague;
- d) Tularemia;
- e) Bacillary dysentery;
- f) Syphilis;
- g) Gonorrhoea.

**9. Streptomycin may cause:**

- a) Allergic reactions;
- b) Anemia;
- c) Liver injury;
- d) Hearing loss;
- e) Vestibular disturbances;
- f) Dysbacteriosis;
- g) Kidney injury.

**10. Neomycin is used for:**

- a) Wound infections, phlegmon, abscesses caused by Staphylococci, Streptococci and Pseudomonas aeruginosa;
- b) Rickettsial infections;
- c) Tuberculosis;
- d) Candidiasis;
- e) Bowel preparation before surgery.

**11. Third generation aminoglycosides are:**

- a) Streptomycin;
- b) Tobramycin;
- c) Neomycin;
- d) Kanamycin;
- e) Gentamicin;
- f) Netilmycin;
- g) Amikacin.

**12. Characteristic features of polymyxins:**

- a) Have a broad spectrum of activity;
- b) Affect predominantly gram-negative bacteria;
- c) Are bactericidal;
- d) Are bacteriostatic;
- e) Interfere with plasma membrane structure and functioning;
- f) High efficacy against intracellular pathogens;
- g) Active against *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*.

**13. Polymyxin B is used for:**

- a) Syphilis;
- b) *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* caused infections;
- c) Tuberculosis;
- d) Bowel preparation before surgery;
- e) Rickettsial infections;
- f) Candidiasis.

**14. Characteristic features of lincosamides:**

- a) Have a broad spectrum of activity;
- b) Affect predominantly gram-positive bacteria;
- c) Inhibit cell wall synthesis;
- d) Inhibit protein synthesis on ribosomes;
- e) Acquired resistance develops rapidly;
- f) Drugs of choice for the treatment of osteomyelitis.

**15. Characteristic features of lincosamides:**

- a) Have a broad spectrum of activity;
- b) Affect predominantly gram-positive bacteria;
- c) Are bacteriostatic;
- d) Are bactericidal;
- e) Acquired resistance develops slowly;
- f) Drugs of choice for treating osteomyelitis.

**16. Lincosamides may cause:**

- a) Dyspepsia;
- b) Allergic reactions;
- c) Pseudomembranous colitis;
- d) Liver injury;
- e) Respiratory arrest (on fast i/v administration);
- f) Collapse;
- g) Thrombocytopenia.

**17. Characteristic features of vancomycin:**

- a) Has a broad spectrum of activity;
- b) Affect predominantly gram-positive bacteria;
- c) Is bactericidal;
- d) Is bacteriostatic;
- e) Inhibits bacterial cell wall synthesis;
- f) Inhibits RNA synthesis on ribosomes;
- g) Well absorbed from GIT;
- h) Poor GIT absorption.

**18. Vancomycin may cause:**

- a) Kidney injury;
- b) BP decrease;
- c) BP increase;
- d) Seizures;
- e) Thrombophlebitis;
- f) Deafness.

**19. Antimicrobial combination therapy is used:**

- a) For the prevention of resistant bacterial strains development;
- b) To enhance antimicrobial effect;
- c) To broaden antibacterial spectrum of activity;
- d) To enhance antimicrobial effect of a bacteriostatic antibiotic it is necessary to add bactericidal one;
- e) To decrease the toxicity of certain antibiotics.

**20. Synergistic antibiotic combinations are:**

- a) Penicillins + aminoglycosides;
- b) Cephalosporins + aminoglycosides;
- c) Aminoglycosides + carbenicillin;
- d) Macrolides + tetracyclines;
- e) Gentamicin + amikacin;
- f) Ampicillin + oxacillin.

**21. The most common causative agents of superinfections:**

- a) Clostridium difficile;
- b) Candida fungi;
- c) Mycobacterium tuberculosis;
- d) Chlamydia;
- e) Pseudomonas aeruginosa.

**22. The causes of antibiotic therapy inefficiency:**

- a) Resistance of a pathogen to antibiotics;
- b) Concurrent administration of vitamins;
- c) Viral infections;
- d) Dosage regime violation;
- e) Incorrect antibiotic combinations.

**23. Aminoglycosides used for the treatment of infections caused by gentamicin-resistant bacteria:**

- a) Streptomycin;
- b) Amikacin;
- c) Neomycin;
- d) Tobramycin;
- e) Kanamycin.

