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# Clinical Biochemistry Exam Items (winter session, academic year 2024 - 2025)

- 1. For which reason would the laboratory have the right to reject the biological sample?
- 2. Reference values/intervals select the true statements:
- 3. Select the errors specific to the pre-analytical stage:
- 4. Select the factor that can influence the quality of the collected biological material:
- 5. Select the factor that can influence the quality of the collected biological material:
- 6. Select the mistakes in patient preparation for laboratory investigation:
- 7. Select the non-modifiable factor associated with the patient that may influence the results of laboratory analyses:
- 8. Select the non-modifiable factor associated with the patient that may influence the results of laboratory analyses:
- 9. Select the non-modifiable factor associated with the patient that may influence the results of laboratory analyses:
- 10. Select the responsibilities of the attending physician at the pre-analytical stage of the biochemical laboratory diagnosis that ensures the quality of the analysis results:
- 11. Select the typical mistakes in the blood sampling procedure:
- 12. Sensitivity and specificity of laboratory tests select the correct answers:
- 13. What activity is specific for the analytical stage of laboratory diagnosis?
- 14. What activity is specific to the analytical stage of laboratory diagnosis?
- 15. What activity must be carried out by the laboratory doctor at the pre-analytical stage of the laboratory diagnosis?
- 16. What activity must be carried out by the laboratory doctor at the pre-analytical stage of the laboratory diagnosis?
- 17. What activity must be carried out by the laboratory medicine specialist at the preanalytical stage of the laboratory diagnosis?



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- 18. What are the actions that can be taken by the laboratory in case of insufficient amount of biological material?
- 19. What are the benefits of biochemical laboratory methods for monitoring treatment?
- 20. What can be determined when laboratory methods are used for diagnostic purposes?
- 21. What factor will NOT determine errors in the clinician's decision at the post-analytical stage of the laboratory diagnosis?
- 22. What is one of the causes of the most frequent errors associated with performing the analysis?
- 23. What is one of the most common causes of errors associated with performing laboratory analysis?
- 24. What is the purpose of laboratory tests?
- 25. What kinds of investigations are included in the spectrum of clinical laboratory diagnosis?
- 26. What physiological factors should be taken into account when evaluating the results of laboratory tests?
- 27. Which activities are the laboratory obliged to undertake in the field of standardization of laboratory equipment?
- 28. Which data should be included in the request form of the biochemical analysis?
- 29. Which factors influence the quality of reagents prepared "in-house" (in the laboratory that performs the analysis)?
- 30. Which mistakes are associated with the analytical stage of laboratory diagnosis?
- 31. Why does hemolysis have a negative impact on the results of blood laboratory analyses?
- 32. What is the purpose of biochemical tests in treatment monitoring?
- 33. What is the purpose of laboratory tests?
- 34. What mistakes of the attending physician at the preanalytical stage can affect the results of biochemical tests?
- 35. Which specialist is responsible for informing the patient about preparation for laboratory tests?
- 36. Select the mechanisms that ensure the propagation of the nerve impulse in the presynaptic neuron:
- 37. Choose the possible pathways of glutamate synthesis in glutamatergic neurons:



