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SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

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TIME: 2 HOURS

Instructions to Candidates:

You should have the following for this examination

- *Answer Booklet*

Answer **ALL** questions in section **A & B**. Choose any **TWO** questions in section **C**
This paper consist of **SEVEN** printed pages

SECTION A

1. The yellow fluorescence on teeth caused by Tetracycline use is:
 - A. Tetracycline magnesium orthophosphate
 - B. Tetracycline calcium orthophosphate complex
 - C. Tetracycline aluminium orthophosphate complex
 - D. All of the above
2. Tetracycline is a:
 - A. Narrow spectrum antibiotic
 - B. Broad spectrum antibiotic
 - C. Group of antibiotic with no cross resistance
 - D. B and C
 - E. A and C
3. Microclide antibiotics are obtained from:
 - A. Actinomycetes
 - B. Streptonycetes
 - C. Penicillium species
 - D. None of the above
4. The use of chloramphenical is limited by:
 - A. Lack of a depo preparation
 - B. Shout half life
 - C. Haematological side effects (a plastic anaemia)
 - D. Atotoxicity
5. Which of the following is an akylating agent?
 - A. Cyclophosphamide
 - B. Busulfan
 - C. Decavbazine
 - D. All of the above
6. Amptoterian B is obtained from:
 - A. Streptonycetes neclosa
 - B. Actinomycetes
 - C. Lichens
 - D. None of the above
7. B – lactamases are:
 - A. Antibiotics e.g. amoxicillin
 - B. Enzymes produced by bacteria
 - C. Hydrolytic products of B- lactam antibiotics
 - D. All of the above
8. Ototoxicity and Nephrotoxicity are a common side effect of:
 - A. Cephalosporins
 - B. Tetracyclines
 - C. Ammoglycosides
 - D. Penicillins

9. The use of ethambutol in children is contraindicated because:
- It causes colour blindness
 - It is teratogenic
 - It has not been tested in children
 - All of the above
10. Natural penicillins are orally inactive because:
- They are proteinous in nature
 - They form chelates, hence precipitated
 - They are unstable in acid media (hydrolyzed)
 - None of the above
11. Which of the following combination of antibiotics is not recommended?
- Bactericidal and cell wall synthesis inhibitors
 - Antibiotics with different mechanisms of action
 - Bactericidal and bacteriostatic
 - All of the above



Use the above figure to answer question 12 to 15. Name the substituents R₁, R₂, R₃, R₄ in

12. Tetracycline
- H; CH₃; OH; H
 - H; CH₃; OH; OH
 - Cl; CH₃; OH; H
 - H; CH₃; N(CH₃); CH₃
13. Doxycycline
- N(CH₃)₂; CH₃; H; OH
 - N(CH₃)₃; CH₃; CH₃; CH₃
 - H; CH₃; OH; H
 - H; CH₃; N(CH₃)₃; CH₃
14. Minocycline
- N(CH₃)₂; H; H; H
 - N(CH₃)₃; H; H; H
 - H; CH₃; OH; H
 - H(CH₃)₃; H; H; H
 - Cl; CH₃; OH; OH
15. Which substitution decreases chemical stability?
- At C₁

- B. C₃
- C. C₆
- D. C₈

16. Bactericidal effect means:

- A. Inhibition of cell division
- B. Causing cell death
- C. Causing cell lysis
- D. Inhibiting metabolic process

17. Which of the following antibiotics does not interface with protein biosynthesis:

- A. Erythromycin
- B. Chloramphenicol
- C. Lincomycin
- D. Amoxicillin

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Use the above structure to answer question 18 to 20

18. The above structure represents:

- A. Rauwolfia alkaloids
- B. Cocaine
- C. Sulphonamides
- D. Conchona alkaloids
- E. Cinchonine

19. What compound is represented by:

R₁ and R₂ being OCH₃; -CH = CH₂ (-) isomer respectively:

