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Chapter: Chapter 01 - Quiz

Multiple Choice

1. In 2020, healthcare expenditures made up what percentage of GDP?
A) 25%
B) 17.1%
C) 19.7%
D) 10.9 %
E) 15%
Ans: C
Complexity: Difficult
A-head: Health Care
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2. Which of the following is defined as the health outcomes of a group of individuals, including the distribution of such outcomes within the group?
A) Public health
B) Global health
C) Population health
D) Individual health
Ans: C
Complexity: Moderate
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3. Which organization has defined health as “a complete state of physical, mental, and social well-being and not merely the absence of an illness or a disease”?
A) Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
B) Food and Drug Administration
C) World Health Organization

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D) National Institutes of Health
Ans: C
Complexity: Moderate
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True/False

1. Most surveyed consumers state that they are satisfied with the U.S. healthcare system.
Ans: False
Complexity: Moderate
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2. Virtually everyone in the United States has access to health care.
Ans: False
Complexity: Easy
A-head: System Issues
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Short Answer

1. Experts predict that between 2022 and 2029, there will be ___% more job openings in the healthcare industry.
Ans: 15
Alternate ans: fifteen
Complexity: Easy
A-head: Health Care
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2. In both the population and individual perspectives, the health status of the U.S. population is mediocre with increasing incidence and prevalence of chronic disease across the life span and a relatively high mortality rate in the _____.
Ans: population
Complexity: Moderate
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Multiple Response

1. The U.S. health system is a complicated relationship among providers, consumers, and financers of care that revolves around what three concerns?
A) Cost
B) Quality
C) Access
D) Competence
E) Prestige
Ans: A, B, C
Complexity: Moderate
A-head: System Issues
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2. Physician satisfaction is associated with:
A) patient satisfaction.
B) time off from work.
C) patient adherence to treatment recommendations.
D) prestige.
E) quality of the health plans that they work with.
Ans: A, C, E
Complexity: Difficult
A-head: System Issues
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3. Individual health status may be measured through individual perceptions on a variety of dimensions, including which of the following?
A) Physical disability
B) Presence of illness
C) Risk factors for mortality
D) Risk factors for morbidity
E) Emotional status
F) Overall perception of wellness
Ans: A, E, F
Complexity: Difficult
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4. Individual health status can be measured by a physical examination of the person along any of several dimensions, including as which of the following?
A) Physical disability
B) Biological testing
C) Emotional status
D) Risk of morbidity

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E) Risk of mortality
F) Pain assessment
Ans: B, D, E
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