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- 38. Select catecholamine neurotransmitter:
- 39. Select inhibitory neurotransmitters:
- 40. Select monoaminergic neuromodulator:
- 41. Select possible mechanisms for enhancing dopaminergic synaptic transmission:
- 42. Select serotonin precursor:
- 43. Select the enzymes involved in serotonin synthesis:
- 44. Select the cholinergic neurotransmitter:
- 45. Select the compounds involved in neurotransmission with excitatory action:
- 46. Select the correct statements about acetylcholine:
- 47. Select the correct statements about Parkinson's disease:
- 48. Select the correct statements regarding GABA (gamma-aminobutyric acid):
- 49. Select the correct statements regarding MAO enzymes (monoamine oxidases):
- 50. Select the correct statements regarding myasthenia gravis:
- 51. Select the correct statements regarding NMDA (N-methyl-D-aspartate) receptors:
- 52. Select the correct statements regarding the neurotoxicity (excitotoxicity) of glutamate:
- 53. Select the enzyme required for histamine synthesis:
- 54. Select the enzymes involved in catabolism of catecholamine neurotransmitters:
- 55. Select the enzymes involved in the catabolism of GABA (gamma-aminobutyric acid):
- 56. Select the main enzyme involved in the catabolism of histamine:
- 57. Select the mechanisms that ensure the exocytosis of the neurotransmitter in the synaptic cleft:
- 58. Select the mechanisms that ensure the generation of a depolarizing postsynaptic action potential (excitatory postsynaptic potential):
- 59. Select the mechanisms that ensure the generation of a hyperpolarizing postsynaptic action potential (inhibitory postsynaptic potential):
- 60. Select the neurological conditions that can be caused by channel pathies (mutations of ion channels involved in the generation of membrane action potentials):
- 61. Select the neuronal protein inhibited by botulinum toxin:
- 62. Select the peptides with a role in neurotransmission:
- 63. Select the possible mechanisms of enhancement of GABA-ergic synaptic transmission:
- 64. Select the purinergic compound involved in nerve transmission:



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- 65. Select the reactions and processes that occur in astrocytes (related to the role of astrocytes in glutamate and GABA metabolism):
- 66. Select the aminoacidergic neurotransmitters:
- 67. Select the correct statements about GABA (gamma-aminobutyric acid):
- 68. Select the correct statements regarding myelin:
- 69. Select the correct statements regarding syntaxins:
- 70. Select the correct statements regarding the storage of neurotransmitters in synaptic vesicles:
- 71. Select the main way of obtaining energy in neurons:
- 72. Select the neurotransmitter that provides nerve transmission in the neuromuscular cleft:
- 73. Select the peptides with a role in neurotransmission:
- 74. Select the usage of glutamate in the nervous tissue:
- 75. All clinical manifestations and laboratory changes listed fall within the IDF (International Diabetes Federations, 2005) criteria for defining the metabolic syndrome, with one exception:
- 76. All listed metabolic disorders contribute to the onset of diabetic ketoacidosis, with one exception:
- 77. All of the antibodies listed are markers of pancreatic autoimmunity in type 1 diabetes, with one exception:
- 78. All of the listed clinical conditions can lead to hypoglycemia, with one exception:
- 79. All of the listed factors can lead to a decrease in the level of glycated hemoglobin, with one exception:
- 80. All of the listed hereditary deficiencies can lead to hypoglycemia, with one exception:
- 81. All of the listed metabolic changes occur in the setting of chronic complications from diabetes, with one exception:
- 82. All of the metabolic disorders listed contribute to the onset of ketonemia in type 1 diabetes, with one exception:
- 83. All the changes listed are diagnostic criteria for diabetes, with one exception: (according to ADA American Diabetes Association, 2024):
- 84. All the clinical manifestations and laboratory changes listed are specific to diabetic ketoacidosis (ketoacidosis coma), with one exception:



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- 85. Glycated hemoglobin is used as a diagnostic criterion for diabetes, except:
- 86. Indicate the changes in lipid metabolism in insulin deficiency:
- 87. Indicate the changes in protein metabolism in insulin deficiency:
- 88. Indicate the hydro-electrolytic disturbances specific to ketoacidotic coma:
- 89. Insulin and C-peptide dosing are useful for all of the listed clinical conditions, with one exception:
- 90. Select causes of insulin resistance:
- 91. Select clinical manifestations and laboratory changes specific to hypoglycemia (hypoglycemic coma):
- 92. Select clinical manifestations and laboratory changes specific to hyperosmolar hyperglycemic syndrome (hyperosmolar coma):
- 93. Select laboratory tests used for screening of diabetes mellitus:
- 94. Select the "typical triad" of metabolic changes characteristic of diabetic ketoacidosis:
- 95. Select the acid-base disturbances characteristic of diabetic ketoacidosis:
- 96. Select the biochemical parameter that is useful for assessing compensation and treatment effectiveness of patients with diabetes:
- 97. Select the characteristic metabolic changes for hyperosmolar hyperglycemic syndrome:
- 98. Select the correct statements regarding hormonal regulation of blood glucose:
- 99. Select the correct statements regarding the metabolic effects of insulin:
- 100. Select the correct statements regarding the regulation of glucose-stimulated insulin secretion:
- 101. Select the diagnostic criteria of diabetes (according to ADA American Diabetes Association, 2024):
- 102. Select the diagnostic criteria of gestational diabetes (according to ADA American Diabetes Association, 2024):
- 103. Select the diagnostic criteria of impaired glucose tolerance (according to ADA American Diabetes Association, 2024):
- 104. Select the diagnostic criteria of modified basal blood glucose (according to ADA American Diabetes Association, 2024):
- 105. Select the diagnostic criteria of prediabetes (according to ADA American Diabetes Association, 2024):



