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Multiple Choice

1. Which research design involves presenting the integration of findings from several or many published studies?
A) Systematic review
B) Mixed methods
C) Descriptive
D) Correlation
Ans: A
Complexity: Moderate
Ahead: Conclusions of a Systematic Review
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2. Which research study best aligns with the use of a qualitative research approach?
A) Measuring the strength of the relationship between salary and nursing retention
B) Determining the predictors of re-hospitalization for emergency department patients
C) Testing a hypothesis about a nursing intervention aimed at promoting patient nutrition
D) Describing how critical care nurses interact with family members of unconscious patients
Ans: D
Complexity: Difficult
Ahead: Findings from an Original Study
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3. The concept of “nursing phenomenon” is best described as:
A) the social aspect of being a nurse.
B) a method of nursing inquiry.
C) a valuable form of research evidence.
D) the realities that exist within the realm of nursing.
Ans: D

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Complexity: Moderate
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4. When considering making a change in practice, which of the following activities should the project group do *first*?
A) Implement a qualitative study to learn more about the reasons for the proposed change.
B) Search for an evidence-based guideline about the issue.
C) Survey a panel of experts to get their opinion about the issue.
D) Design a quantitative study to prepare for examining the impact of the change.
Ans: B
Complexity: Moderate
Ahead: Going Forward
Subject: Chapter 2
Title: Research Evidence

5. Which term encompasses the findings of original studies, conclusions of systematic reviews, and recommendations of evidence-based clinical practice guidelines?
A) Mixed methods
B) Action research
C) Extended observation
D) Research evidence
Ans: D
Complexity: Easy
Ahead: Research Evidence
Subject: Chapter 2
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6. Which statement is true of clinical practice guidelines?
A) Each clinical practice guideline is developed based on the most current published research evidence.
B) Clinical practice guidelines are legal standards of care to which healthcare organizations and team members must adhere.
C) Consensus of an expert panel is the strongest evidence that may be used to support a clinical practice guideline.
D) Clinical practice guidelines are evidence-based when the producers conduct a systematic review of the research and formulate recommendations using that evidence.
Ans: D
Complexity: Difficult
Ahead: Recommendations of an Evidence-Based Clinical Practice Guideline
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7. Which term refers to the most basic form of research evidence?
A) Summary

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B) Bias
C) Finding
D) Variable
Ans: C
Complexity: Easy
Ahead: Building Knowledge for Practice
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8. Which topic is best suited for studying by implementing a quantitative research approach?
A) Patients' experiences with barriers to accessing mental health services
B) Effectiveness of a wellness intervention on patients' smoking cessation
C) How nurses interact with family members of unconscious patients
D) Patients' perceptions of access to healthcare staff during chemotherapy
Ans: B
Complexity: Moderate
Ahead: Findings from an Original Study
Subject: Chapter 2
Title: Research Evidence

9. In order to build more reliable knowledge, the findings of a single, original study should be:
A) disregarded because they have no validity.
B) brought together and integrated with the findings of other studies of the same issue.
C) considered highly dependable if the sample size was large.
D) submitted for publication only if a quantitative research approach was implemented.
Ans: B
Complexity: Moderate
Ahead: Building Knowledge for Practice
Subject: Chapter 2
Title: Research Evidence

10. Which consideration determines whether a researcher uses a qualitative or quantitative research method for a particular study?
A) The researcher's preference for one research method over the other
B) The choice to collect either numerical data or data that is in word form
C) The nature of the research question being asked
D) The financial resources available for conducting the study
Ans: C
Complexity: Moderate
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