- A. Coca
- B. Quinidine
- C. Quinine
- D. Cinchonine

20. The (+) isomer of compound 19 above:

- A. Quinidine
- B. Cinchonidine
- C. Chinchocaine
- D. Quinine

21. In a radiation change a nucleus usually loses just one particle of α and β , it is frequently accompanied by:

- A. X-ray
- B. Gamma ray
- C. Both of the above
- D. None of the above

22. Which of the following is not a type of gas filled detector:
- A. Proportional counter
 - B. G.M Counter
 - C. Semiconductor detector
 - D. Ionization chamber
23. Beta particles penetrate tissue up to:
- A. 100cm
 - B. 1000cm
 - C. 1cm
 - D. 10cm
24. 1 Becquerel is equivalent to:
- A. 2.7×10^{-11} curie
 - B. 2.7×10^{-70} curie
 - C. 2.7×10^{-8} curie
 - D. 2.7×10^{-5} curie
25. Which statement is correct regarding the handling and storage of radio materials:
- A. Radioactive materials should never be touched with bare hands
 - B. Sufficient protective clothing must be used while handling the materials
 - C. Should be kept in suitable labeled containers
 - D. All of the above
26. Cu deficiency can lead to:
- A. Leucopenia
 - B. Granulocytopenia
 - C. Anemia
 - D. All of the above
27. Zinc deficiency is associated with:
- A. Impaired growth
 - B. Parakevatosi
 - C. Retired sexual motivation
 - D. All of the above
28. An essential element is called so because:
- A. It must occur in all healthy tissues
 - B. Facilitate a great many essential life processes
 - C. It must cause reproducible life processes
 - D. All of the above
29. Condition causing hyponatremia:
- A. Extreme urine loss
 - B. Metabolic acidosis
 - C. Addison disease
 - D. All of the above
30. The advantages of sodium lactate over sodium bicarbonate
- A. Rapidly metabolized
 - B. It may be sterilized by boiling
 - C. Both of the above
 - D. None of the above

31. In metabolic acidosis
- HCO_3 excess
 - CO_2 decreased
 - HCO_3 deficit
 - All of the above
32. Acute metabolic alkalosis may be corrected by:
- KCL
 - NaHCO_3
 - NaCl
 - CaCl_2
33. Combination of antacid are prepared because:
- To attain synergistic effect
 - To enhance antacid effect
 - An attempt to balance the constipative effect of calcium and aluminium with the Laxative effect of magnesium
 - All of the above
34. The major side effect associated with saline Cathartic is:
- Excessive loss of body fluids in form of watery stools
 - Convulsions
 - Cardiac disorder
 - Constipation
35. Excess use of magnesium sulphate leads to:
- Hyper magnesaemia
 - Gastrointestinal irritation
 - Watery diarrhea
 - All of the above
36. Antiflatulents are generally included in antacid formulation. They act by:
- Reducing the surface tension of bubbles in the stomach
 - Avoid absorption of antacid
 - Prevent the formation of HCl
 - All of the above
37. Simethicone is:
- Antacid
 - Defoaming agent
 - Astringent
 - None of the above
38. Hydrolyapatite is mixture Ca^{2+} salt of:
- CO_3^{2-}
 - PO_4^{3-}
 - OH
 - All of the above

39. AgNO₃ is categorized into:
- Oxidative antimicrobial agent
 - Halogenated antimicrobial agent
 - Protein PP+ antimicrobial agent
 - All of the above
40. Hydrogen peroxide is used as:
- Antiseptic
 - Acidifying agent
 - Protective
 - Antioxidant

SECTION B

- List nephatoxic reactions of antimicrobial agents
- Why is tetracycline contraindicated in children and pregnancy?
- Give the contents of whitefields ointment and their mechanism of action
- List the 1st line drugs in the management of tuberculosis
- Draw the general structure of penicillin's
- List the FOUR classes of Radiopharmaceutical **(4 marks)**
- Explain the meaning of dosimetry and give its SI units **(4 marks)**
- What are topical antimicrobials? Give their classification **(4 marks)**
- What is a mouth wash? Give the active ingredients of a medicated mouth wash **(4 marks)**
- List any FOUR characteristics of an ideal anti acid preparation **(4 marks)**

SECTION C (Answer any TWO questions)

- Write short notes on:
 - Synergistic antibiotic combination
 - Suprainfection
- Discuss the SAR of tetracycline
- Discuss the mechanism of action of topical antimicrobial agents **(20 marks)**