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HIV / AIDS

Supporting Patients in Care

1. Patients need to be informed of their rights under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act and understand the public health implications of HIV.

- A. True
 - B. False
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2. A first step in ensuring that patients are “engaged in care” is the establishment of systems that include mechanisms for:

- A. Coordination and communication of care.
 - B. A nonjudgmental and supportive environment.
 - C. Patient education.
 - D. Appointment scheduling and prescription refills.
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3. Providing comprehensive care for HIV-infected patients requires:

- A. A patient-centered focus.
 - B. A multidisciplinary team.
 - C. A willingness to spend time on building relationships with patients.
 - D. All of the above.
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4. All levels of staff should be trained on patient self-management concepts and how to incorporate them into care.

- A. True
 - B. False
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5. In order to best serve all patients, there should be separate facilities and special procedures for HIV-infected patients.

- A. True
 - B. False
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6. People with HIV infection are protected against discrimination under provisions of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

- A. True**
 - B. False**
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Clinical Management

7. Staff members must know to whom a patient has disclosed his or her status; in _____ correspondence, staff members must avoid unintended disclosure of the patient's HIV infection.

- A. Verbal**
 - B. Written**
 - C. Both (A) and (B)**
 - D. None of the above**
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Patient Education

8. Attention and comprehension levels are optimal during the first _____ minutes of a visit, after which an individual's ability to absorb and retain information declines.

- A. 5 - 10**
 - B. 10 - 15**
 - C. 15 - 20**
 - D. 20 - 30**
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Initial History

9. Conducting a thorough initial history and physical examination is only important if previous medical records are not available.

- A. True**
 - B. False**
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