

Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC)

Wildlife Animal User Training Quiz, 2023

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Please review the PowerPoint presentation for wildlife handlers. Choose the single best answer for each question. Submit an electronic copy to IACUC@mso.umt.edu. You must answer at least 13 (81%) of the questions correctly and submit a completed Risk Assessment form to be cleared for field work

- 1. The most commonly reported field injuries include all of the following except
 - a. bites and stings
 - b. knee and ankle injuries c.

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- skin lacerations
 - off-road driving accidents
- 2. Dangers to animals during hot weather include which of the following?
 - a. bradycardia and dehydration
 - starvation and hyperthermia b.
 - hyperthermia and dehydration
 - d. dehydration and hypothermia
- 3. One of the primary factors in accidents attributed to human error is lack of
 - a. intelligence
 - situation awareness
 - c. equipment malfunction
 - d. preparation
- 4. Dangers of cold weather to animals may be mitigated in part by all of the following **except**
 - using drug combinations instead of single agents a.
 - b. providing bedding in traps
 - c. using food to provide energy
 - providing warm packs
- 5. Which of the following are injuries serious enough for humanely euthanizing a captured wild animal?
 - severe unresponsive shock a.
 - b. deep open wound to the chest
 - compound fracture
 - d. all of the above

6. What zoonotic disease is commonly transferred from animal to humans during bare-handed skinning of rabbits or hares?

- Q fever a.
- b. Tularemia
- **Bubonic plague** c.
- d. Rabies



- 7. Which of the following viruses is most commonly transmitted from pet hamsters to humans but can also be harbored by *Peromyscus* sp?
 - a. Lymphocytic choriomeningitis virus
 - b. 🗌 West Nile virus
 - c. 🗌 Rabies virus
 - d. 🗌 Monkey pox virus
- 8. What pre-project activity is the single most important thing you can do to ensure worker safety and humane treatment of animals?
 - a. 🗌 training

b.

d.

c.

- course work
- c. 🗌 watching the Outdoor Channel
- d. ____ packing equipment
- 9. What zoonotic disease requires use of a respirator when trapping/collecting biological samples from *Peromyscus* sp?
 - a. 🗌 West Nile virus
 - b. Sin Nombre virus
 - c. 🗌 Rabies
 - Lymphocytic choriomeningitis virus
- 10. Personal protective equipment (PPE) may include all of the following except
 - a. waterless hand sanitizer
 - b. ____ compass
 - sturdy boots
 - d. 🗌 helmet
- 11. If you found a dead rock squirrel with severe petechial hemorrhages, what zoonotic disease would you suspect?
 - a. 🗌 Rabies
 - b. 🗌 Tularemia
 - c. 🗌 Sin Nombre virus
 - d. 🗌 Plague
- 12. Which of the following products is recommended as an effective mosquito repellant to be used directly on human skin?
 - a. 🗌 TNT
 - b. 🗌 Permethrins
 - c. 🗌 DEET
 - d. 🗌 Round-up
- 13. Breaks in the skin on the hands (cuts, scratches, etc.) can allow transmission of which of the following zoonoses from infective tissue or body fluids of reservoir or host wildlife?
 - a. 🗌 Plague

b. c.

d.

- Rabies
- Tularemia
- all of the above
- 14. Which of the following diseases can be characterized in wildlife reservoirs as causing unusually "friendly" behavior in unusual places at unusual times of day?
 - a. 🗌 Bubonic plague
 - b. Rabies
 - c. 🗌 Q fever
 - d. 🗌 Tularemia



- 15. Which of the following are important for remaining safe while performing wildlife field projects?
 - a. appropriate personal protective equipment for the nature of the work
 - b. situation awareness
 - c. communication with work mates
 - all of the above
- 16. Corvids and horses are sentinel animals for which disease transmitted by the Ochlerotatus japonicus mosquito?
 - a. 🗌 West Nile virus
 - b. Lymphocytic choriomeningitis virus
 - c. 🗌 Yellow fever
 - d. 🗌 Avian influenza

END. Have a great field season.

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