**24. High synovial fluid concentrations are produced by:**

- a) Clindamycin;
- b) Erythromycin;
- c) Nystatin;
- d) Lincomycin;
- e) Cefuroxime;
- f) Phenoxymethylpenicillin.

**ANTIFUNGAL DRUGS. ANTIPROTOZOAL DRUGS**

**1. Nystatin-sensitive microorganisms:**

- a) Causative agents of systemic mycoses (*Histoplasma* spp. etc.);
- b) Causative agents of dermatomycoses;
- c) Yeast-like fungi (*Candida* spp.);
- d) Gram-positive bacteria;
- e) Gram-negative bacteria.

**2. Identify the correct statements about nystatin:**

- a) Is well absorbed from GIT;
- b) Is not absorbed from GIT;
- c) Highly toxic;
- d) Has a low toxicity;
- e) Is used for the treatment of systemic mycoses;
- f) Is used for the treatment of superficial mycoses.

**3. Amphotericin B resistant microorganisms :**

- a) Causative agents of systemic mycoses (*Histoplasma* spp. etc.);
- b) Causative agents of dermatomycoses;
- c) Yeast-like fungi (*Candida* spp.);
- d) Mold fungi (*Aspergillus* spp.);
- e) Trypanosomes.

**4. Identify the correct statements about amphotericin B:**

- a) Antimycotic spectrum of activity is similar to that of nystatin;
- b) Antimycotic spectrum of activity is wider than nystatin's;
- c) Good GIT absorption;
- d) Has a high toxicity;
- e) Is used for the treatment of dermatomycoses;
- f) Is used for the treatment of systemic mycoses.

**5. Ketoconazole-resistant microorganisms :**

- a) Causative agents of systemic mycoses (*Histoplasma* spp. etc.);
- b) Causative agents of dermatomycoses (*Microsporum* spp.);
- c) Viruses;
- d) Yeast-like fungi (*Candida* spp.);
- e) Mold fungi (*Aspergilla* spp.).

**6. Identify the correct statements about clotrimazole:**

- a) Antimycotic spectrum of activity is similar to that of nystatin;

- b) For topical use;
- c) For topical and systemic use;
- d) Is used for the treatment of dermatomycoses;
- e) Is used for the treatment of systemic mycoses;
- f) Good GIT absorption.

**7. Identify the correct statements about fluconazole:**

- a) Well absorbed from GIT;
- b) Not absorbed from GIT;
- c) Is used for the treatment of systemic mycoses;
- d) Has a low toxicity;
- e) Inhibits the fungal steroid synthesis pathway;
- f) The drug of choice in immunocompromised patients.

**8. Griseofulvin-sensitive microorganisms :**

- a) Causative agents of systemic mycoses (Histoplasma spp. etc.);
- b) Causative agents of dermatomycoses (Microsporum spp.);
- c) Yeast-like fungi (Candida spp.);
- d) Mold fungi (Aspergilla spp.);
- e) Protozoa (amebas, leishmanias).

**9. Identify the correct statements about griseofulvin:**

- a) Good GIT absorption;
- b) Fungistatic;
- c) Provides fast antifungal effect;
- d) High concentrations are achieved in the cells producing keratin;
- e) Is used for the treatment of systemic candidiasis;
- f) Is used for the treatment of dermatomycoses.

**10. A drug used for the prevention of candidiasis resulting from broad-spectrum antibiotics:**

- a) Amphotericin B;
- b) Griseofulvin;
- c) Nystatin;
- d) Metronidazole;
- e) Clotrimazole.

**11. First-line antibiotic for the treatment of mycoplasmosis and chlamydial infections is:**

- a) Erythromycin;
- b) Cefuroxime;
- c) Gentamicin;
- d) Carbenicillin;
- e) Vancomycin.

**12. Effective against preerythrocytic forms of Plasmodium malariae:**

- a) Chloroquine;
- b) Quinine;
- c) Pyrimethamine;
- d) Primaquine;
- e) Mefloquine.

**13. Effective against paraerythrocytic forms of Plasmodium malariae:**

- a) Quinine;
- b) Primaquine;
- c) Pyrimethamine;
- d) Chloroquine;
- e) Mefloquine.

