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Medical Errors Prevention

1. Which type of error is the use of a wrong plan to achieve an aim?

A. Error of execution
B. Error of planning
C. Error in diagnosis
D. All of the above

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2. What is the first step of a root cause analysis?

A. Identify adverse event
B. Organize a team
C. Develop an initial flow diagram
D. Develop an event story map

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3. Violations of procedure are not root causes, but must have a preceding cause.

A. True
B. False

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4. The patient's bill of rights demands full disclosure of an error.

A. True
B. False

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5. Which of the following represents the largest single cause of errors in the hospital setting in the United States?

A. Invasive / procedural errors
B. Misidentification errors
C. Medication errors
D. Sentinel event errors

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6. Every accredited organization is required to report sentinel events to The Joint Commission.

A. True
B. False

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7. SBAR is an effective and efficient way to communicate important information and offers a simple way to help:

A. Standardize
B. Set expectations
C. Establish structure of communication
D. All of the above

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8. Orthopedic surgeries, especially joint repair and joint tissue incision and excision are numerically the most common surgical categories in which AEs occur.

A. True
B. False

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