

# Cheap Nursing CEUs

## Tuberculosis

**1. A nurse is caring for a patient diagnosed with active TB. What symptoms would the nurse expect to see in this patient?**

- A. Headache and nausea
  - B. Fever and night sweats
  - C. Rapid weight gain
  - D. Tachycardia and hypotension
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**2. What is a risk factor for TB?**

- A. HIV
  - B. Obesity
  - C. Epilepsy
  - D. Hypertension
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**3. A nurse is caring for a patient diagnosed with latent TB. What statement is most accurate about latent TB?**

- A. The patient will have worsening symptoms."
  - B. The patient cannot progress to active TB disease.
  - C. The patient is not contagious.
  - D. The patient does not need treatment for TB.
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**4. What type of test is recommended for patients who have received the BCG vaccine?**

- A. Sputum test
  - B. Mantoux test
  - C. Chest x-ray
  - D. QuantiFERON-TB Gold (QFT)
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**5. A nurse is caring for a patient who has received the Mantoux test for TB. How long after the test does the nurse instruct the patient to return to read the results?**

- A. 48-72 hours
  - B. 24-48 hours
  - C. 72-96 hours
  - D. 12-24 hours
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**6. What is a potential cause for drug-resistant TB?**

- A. HIV diagnosis
  - B. Noncompliance of treatment plan
  - C. Living in crowded conditions
  - D. Working in healthcare settings
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**7. What type of isolation precautions should a nurse initiate for a patient with TB?**

- A. Standard precautions
  - B. Droplet precautions
  - C. Airborne precautions
  - D. Contact precautions
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**8. A nurse is providing education to a patient who is being treated for active TB disease. How long should the nurse instruct the patient to take their TB medications?**

- A. 1-2 months
  - B. 3-4 months
  - C. 1 year
  - D. 4-9 months
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**9. A nurse is educating a patient on directly observed therapy (DOT). What statement by the nurse is most accurate?**

- A. DOT can help ensure you don't miss any medication doses.
  - B. We recommend DOT when the medications aren't working.
  - C. DOT is used for all patients being treated for TB.
  - D. DOT can only be done in person.
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**10. What is tuberculosis?**

- A. An incurable disease spread by contact
  - B. A preventable infectious disease spread through the air
  - C. A disease that only affects the lungs
  - D. An asymptomatic infectious disease
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