**14. Effective against sexual forms of Plasmodium malariae:**

- a) Mefloquine;
- b) Methotrexate;
- c) Quinine;
- d) Chloroquine;
- e) Primaquine.

**15. Drugs used for the prevention of malaria transmission (community protection measures):**

- a) Affect preerythrocytic forms of Plasmodium malariae;
- b) Affect erythrocytic forms of Plasmodium malariae;
- c) Affect gametes;
- d) Affect paraerythrocytic forms of Plasmodium malariae.

**16. Drugs used for treating of malaria (to eliminate clinical symptoms):**

- a) Affect preerythrocytic forms of Plasmodium malariae;
- b) Affect erythrocytic forms of Plasmodium malariae;
- c) Affect gametes;
- d) Affect paraerythrocytic forms of Plasmodium malariae.

**17. Pyrimethamine (including combinations with sulfonamides) is used for:**

- a) Malaria treatment;
- b) Individual chemoprophylaxis of malaria;
- c) Prevention of malaria relapses;
- d) Prevention of malaria transmission;
- e) Amoebiasis;
- f) Toxoplasmosis.

**18. Drugs active against luminal amebas:**

- a) Diloxanide;
- b) Quiniofone;
- c) Chloroquine;
- d) Emetine;
- e) Tetracyclines;
- f) Metronidazole.

**19. Drugs effective against amebas residing in the colonic mucosa:**

- a) Quiniofone;
- b) Chloroquine;
- c) Emetine;
- d) Doxycycline;
- e) Metronidazole.

**20. Drugs for the treatment of trichomoniasis:**

- a) Policresulen;
- b) Chloroquine;
- c) Metronidazole;
- d) Trichomonacid;
- e) Tinidazole;
- f) Furazolidone.

**21. Drugs for the treatment of giardiasis**

- a) Mepacrine;
- b) Chlorquinaldol;
- c) Furazolidone;
- d) Metronidazole;
- e) Chloroquine;
- f) Tinidazole.

**22. Identify the correct statements about mefloquine:**

- a) Causes arrhythmias;
- b) Used for the treatment of malaria symptoms;
- c) Used for the individual chemoprophylaxis of malaria;
- d) Has a low toxicity;
- e) Used for the prevention of malaria transmission.

**23. Identify the correct statements about chloroquine:**

- a) The drug of choice for the treatment of all types of malaria;
- b) Used for the treatment of malaria symptoms;

- c) Less toxic than other antimalarial agents;
- d) Has a high toxicity;
- e) Used for the prevention of malaria transmission.

**24. Identify the correct statements about primaquine:**

- a) The drug of choice for the eradication of intrahepatic plasmodia;
- b) Used only for the treatment of malaria symptoms;
- c) Active against hypnozoites;
- d) Highly toxic;
- e) Used for the prevention of malaria transmission.

**25. Identify the correct statements about metronidazole:**

- a) Used for the treatment of malaria;
- b) Used for the treatment of amebiasis;
- c) Used for the treatment of syphilis;
- d) Produces disulfiram-like reaction with alcohol;
- e) Used for the treatment of giardiasis.

**26. Identify the correct statements about tinidazole:**

- a) Used for the prevention of malaria transmission;
- b) Used for the treatment of trichomoniasis;
- c) Used for the treatment of all types of malaria;
- d) Produces disulfiram-like reaction with alcohol;
- e) Used for the treatment of toxoplasmosis.

**ANTIMYCOBACTERIAL DRUGS. ANTIVIRAL DRUGS**

**1. First-line anti-tuberculosis drugs:**

- a) Isoniazid;
- b) Streptomycin;
- c) Rifampicin;
- d) Ethambutol;
- e) PASA.

**2. Second-line anti-tuberculosis drugs:**

- a) PASA;
- b) Ethionamide;
- c) Rifampicin;
- d) Isoniazid;
- e) Cycloserine.

**3. The most effective anti-tuberculosis drugs (WHO classification):**

- a) Pyrazinamide;
- b) Kanamycin;
- c) Rifampicin;
- d) Streptomycin;
- e) Isoniazid.

**4. Multi-drug resistant tuberculosis is resistant:**

- a) To isoniazid only;
- b) To rifampicin only;
- c) To ethionamide and rifampicin;
- d) To isoniazid and rifampicin;
- e) To streptomycin and isoniazid.

