

A -READ THE FOLLOWING TEST, THEN CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER A, B, C OR D:

Medicine is the science dealing with health and how to cure all kinds of diseases. Medicine has advanced amazingly over decades. The emerging medical devices has evolved saving countless lives.

For instance, X-ray imaging, Magnetic Resonance Imaging, Robotic Surgery and Organ Transplants.

These breakthroughs helped surgeons diagnose, monitor and treat many medical conditions.

X-ray imaging uses an external radiation to produce images of the body without having to make an incision. Also, MRI scanners use strong magnetic fields and radio waves to generate images of the organs in the body.

During Robotic Surgery, surgeons can perform very complex steps with more accuracy, flexibility and control than it is possible with conventional techniques.

Robotic Surgery results in smaller incisions which reduce pain and lead to less time spent in hospitals.

Organ Transplants allow people to return to normal activities by transplanting various body parts like heart, liver and kidney. In short, medicine aims to promote and maintain health and well-being of patients. It is certain that medicine will continue to develop in ways we have yet to imagine.

1. " A neat cut made into the skin" is the definition of the word:

- a. transplant
- b. resonance
- c. embedded
- d. incision

2. ----- require strong magnetic fields.

- a. X-ray imaging
- b. Organ Transplants
- c. MRI scanners
- d. all kinds of diseases

3. The underlined word 'breakthroughs' means:

- a. a state of being accurate and careful.
- b. to replace a damaged organ with another.
- c. an important development that may lead to an achievement.
- d. being fixed or inserted into something else.

4. Which sentence is false about medicine:

- a. maintains well-being of patients
- b. increases diseases
- c. continues to develop
- d. deals with health

5. Which sentence is true about the text?

- a. Robotic Surgery results in bigger incisions.
- b. Robotic Surgery results in smaller incisions.
- c. Robotic Surgery results in transplanting various body parts.
- d. Robotic Surgery results in less accuracy, flexibility.

6. Which information is not mentioned in the text?

- a. Medicine has advanced amazingly.
- b. We don't have to make an incision in X-ray imaging.

- c. Surgeons can do very complex steps in Robotic Surgery.
- d. The history of Organ Transplants.

B -READ THE FOLLOWING TEST, THEN CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER A, B, C OR D:

Throughout history, various societies and cultures have developed different views in their approach to illnesses and diseases. One of the most important periods in the development of medicine

at all, especially medieval medicine, which lasted from the 9th to the 13th century, is called " the Golden Age of Arabic Medicine". The books of Arabic science that came about in this period are not only by Muslim authors, because Arab civilization is the result of consecutive and continuous efforts of various nations, regardless of the religion, race and color of the skin, who lived and produced in the Arab region. In ancient times, people used to cure sickness by using plants, herbs and other materials. In countries such as Egypt, Greece, Rome, Mesopotamia, India and China, medicine was magical and mythological and diseases were attributed mostly to the supernatural forces. Thus, before hospitals developed, patients were treated mostly in temples.

The practice of medicine during the Middle Ages was empirical; it focused mainly on curing illnesses rather than discovering their causes. At that time, cures continued to be a mixture of superstitions, religion, herbal remedies, bleeding and purging;

people were bled to reduce inflammation which was then thought to be the root of all diseases. Moreover, medical schools were established, but most people never saw a doctor because of the high-cost treatments. Instead, people were treated by local wise people who were skilled in the use of herbs, or by priests, or barbers.

7. Most medieval Europeans used to visit medical schools to receive because of the High- cost treatment.

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| a. True | b. False |
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8- In the modern ages, Most patients were treated by local ordinary people or priests ,or barbers .

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| a. True | b. False |
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9- In ancient times, medicine in Egypt and Mesopotamia was related to magic and mythology.

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| a. True | b. False |
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10- Medical physicians used bleeding as a successful remedy to reduce inflammation.

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| a. True | b. False |
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11. In the 1880s, physicians learned that illnesses were caused by germs.

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| a. True | b. False |
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12- Inflammation means-----

- a. medicines or treatment that cure a disease
- b. following one another without any interruptions
- c. based on experience rather than ideas
- d. a response of body tissues to injury of the body

II. CHOOSE A , B , C , OR D .

**13-now, people are using more sophisticated methods.
Now, more sophisticated methods.....by people.**

- a- is being used
- b-are used
- c-has been used
- d-are being used

14-We..... a very difficult question when the school bell rang.

- a- were being asked
- b-are being asked
- c-has been asked
- d-was being asked

15- In recent years, Many plants..... the government .

- a- were being constructed
- b-are being constructed
- c-have been constructed
- d-has been constructed.

16. The paintings..... till the end of the month.

- a- has been exhibited
- b-will be exhibited
- c- would be exhibited
- d- will be exhibited

17.Itthat the railway line was buried under tons of rocks and earth.

- a-is reported
- b-was reported
- c-has been reported
- d-had been reported

18. Jane..... to be furious at losing her job

- a- thought
- b-thinks
- c-has been thought
- d-have been thought.

19. When is he going to pay the taxes? When.....?

- a-are taxes going to be paid
- b- are taxes paid
- c. were taxes paid
- d. had to be paid.

20. the fine tomorrow ?

- a- Will the fine paid
- b- will the fine be paid
- c- will the fine been paid
- d- will the fine being paid

21. My kids just left for three weeks off camp and it's

- a-just what the doctor ordered-
- b-at death's door
- c-on the mend
- d- a taste of one's own medicine

22. Even when you and went into a coma, I never lost hope you'd fully recover one day.

- a-just what the doctor ordered-
- b-took a turn for the worse
- c-on the mend
- d- a taste of one's own medicine

23-If that itchy rash doesn't go away, you should go to a ...

- a- pediatrician
- b-Naturopath
- c- Dermatologist
- d-Ophthalmologist

24-Our recommended that little Kathy should have her tonsils out.

- a- pediatrician
- b-Naturopath
- c- Dermatologist
- d-Ophthalmologist

III- A- ASK ABOUT THE UNDERLINED WORD IN EACH SENTENCE:

39.Sara:

Ruba: My father works for an oil company .

40.Sara:

Ruba: We have been living in Canada for ten years.

41.Sara:

Ruba: We came to Damascus to visit our relatives.

42.Sara:

Ruba: We bought a new villa.

B- REORDER THE FOLLOWING TEXT.

- 1** The wolf preceded her and stormed into her grandmother's house .
- 2** .Leila's mother asked her to take food to her grandmother's house .
- 3** . I was terrified of him and hid and the wolf sat down.
- 4** .she saw a wolf on the way.

C – COMPOSITION:

Write a composition about the healthcare in Syria nowadays.

