



ACCU-CHEK® INFORM II BLOOD GLUCOSE TESTING AT THE BEDSIDE COMPETENCY EXAM

Name: _____

Date: _____

TRUE or FALSE

- ____ 1. The greatest risk in doing a capillary puncture is to pierce bone with the lancet device.
- ____ 2. You must use 2 patient identifiers when doing blood glucose checks, using the room number as one of the identifiers.
- ____ 3. If you dimple the skin when applying the lancet device to the patient, you increase the risk of putting the lancet into bone.
- ____ 4. It is not necessary to wipe away the first drop of blood.
- ____ 5. The proper site for doing a finger puncture is on the pad of the finger at the side of the finger.
- ____ 6. It is an OSHA requirement that you must wash your hands and don gloves before performing a capillary puncture.
- ____ 7 It is OK to excessively milk the patient's finger to get an adequate sample size,
- ____ 8. Laboratory will enter Strip Lot Code information into the meters wirelessly whenever there is a new Lot number.
- ____ 9. For adults, the critical values for blood glucose testing are <40.
- ____ 10. The Accu-chek®Inform II meter records who performed the blood glucose test.
- ____ 11. There is NO need to date the bottles of Glucose Control Solutions (Lo and Hi solutions).
- ____ 12. Bottles of test strips are stable only 3 months.
- ____ 13. Only capillary blood samples should be used when testing with the Accu-chek® Inform II Glucose Meter.

- ___ 14. The Accu-check®Inform II Glucose Meter should be docked in the docking station when it is not in use
- ___ 15. If either "HI" or "LO" occurs on a patient test, you should repeat the test.
- ___ 16. If the QC checks have not been done, it is acceptable to perform a patient test .
- ___ 17. If the QC checks results in "FAIL", a patient test can still be performed.
- ___ 18. If a patient brings in their own meter from home, it can be used instead of using the Accu-chek®Inform II Glucose Meter if they have an order from their doctor.
- ___ 19. The medical record number listed under the patient name on the patient armband is used as the patient ID on the Accu-chek® Inform II Glucose Meter.

FILL IN THE BLANKS

20. "HI" as a result on the Accu-check®Inform II Glucose Meter means that the value obtained was _____ and "LO" as the result means the value obtained was _____.
21. The critical values for blood glucose testing are < (less than) _____ and > (greater than) _____.
22. List the 3 things you must do when the Accu-check®Inform Glucose Meter flashes a pop-up box with a critical value.