**5. Antibiotics with anti-tuberculosis activity:**

- a) Tetracyclines;
- b) Vancomycin;
- c) Streptomycin;
- d) Rifampicin;
- e) Cycloserine.

**6. Identify the correct statements about isoniazid:**

- a) One of the most effective anti-tuberculosis drugs;
- b) Has a broad antimicrobial spectrum;
- c) Affects *M. tuberculosis* and *M. leprae*;
- d) Blocks the synthesis of mycolic acids (components of the mycobacterial cell wall);
- e) Causes peripheral neuropathy.

**7. Identify the correct statements about rifampicin:**

- a) One of the most effective anti-tuberculosis drugs;
- b) Has a broad antimicrobial spectrum;
- c) Inhibits DNA-dependent RNA-polymerase;
- d) Resistance develops slowly;
- e) Passes through blood-brain barrier.

**8. Identify the correct statements about ethambutol:**

- a) Affects predominantly *M. tuberculosis*;
- b) Has a broad antimicrobial spectrum;
- c) Inhibits the synthesis of mycobacterial cell wall;
- d) Causes retrobulbar neuritis;
- e) First-line anti-tuberculosis drug.

**9. Identify the correct statements about streptomycin:**

- a) Has a broad antimicrobial spectrum;
- b) Affects only *M. tuberculosis*;
- c) Inhibits protein synthesis on ribosomes;
- d) Resistance develops rapidly;
- e) For parenteral use.

**10. Features of *M. tuberculosis* as a target for chemotherapy:**

- a) Mycolic acids are the constituents of the mycobacterial cell wall;
- b) Sensitive to environmental factors and disinfectants;
- c) Resistance to chemotherapeutic agents develops slowly;
- d) Intracellular localization;
- e) Able to persist in the host organism due to L-forms.

**11. Have anti-influenza activity:**

- a) Rimantadine;
- b) Oseltamivir;
- c) Saquinavir;
- d) Interferons;
- e) Acyclovir.

**12. Broad-spectrum antiviral agents:**

- a) Interferons;
- b) Nucleoside analogs;
- c) Interferon inducers;
- d) Protease inhibitors;
- e) Neuraminidase inhibitors.

**13. Anti-HIV drugs:**

- a) Zidovudine;
- b) Stavudine;
- c) Acyclovir;
- d) Rimantadine;
- e) Saquinavir.



**14. Antiherpetic agents:**

- a) Acyclovir;
- b) Zidovudine;
- c) Idoxuridine;
- d) Butaminophen;
- e) Rimantadine.

**15. Used for the treatment of cytomegalovirus infection:**

- a) Ganciclovir;
- b) Foscarnet;
- c) Didanosine;
- d) Acyclovir;
- e) Rimantadine.

**16. Identify the correct statements about acyclovir:**

- a) Purine nucleoside analogue;
- b) Inhibits viral DNA-polymerase;
- c) Passes through blood-brain barrier;
- d) Does not pass through blood-brain barrier;
- e) Effective predominantly against Herpes simplex and Herpes zoster.

**17. Identify the correct statements about foscarnet:**

- a) Non-nucleoside analogue of pyrophosphate;
- b) Inhibits viral DNA-polymerase;
- c) Inhibits the penetration of viruses into cells;
- d) Effective against Herpes zoster virus and cytomegalovirus;
- e) Used for treating HIV.

**18. Identify the correct statements about rimantadine:**

- a) Aminoadamantane derivative;
- b) Inhibits the release of viral genome;
- c) Inhibits viral RNA synthesis;
- d) Effective against Influenza virus A;
- e) Administered orally.

**19. Identify the correct statements about ribavirin:**

- a) Inhibits viral RNA and protein synthesis;
- b) Inhibits viral neuraminidase;
- c) Interferes with the assembly process;
- d) Effective against Influenza virus, Respiratory syncytial virus;
- e) Used orally, by inhalations, intravenously.

**20. Identify the correct statements about zidovudine:**

- a) Absorbed from GIT;
- b) Inhibits HIV reverse transcriptase, prevents the transcription of viral RNA into DNA;
- c) Inhibits HIV proteases, prevents the synthesis of viral structural proteins and enzymes;
- d) Causes bone marrow depression;
- e) Effective against all RNA-containing viruses.

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