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- 106. Select the insulin-dependent glucose transporter:
- 107. Select the lipid profile changes that make up the "atherogenic diabetic triad":
- 108. Select the metabolic effects of insulin:
- 109. Select the pair of glucose transporters that participate in glucose absorption in the kidney:
- 110. Select the pair of glucose transporters that participate in the absorption of glucose from the intestine:
- 111. Select the pathogenic factors involved in the occurrence of type 2 diabetes:
- 112. Select the pathogenic factors involved in the occurrence of type 1 diabetes:
- 113. Select the possible causes of hypoglycemia:
- 114. Select the possible causes of type 1 diabetes mellitus:
- 115. Select the possible causes of type 2 diabetes mellitus:
- 116. State the changes in carbohydrate metabolism in insulin deficiency:
- 117. What are the advantages of determining glycated hemoglobin over blood glucose testing?
- 118. What is the diagnostic value of albuminuria in patients with diabetes?
- 119. An increase in the activity of the following serum enzymes was detected in a patient with retrosternal pain and in the upper part of the abdomen: CK (creatine kinase) > ASAT (aspartate aminotransferase) > ALAT (alanine aminotransferase). What is the presumptive diagnosis?
- 120. An increase in the activity of the following serum enzymes was detected in a patient with retrosternal pain and in the upper part of the abdomen: lipase > amylase. What is the presumptive diagnosis?
- 121. An increase in the activity of the following serum enzymes was detected in a patient with an episode of abdominal pain: ALAT (alanine aminotransferase) >  $\gamma$ -GT ( $\gamma$ -glutamyl transferase) > ASAT (aspartate aminotransferase). What is the presumptive diagnosis?
- 122. Enzyme that indicates the damage of liver mitochondria select the correct answer:
- 123. In what cases does ASAT (aspartate aminotransferase) activity increase in the serum?
- 124. LDH (lactate dehydrogenase) activity is increased in the following conditions:
- 125. Select blood excretory enzymes:
- 126. Select blood secretory enzymes:
- 127. Select enzymes indicators of cellular damage:
- 128. Select the cause of absolute hypoproteinemia:



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- 129. Select the cause of relative hyperproteinemia:
- 130. Select the characteristic protein pattern for liver cirrhosis:
- 131. Select the conditions accompanied by an increase in the activity of y-glutamyl transferase (y-GT):
- 132. Select the correct statement regarding the absorption of iron:
- 133. Select the correct statements regarding  $\alpha$ -amylase:
- 134. Select the enzyme whose activity determination is appropriate in the case of suspected alcoholic liver damage:
- 135. Select the enzyme whose activity increases 4-8 hours after acute myocardial infarction?
- 136. Select the enzymes whose serum activity increases in cardiomyocyte injury:
- 137. Select the indicatory enzyme:
- 138. Select the negative acute phase proteins:
- 139. Select the pathology accompanied by a low level of plasma ceruloplasmin:
- 140. Select the plasma marker that remain increased more than 24 hours after acute myocardial infarction:
- 141. Select the positive acute-phase proteins:
- 142. Select the role of C-reactive protein:
- 143. The following plasma components are bound and transported by albumins:
- 144. The highest activity of ALAT (alanine aminotransferase) is detected in the cells of the:
- 145. Which of the following proteins is an acute phase protein?
- 146. Elevations in CK, AST, and LDH are significant in the diagnosis of which pathological condition?
- 147. In which condition is the presence of Bence-Jones proteins in urine most frequently recorded?
- 148. In which medical condition is the measurement of total plasma proteins indicated?
- 149. Select the conditions that can be accompanied by an increase in serum lipase activity:
- 150. Select the role of plasma haptoglobin:
- 151. To which class do coagulation factors belong in the context of serum enzyme classification?
- 152. Under what conditions can the serum activity of ASAT (Aspartate aminotransferase) increase?



