

# Cheap Nursing CEUs

## Foodborne Illness

**1. Which of the following best represents a severe symptom of a foodborne illness?**

- A. Cramps
  - B. Nausea
  - C. Diarrhea
  - D. High fever (e.g., temperature over 102°F)
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**2. Which of the following best represents a patient population that is at high risk for foodborne illnesses?**

- A. Children younger than five years
  - B. Children younger than 10 years
  - C. Children younger than 12 years
  - D. Children younger than 14 years
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**3. What is the duration of *B. cereus* food poisoning?**

- A. 24 - 48 hours
  - B. 72 - 96 hours
  - C. 4 - 8 days
  - D. 8 - 10 days
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**4. A 28-year-old patient has questions regarding intestinal cryptosporidiosis food poisoning. Which of the following educational points should be expressed to the patient?**

- A. Signs and symptoms typically start 2 - 10 days after ingestion.
  - B. Signs and symptoms typically start 2 - 10 weeks after ingestion.
  - C. Intestinal cryptosporidiosis food poisoning is typically caused by eating overcooked pork.
  - D. Intestinal cryptosporidiosis food poisoning is typically caused by drinking milk.
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**5. Which of the following best represents a typical food source for *E. Coli* food poisoning?**

- A. A typical food source for *E. coli* food poisoning is milk.
  - B. A typical food source for *E. coli* food poisoning is overcooked beef.
  - C. A typical food source for *E. coli* food poisoning is overcooked fish.
  - D. A typical food source for *E. coli* food poisoning is water or food contaminated with human feces.
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**6. Which of the following best represents a sign/symptom of hepatitis?**

- A. Dark urine
  - B. Glossitis
  - C. Rhinorrhea
  - D. Epistaxis
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**7. What is the duration of salmonellosis food poisoning?**

- A. 2 - 4 hours
  - B. 4 - 8 hours
  - C. 4 - 7 days
  - D. 8 - 14 days
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**8. A 32-year-old female patient has questions regarding *V. parahaemolyticus* food poisoning. Which of the following educational points should be expressed to the patient?**

- A. Signs and symptoms typically start 4 - 96 hours after ingestion.
  - B. Signs and symptoms typically start 8 - 12 days after ingestion.
  - C. *V. parahaemolyticus* food poisoning does not typically affect women.
  - D. *V. parahaemolyticus* food poisoning does not typically affect individuals over the age of 18.
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**9. Which of the following best represents an IDSA treatment recommendation?**

- A. Patients with fever or bloody diarrhea should be evaluated for enteropathogens for which antimicrobial agents may be beneficial.
  - B. Patients with fever or bloody diarrhea should not be evaluated for enteropathogens.
  - C. Patients with clinical features of sepsis and suspected enteric fever should not be treated empirically with broad-spectrum antimicrobials.
  - D. Only patients over the age of 65 with clinical features of sepsis and suspected enteric fever should be treated empirically with broad-spectrum antimicrobials.
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**10. Which of the following statements best defines HUS?**

- A. HUS may refer to extreme dehydration.
  - B. HUS may refer to extreme hunger.
  - C. HUS may refer to a syndrome characterized by inflammation.
  - D. HUS may refer to a syndrome that affects the blood and blood vessels, which may lead to anemia.
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