

CHAPTER 9

Understanding Drugs and Medicines

SECTION 1

1. Define **Drug**: _____

2. What 3 qualities must a drug have to be considered medicine?
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
 - c. _____
3. List the six (6) ways drugs are administered to the body:
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
 - c. _____
 - d. _____
 - e. _____
 - f. _____

SECTION 2

1. What information does a prescription have?
 - a. _____
 - b. _____
 - c. _____
 - d. _____
2. Define **Psychoactive**: _____

3. **T or F** Generic drugs are chemically identical to the name-brand drugs and contain the same active ingredient.
4. **T or F** Herbal remedies and dietary supplements are regulated by the FDA and their effectiveness have been proven like other OTC drugs.
5. List five (5) symptoms of anaphylactic shock: _____

6. You should tell your doctor and pharmacist if you are taking any other medicines or herbal remedies or dietary supplements before you start to take a new prescription or OTC medicine. By volunteering information about yourself and asking questions about new medicines, you can reduce your risk of drug _____, _____, _____, and drug _____.

SECTION 3

1. Define **Addiction**: _____

2. Describe the brain reward system: _____

3. What are the four steps to drug addiction? _____

4. List four (4) behaviors that may be warning signs of addiction.
 - a. _____ b. _____
 - c. _____ d. _____
5. Define **Physical Dependence**: _____

6. Define **Psychological Dependence**: _____

7. Describe the roll of withdrawal in maintaining a drug addiction. _____