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- 153. What are the characteristics associated with nephrotic syndrome?
- 154. What are the indications for measuring total plasma proteins?
- 155. What characterizes excreto-secretory enzymes?
- 156. What does a low albumin concentration in the blood indicate?
- 157. What does an elevated C-reactive protein (CRP) level indicate?
- 158. What does an elevated level of fibringen in blood plasma indicate?
- 159. What factor primarily determines the release of intracellular enzymes into circulation under pathological conditions?
- 160. What factors can influence the level of alkaline phosphatase in serum?
- 161. What factors contribute to plasma enzymes disbalance?
- 162. What factors influence the plasma protein levels?
- 163. What functions do plasma proteins have?
- 164. What is C-reactive protein in the context of a blood test?
- 165. What is the function of ceruloplasmin?
- 166. What is the primary function of albumin in blood plasma?
- 167. What role do excreto-secretory enzymes play in the human body?
- 168. What role do globulins play in the blood?
- 169. What type of enzyme is ASAT (Aspartate aminotransferase)?
- 170. Which factors influence the release of enzymes into the serum?
- 171. Which enzyme contributes to an elevated DeRitis ratio in alcoholic hepatitis?
- 172. Which enzyme is most commonly explored as an indicator of hepatic cytolysis?
- 173. Which enzyme ratio is typically elevated in alcoholic hepatitis?
- 174. Which of the following conditions is associated with an increase in alkaline phosphatase activity due to osteoblastic reactions?
- 175. Which of the following conditions is specifically associated with a significant increase in serum lipase activity?
- 176. Which of the following enzymes are classified as excreto-secretory enzymes?
- 177. Which of the following enzymes are classified as secretory enzymes?
- 178. Which of the following enzymes is not a marker of liver damage?
- 179. Which of the following enzymes serves as an indicator of muscle injury?
- 180. Which of the following statements are correct about CK-MM (creatine kinase-MM)?



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- 181. Which plasma protein fraction is most frequently elevated in autoimmune diseases?
- 182. Which serum enzyme is specifically elevated in biliary obstruction?
- 183. Select risk factors for osteoporosis:
- 184. Select the alkaline phosphatase isoenzymes:
- 185. Select the changes of laboratory indices in blood serum specific for bone metastases:
- 186. Select the changes of laboratory indices in the blood serum that are specific for osteoporosis:
- 187. Select the changes of serum laboratory indices that are specific for osteomalacia:
- 188. Select the compound that is synthesized in kidneys and regulates the active transport of Ca in the intestine:
- 189. Select the condition in which hypercalcemia occurs:
- 190. Select the condition in which hypocalcemia occurs:
- 191. Select the correct statements regarding calcitonin:
- 192. Select the correct statements regarding calcitriol 1,25(OH)2D3:
- 193. Select the correct statements regarding collagen cross-links compounds pyridinoline (PID) and deoxypyridinoline (DPID):
- 194. Select the disease in which the acid phosphatase activity in the blood serum increases:
- 195. Select the disorders found in hyperparathyroidism:
- 196. Select the factors that lead to osteoporosis
- 197. Select the laboratory indices, which represent biochemical markers of bone formation:
- 198. Select the laboratory indices, which represent biochemical markers of bone resorption:
- 199. Serum total alkaline phosphatase activity increases in all diseases, EXCEPT:
- 200. The increase of which enzyme activity in the blood serum denotes the intensification of bone resorption?
- 201. The increase of which enzyme activity in the blood serum denotes the intensification of bone formation?
- 202. What is the origin of tartrate-resistant acid phosphatase:
- 203. Choose the drug that irreversibly inhibits cyclooxygenase-1 (COX-1):
- 204. Choose the medicine that inhibits the binding of ADP to its platelet receptor:
- 205. Choose the process by which clot formation is activated following contact with the glass:
- 206. Select coagulation factors assessed by Activated partial thromboplastin time (aPPT):



