

HESI A2 Practice Test Vocabulary

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1. What is the name of the group of medications that would be used for the treatment of constipation?

- (A) Lavage
 - (B) Lanugo
 - (C) Latissimus dorsi
 - (D) Laxative
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2. When a cat, clearly scared of a Rottweiler, enters the room, what word describes its behavior?

- (A) Cower
 - (B) Engender
 - (C) Enhance
 - (D) Replicate
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3. In the following sentence, which word or phrase is the least effective in conveying the intended meaning: The physician started to perform the operation, but the patient was not yet completely under anesthesia.

- (A) Started to
 - (B) Perform
 - (C) Was not
 - (D) Completely under
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4. Select the correct spelling of the word that correctly fits the sentence: The nurse told the patient to take the _____ on an empty stomach.

- (A) Medication
 - (B) Medecation
 - (C) Medcation
 - (D) Medecatoin
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5. Select the meaning of the highlighted word in this sentence: A mother called her healthcare provider to report she had discovered a 'node' on her child's upper arm.

- (A) A small rounded mass
 - (B) Oozing blood
 - (C) A blister
 - (D) A reddened area
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6. What does it mean if a person is ravenous?

- (A) generous
 - (B) outspoken
 - (C) friendly
 - (D) hungry
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7. Select the correct spelling for the word that fits in the sentence: The patient was in a state of _____ shortly before he died.

- (A) Detareation
 - (B) Detearation
 - (C) Detereation
 - (D) Deterioration
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8. What does exploratory surgery mean?

- (A) To reduce scar tissue in the area
 - (B) To investigate the patient's complaint
 - (C) To extract a diseased organ
 - (D) To repair a torn ligament or vessel
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9. Select the meaning of the underlined word in this sentence: My grandmother used to tell me, 'Anything in excess can be a sin.'

- (A) Creating a nuisance
 - (B) More than is needed
 - (C) Not allowed
 - (D) Desirable
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10. Select the meaning of the quoted word in the sentence. The doctor instructed the patient to keep his head 'elevated'.

- (A) Raised
- (B) Turned
- (C) Still
- (D) Thrown back