Cyanide Poisoning Questions

1) **Question**

- a) it kills red blood cells
- b) it increases the use of oxygen
- c) it does not allow the body to use oxygen
- d) it stops blood from flowing

2) Question

- a) consumption of rare plants
- b) inhalation of smoke from burning silk
- c) being a photographer
- d) all of the above

3) **Question**

- a) At one point laetrile was given to treat cancer.
- b) Consumption of laetrile was found to be related to the onset of cyanide poisoning.
- c) Laetrile was actually a form of cyanide.
- d) Apricot pits were a component of laetrile.

4) Question

- a) true
- b) false

5) **Question**

- a) true
- b) false

6) Question

- a) true
- b) false

7) **Question**

- a) they both affect the throat
- b) they are both associated with shortness of breath
- c) they both occur as a result of a lack of oxygen
- d) both b and c

8) **Question**

- a) sudden collapse of the heart
- b) indigestion
- c) nausea
- d) seizure

9) **Question**

a) fever and confusion

- b) apnea and fast breathing
- c) slow heartbeat and bitter smelling breath
- d) general weakness and coma

10) **Question**

- a) true
- b) false

11) **Question**

- a) the victim is given mouth-to-mouth resuscitation
- b) a blood test is taken
- c) a ventilating tube is inserted to help the victim breathe
- d) his/her stomach is pumped

12) **Question**

- a) to check where the cyanide has traveled on the body
- b) to prevent other people from being contaminated
- c) to make it easier to administer oxygen therapy
- d) all of the above

13) **Question**

- a) oxygen therapy
- b) intravenous antibiotics
- c) medication
- d) surgery

14) **Question**

- a) it contains three types of medication
- b) the antidote kit is completely effective
- c) the antidote kit prevents further chances of cyanide poisoning
- d) both b and c