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**One answer per question is correct.**

**1. The social determinants of health and health inequities could be best addressed by:**

- a) monitoring research development and training
- b) promoting academic research
- c) funding research in low- and middle-income countries
- d) conducting clinical trials.

**2. Africa's contribution to global scientific publications is approximately:**

- a) 0.01%
- b) 0.1%
- c) 1%
- d) 10%.

**3. Barriers to lack of research output in sub-Saharan Africa include:**

- a) commitments in clinical medicine or service delivery
- b) dependence on foreign funding
- c) time constraints on development of research leadership skills
- d) all of the above.

**4. The following are the key ingredients for a productive collaborative North-South relationship except:**

- a) short-term vision
- b) commitments from external researchers
- c) knowledge transfer
- d) direct mentorship and training.

**5. The first COVID-19 case in Africa was reported in:**

- a) Algeria
- b) Egypt
- c) Senegal
- d) South Africa (SA).

**6. At the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic, besides SA, the only country in Africa with a laboratory that could confirm the SARS-CoV-2 virus was:**

- a) Algeria
- b) Egypt
- c) Senegal
- d) SA.

**7. The World Health Organization (WHO) declared COVID-19 a global pandemic on:**

- a) 1 March 2020
- b) 11 March 2020
- c) 21 March 2020
- d) 31 March 2020.

**8. Exposure factors to COVID-19 related to the proper use of cloth masks include all of the following except:**

- a) hand hygiene
- b) mask-wearing
- c) putting masks in any bin
- d) reusing masks.

**9. Consequences of prolonged length of hospital stay include the following:**

- a) nosocomial infection
- b) increased mortality and morbidity
- c) increased cost
- d) all of the above.

**10. Multidisciplinary discharge rounds in tertiary hospitals would require:**

- a) availability of reliable and consistent data
- b) electronic health records
- c) only medical doctors
- d) sophisticated information and computer technology equipment.

**11. Well-organised, process-focused data from patients minimise:**

- a) bed utilisation
- b) communication gaps
- c) expenditure
- d) length of stay.

**12. 6 months' medical internship training in family medicine/ primary care including public health medicine includes:**

- a) quality improvement cycles
- b) disease surveillance
- c) approach to disease prevention
- d) all of the above.

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### INSTRUCTIONS

1. Read the journal. All the answers will be found there, in print or online.
2. Go to [www.mpconsulting.co.za](http://www.mpconsulting.co.za) to answer the questions.

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**True or false?**

12. The appointment of local investigators with high potential to have a local research impact has been shown to be a key facilitator in achieving research capacitation.
13. According to the WHO, healthy people should wear a mask when they are caring for another person who is suspected of having a COVID-19 virus infection.
14. Effectively fighting COVID-19 would require systematisation of mask-wearing accompanied by clear information and awareness messages on how to use and correctly dispose of masks.