

Question Paper

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MANIPAL ACADEMY OF HIGHER EDUCATION

Pharmacology I (Theory) [PHA-BP404T-S2]

Marks: 75

Duration: 180 mins.

I Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs)

Answer all the questions.

Section Duration: 30 mins

- 1) Atropine sulphate - (1)

attains higher concentration intracellularly than in plasma.
is better absorbed from stomach.
is excreted more in alkaline urine.
is absorbed only via diffusion.
- 2) Which of the following drugs predominantly accumulates in bones - (1)

Tetracycline.
Chloroquine
Digoxin
Iodine
- 3) Which among the following is least correct about bioavailability (BA) - (1)

BA assumes significance for drugs with low margin of safety.
BA is defined as the rate of drug absorbed from a dosage form.
BA considerations are important when precise dosage adjustments are needed.
BA of anti-microbial regimens determine the success or failure of therapy.
- 4) Which among the following is not a catecholamine? (1)

Epinephrine
Nor-adrenaline
Ephedrine
Dopamine
- 5) The adrenergic receptor that plays a predominant role in vasodilation is- (1)

Alpha-1
Alpha-2
Beta-1
Beta-2
- 6) Which among the following receptors is not a metabotropic receptor? (1)

5-HT1
5-HT2
5-HT3

5-HT4

7) Which of the following drugs produce dissociative anaesthesia? (1)

- Halothane
- Ketamine
- Diethyl ether
- Nitrous dioxide

8) Which of the antipsychotic drugs produce relatively high extrapyramidal side effects? (1)

- Triflupromazine
- Olanzapine
- Clozapine
- Ziprasidone

9) Which of these drugs may produce diabetes insipidus as an adverse effect? (1)

- Lithium
- Moclobemide
- Buspirone
- Chlorpromazine

10) Which among the following is useful in treating phenothiazine induced extrapyramidal side effects? (1)

- Levodopa
- Bromocriptine
- Trihexyphenidyl
- Entacapone

11) Which of the following most accurately describes the transmembrane signalling process involved in the steroid hormone action? (1)

- Action on a membrane spanning tyrosine kinase
- Action of a G protein, which activates or inhibits adenylyl cyclase
- Diffusion across the membrane and binding to an intercellular receptor
- Opening of transmembrane ion channels

12) Which of the following statements best describes an 'Orphan drug'? (1)

- It is a drug which acts on orphan receptors
- It is a very cheap drug
- It is a drug which has no therapeutic use
- It is a drug required for treatment or prevention of a rare disease

13) Receptor mediated action is not seen in (1)

- Alcohol
- Antipsychotic
- Benzodiazepines
- General Anaesthetics

14) Antagonism between acetylcholine and atropine is: (1)

- Competitive antagonism
- Physiological antagonism
- Non-competitive antagonism
- Chemical antagonism

15)	Local anesthetics	(1)
	<u>Block the release of neurotransmitters</u>	
	<u>Block the influx of sodium into the cell</u>	
	<u>Increase the release of inhibitory neurotransmitters</u>	
	<u>Inhibit the efflux of sodium from neurons</u>	
16)	Flumazenil is	(1)
	<u>Diazepam inverse agonist</u>	
	<u>Diazepam antagonist</u>	
	<u>Opioid antagonist</u>	
	<u>Opioid inverse agonist</u>	
17)	Ethosuximide is used in the treatment of	(1)
	<u>Tonic clonic seizures</u>	
	<u>Absence seizures</u>	
	<u>Myoclonic seizures</u>	
	<u>Simple partial seizures</u>	
18)	Opioid analgesic used in treatment of cough?	(1)
	<u>Noscapine</u>	
	<u>Codeine</u>	
	<u>Dextromethorphan</u>	
	<u>Meperidine</u>	
19)	Synaptic transmission in the autonomic ganglion is usually:	(1)
	<u>Adrenergic</u>	
	<u>Cholinergic</u>	
	<u>Peptidergic</u>	
	<u>Mediated by substance P</u>	
20)	Diagnosis of myasthenia gravis is by using-	(1)
	<u>Edrophonium</u>	
	<u>Neostigmine</u>	
	<u>Succinylcholine</u>	
	<u>Atropine</u>	

II Long Answers

Answer all the questions.

- 1) Classify receptor super families with examples. Explain the signal transducer mechanisms operating in different G protein coupled receptors. (10)
- 2) Explain the different drug synthetic biotransformation reactions with examples. (10)

III Short Answers

Answer all the questions.

- 1) Enumerate the routes of administration of drugs, Mention the advantages and disadvantages of sublingual route of drug administration. (5)
- 2) Explain any two drug related and 3 patient related factor modifying drug action (5)
- 3) Classify anti-cholinesterases with examples. With a neat picture describe the mechanisms of action of reversible anti-cholinesterase (5)
- 4) Explain the mechanism of action of any three classes of antiepileptic drugs (5)

- 5) Giving examples list the uses of adrenergic alpha receptor blockers. (5)
- 6) Explain the factors that affect the partial pressure of anaesthetic attained in the brain. (5)
- 7) Briefly writing their mechanism, list the drugs for parkinsonism. What are the benefits of 'Co-careldopa'? (5)

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