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Chapter 1 Reflections of the Past

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Chapter 1: Hospitals Through the Ages

1. The first physicians most likely to have used castor oil and peppermint as drugs were _____.

a. Greek
b. Roman
c. Hindu
d. Egyptian

Answer – d

2. As early as 1134 B.C. these ancient ruins demonstrate evidence that patients were being treated holistically in _____.

a. Greek temples
b. Roman temples
c. Mohammedan asylums
d. Serbian temples

Answer – a

3. _____ employed the principles of percussion, ausculation, kept detailed clinical records, and performed numerous surgical procedures was

a. Rhazes
b. Hippocrates
c. Muhammad
d. Bernard

Answer – b

4. The writings of Hippocrates were preserved by _____.

a. Dutch merchants
b. Van Leeuwenhook
c. Monks
d. barber surgeons

Answer – c

5. Although _____ did not invent the first microscope, he was able to perfect it.

a. Van Leeuwenhook
b. Fenwick
c. Lister
d. Pasteur

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Answer – a

6. The person who claimed that the alarming number of deaths from puerperal fever was due to infection transmitted by students came directly from the dissecting room to take care of maternity patients _____.

a. Pasteur
b. Morgan
c. Rhazes
d. Semmelweis

Answer – d

7. _____ is often referred to as the first hospital administrator.

a. Bedford Fenwick
b. W. G. Wylie
c. Florence Nightingale
d. John Hopkins

Answer – c

8. The first incorporated hospital in the U.S. was founded in _____.

a. Boston
b. Philadelphia
c. Manhattan
d, Richmond

Answer – b

9. _____ is credited with the discovery of the X-ray

a. Halstead
b. Whipple
c. McCollum
d. Roentgen

Answer – d

10. The discoverer of vitamins A and B (which played an important role in the advancement of medicine of the 20th century) is credited to _____.

a. Goldberger
b. McCollum
c. Huldschinsky
d. Finlay

Answer – b

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11. The inventor of the electrocardiograph, which marked the beginning of medicine in the 20th century is credited to _____.

a. Einthoven
b. Einstein'
c. Eisenberg
d. Ernst

Answer – a

12. Reform in medical education early in the 20th century was due to _____.

a. hospital administrators
b. standardization
c. National League of Nursing
d. Council on Medical Education and Hospitals

Answer – d

13. With the goal of providing the best professional, scientific and humanitarian care possible, the focus of efforts in hospital standardization was the _____.

a. Whipple
b. Patient
c. Nurse
d. Nurses and physicians

Answer – b

14. Hospitals first appeared in as *aesculapia* (named after a god of medicine) _____.

a. Egypt
b. Greece
c. Spain
d. Greenland

Answer – b

15. _____ introduced steam sterilization in 1886, which was of great importance for infection control in hospitals.

a. Bergmann
b. Konrad
c. McCollum
d. Halstead

Answer – a

16. _____ produced experimental rickets.

a. Wasserman

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b. Fenwick
c. Virchow
d. Finlay

Answer – d

17. Two of the significant influences in the development of surgical procedures were _____.

a. carbolic solution and ventilation systems
b. sterilization and cell theory
c. anesthesia and antiseptics
d. anatomy and cell theory

Answer – c

18. _____ showed that wound healing could be hastened by using antiseptics.

a. Lister
b. Halstead
c. Pasteur
d. Semmelweis

Answer – a

19. _____ was the first hospital where anesthesia was first publicly demonstrated in 1846.

a. John Hopkins Hospital
b. Pennsylvania Hospital
c. New York Hospital
d. Massachusetts General Hospital

Answer – d

20. Congress passed and President Barack Obama signed the _____ on March 23, 2010. The legislation is designed to ensure that more Americans receive healthcare benefits.

a. National Insurance
b. Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996
c. Obama Care
d. Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act

Answer – e

21. _____ published a book in 1775 describing frightful conditions existing in hospitals

a. John Jones
b. Thomas Bond
c. Thomas Jefferson
d. William Penn

Answer – a

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22. In 1918, the American College of Surgeons drew up a "constitution" for hospitals setting forth the requirements for the care of the sick. This document was known as the _____.

a. minimum standard
b. strict liability doctrine
c. medical practice standards
d. national health insurance

Answer – a

23. The primary function of a hospital is to provide _____.

a. a work environment for professional staff
b. shelter for the homeless
c. laboratories to conduct research
d. a place to care for the sick and injured

Answer – d

24. The scope of services provided by a hospital _____.

a. remain constant
b. are in a continuing state of change
c. have been pre-established
d. have been shrinking over the past 50 years

Answer – b

25. The American College of Surgeons was founded in 1913 under the leadership of _____.

a. Carlos Finlay
b. August Von Wasserman
c. Casimir
d. Franklin H. Martin

Answer – d

26. The first American nursing school was established in 1872 at _____.

a. Roosevelt Hospital
b. Bellevue Hospital
c. Sinai Hospital
d. Brigham and Women's Hospital

Answer – d

27. Engraved on a limestone pillar dating back to the Summerians (2920 B.C.) are pictures of the _____.

a. Mohammedan hospitals

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b. assemblage of wounded soldiers
c. various physical ailments
d. Socrates

Answer – b

28. The hospital that was most likely typical of the better hospitals of the Middle Ages _____.

a. London University Hospital
b. New London
c. Hotel-Dieu of Paris
d. Winston

Answer – c

29. The first psychiatric hospital founded in the U.S. was located in _____.

a. Norfolk, VA
b. Richmond , VA
c. Williamsburg, VA
d. New York, NY

Answer – c

30. A dentist who developed sulfuric ether and arranged for the first hospital operation under anesthesia was _____.

a. W.T.G. Morgan
b. Dr. Nathan Smith Davis
c. Ignatz Philipp Semelweis
d. Crawford Long

Answer – a

31. At the beginning of the 21st century approximately _____ Americans do not have health insurance

a. 148 million
b. 49 million
c. 46,000 thousand
d. 28,000 million

Answer – b

32. _____ is the first state to begin a court room battle with national health insurance.

a. California
b. NewYork
c. Pennsylvania
d. Virginia

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Answer – d

33. The national health insurance plan _____ discrimination against Americans with pre-existing conditions.

a. promotes
b. allows
c. prohibits
d. permits

Answer – c

34. The national health insurance plan includes provisions to _____.

a. encourage insurance companies to impose pre-existing condition exclusions.
b. require the need for some insurance companies to require prior approval prior to the patient seeking emergency care at a hospital outside the plan's network.
c. promote discrimination against Americans with pre-existing conditions.
d. ban insurers from setting lifetime limits on the insured's coverage and restrict their use of annual limits on coverage.

Answer – d

35. _____ a plan of care whereby a patient pays an annual retainer fee in exchange for immediate access to a physician for health care.

a. Emergency medicine
b. Comprehensive medicine
c. Boutique medicine
d. Outpatient medicine

Answer – c