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- 207. Select fibrinolysis activators:
- 208. Select fibrinolysis inhibitors:
- 209. Select stages of the platelet phase of clotting:
- 210. Select the anticoagulants:
- 211. Select the coagulation factors that influence prothrombin time:
- 212. Select the coagulation factors that require vitamin K for synthesis:
- 213. Select the coagulation factors, the amount of which changes when warfarin is administered:
- 214. Select the correct statements regarding anticoagulant protein C:
- 215. Select the drugs that are increasing the bleeding time:
- 216. Select the essential substance in fibrinolysis:
- 217. Select the factor that activates the extrinsic pathway of coagulation:
- 218. Select the factors of the intrinsic pathway of coagulation:
- 219. Select the factors which have anticoagulant role:
- 220. Select the factors with anticoagulant role:
- 221. Select the fibrinolysis products:
- 222. Select the pathologies in which the bleeding time is increased:
- 223. Select the process by which tissue thromboplastin activates factor VII:
- 224. Select the reference values of the activated partial thromboplastin time (TTPA):
- 225. Select the situations in which D-dimers will be elevated:
- 226. Select the situations when serum fibrinogen is elevated:
- 227. Select the stages of primary hemostasis:
- 228. Select the substances that are physiological inhibitors of primary hemostasis:
- 229. Select the time required for the extrinsic pathway to produce a cloth:
- 230. Select thrombin-activated coagulation factors:
- 231. Select tissue thromboplastin-activated factor:
- 232. Select which coagulation factor is deficient if the Activated partial thromboplastin time (aPPT) is prolonged, but the prothrombin time is within the normal range:
- 233. Select which of the following cells are involved in hemostasis:
- 234. Which of the following laboratory tests gives us information similar to "Coagulation time (Lee-White)":



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- 235. Which of the listed laboratory tests evaluates the extrinsic and common pathway of coagulation?
- 236. Which of the listed laboratory tests evaluates the intrinsic and common pathway of coagulation?
- 237. Which of the listed laboratory tests is useful in monitoring heparin therapy:
- 238. Choose the drug that inhibits the binding of ADP to its platelet receptor:
- 239. Select anticoagulant factors:
- 240. Select antithrombotic factors of vascular endothelium:
- 241. Select normal values for activated partial thromboplastin time (APTT):
- 242. Select prothrombotic factors of vascular endothelium:
- 243. Select the activators of fibrinolysis:
- 244. Select the correct statements about protein C (anticoagulant):
- 245. Select the correct statements regarding the role of thrombin:
- 246. Select the correct statements regarding the von Willebrand factor (vWF):
- 247. Select the factor that initiates the extrinsic coagulation pathway:
- 248. Select the factors involved in the coagulation phase of activation via the contact:
- 249. Select the situations in which D-dimers will be elevated:
- 250. Select thrombin-activated clotting factors:
- 251. Select tissue thromboplastin-activated factor:
- 252. Select which clotting factor is deficient if the activated partial thromboplastin time (APTT) is elongated but the prothrombin time is within the norm:
- 253. Which of the listed laboratory tests assesses the extrinsic and common pathway of coagulation:
- 254. Two hours after surgery, the patient with complaints of pain was given morphine sulfate intravenously. The patient has a respiratory rate of 7/min, shallow breathing and does not respond adequately to stimuli. The laboratory results are: pH = 7.15 (low); C02 = 68 mmHg (increased); HC03 = 22 mEq/L (normal); What can be the causes of the imbalance?



