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1. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Tuberculosis (TB) causes some 3 million deaths per year globally.**
2. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Because of the more acute nature of their disease a smaller proportion of HIV-positive patients with tuberculosis than non-HIV tuberculosis patients have extrapulmonary tuberculosis (EPTB).**
3. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**HIV-positive patients more commonly present with smear-negative TB.**
4. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Ascites is a rare finding in abdominal TB.**
5. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Down syndrome (DS) is the most common genetic cause of intellectual disability.**
6. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**South African national policy provides for free amniocentesis testing to be offered to women of advanced maternal age (AMA).**
7. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Amniocentesis uptake for AMA is consistently over 90% in all parts of South Africa.**
8. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**A promising option for improving DS detection is to integrate DS screening with fetal ultrasound services.**
9. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Eye diseases caused by infectious agents have no association with ecological factors such as rainfall and temperature.**
10. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**In developing countries cataract, glaucoma, trachoma and onchocerciasis account for a significant proportion of blindness.**
11. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Ultraviolet light has been postulated to be a risk factor for cataract.**
12. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Trachoma is endemic in areas with very high rainfall.**
13. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Onchocerciasis occurs mainly in communities close to rivers with topography that provides suitable breeding grounds for the vector.**
14. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**In a study in Nigeria onchocerciasis was the commonest cause of blindness.**
15. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Of all HIV infections, nearly 70% are in sub-Saharan Africa.**
16. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**In Zimbabwe the prevalence of HIV peaked at 33% in 2001 and had declined to 15.3% by 2007.**
17. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Oral mucosal transudate (OMT) is a salivary component from the capillaries of the gingival gum margin.**
18. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**OMT has a high concentration of immunoglobulin G (IgG).**
19. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Burns are the leading cause of unnatural death under the age of 5 in South Africa.**
20. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**In South Africa it is unlikely that a patient with burns exceeding 85% total body surface could survive.**

### INSTRUCTIONS

1. Read the journal. All the answers will be found there.
2. Go to [www.cpdjournals.org.za](http://www.cpdjournals.org.za) to answer the questions.

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