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- 255. A patient complaining of pain after surgery was given morphine sulfate intravenously. The patient has a respiratory rate of 7/min, shallow breathing and does not respond adequately to stimuli. The laboratory results are: pH = 7.15 (low); CO2 = 68 mmHg (high); HCO3 = 22 mEq/L (normal) Choose the correct diagnosis:
- 256. Analyze the following serum profile and select the most likely imbalance: Na+ 141 (reference value 141); Cl— 113 (RV -103); HCO3— 6 (RV 26); anionic gap 22 (RV 12); HCO3 variation 20 (RV-0); anionic gap variation 10 (RV 0); Cl variation 10 (RV 0).
- 257. Analyze the following serum profile and select the most likely imbalance: Na+ 141 (reference value 141); Cl— 103 (RV -103); HCO3— 11 (RV 26); anionic gap 27 (RV 12); HCO3 variation 15 (RV-0); anionic gap variation 15 (RV 0); Cl variation 0 (RV 0).
- 258. Analyze the following serum profile and select the most likely imbalance: pH 7,30 (Reference values 7,35-7,45); PCO2 50 (RV 35-45 mm Hg); [HCO3-] 31 (RV 22-29 mEq / L)
- 259. Analyze the following serum profile and select the most likely imbalance: pH 7,25 (Reference values 7,35–7,45); PCO2 50 (RV 35–45 mm Hg); [HCO3-] 22 (RV 22–29 mEq/)
- 260. Analyze the following serum profile and select the most likely imbalance: Na+ 141 (reference value 141); Cl— 103 (RV -103); HCO3— 16 (RV 26); anionic gap 22 (RV 12); HCO3 variation 10 (RV 0); anionic gap variation 10 (RV 0); Cl variation 0 (RV 0).
- 261. Analyze the following serum profile and select the most likely imbalance: Na+ 141 (Reference values 141 mEq); Cl- 113 (RV 103 mEq); HCO3- 16 (RV 26 mEq); anionic gap 12 (RV 12); HCO3- variation 10 (RV 0); anionic gap variation 0 (RV 0); Cl variation 10 (RV 10)
- 262. Damage to which portion of the nephron will cause altered erythrocytes to appear in the urine?
- 263. In which pathological states can be detected proteinuria of 0.3-1.0g/24 hours?
- 264. Proteinuria >3g/24 hours has extensive metabolic consequences. Select the consequences of non-selective macroproteinuria:
- 265. Renal mechanisms of urine concentration and dilution depend on the following factors:



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- 266. Select buffer systems that work both in plasma and in the erythrocytes:
- 267. Select causes of ketonuria:
- 268. Select kidney functions:
- 269. Select laboratory investigations used to explore renal tubular function:
- 270. Select tests used to explore renal glomerular function:
- 271. Select the amount of endogenous substances that can be used to calculate glomerular filtration rate:
- 272. Select the amount of exogenous substance that can be used to calculate glomerular filtration rate:
- 273. Select the buffer system that works only in erythrocytes:
- 274. Select the buffer system that works only in plasma:
- 275. Select the cause of metabolic acidosis:
- 276. Select the cause of metabolic alkalosis:
- 277. Select the cause of respiratory acidosis:
- 278. Select the cause of respiratory alkalosis:
- 279. Select the correct statement about countercurrent multiplication:
- 280. Select the correct statement about isosthenuria:
- 281. Select the correct statement regarding the functions of the nephron:
- 282. Select the correct statement regarding the metabolic processes in kidney cells:
- 283. Select the correct statements regarding the density of urine:
- 284. Select the correct statements regarding urinary pH:
- 285. Select the diseases that can cause nephrotic syndrome:
- 286. Select the impact of chronic renal failure on other systems and processes in the body:
- 287. Select the kidney morphofunctional unit:
- 288. Select the mechanisms of renal blood flow regulation:
- 289. Select the mechanisms of urine formation:
- 290. Select the metabolic pathways active in kidneys:
- 291. Select the possible causes of the pyuria:
- 292. Select the proteins that can be detected in the urine in selective proteinuria:
- 293. Select the range for the renal glucose clearance threshold:
- 294. Select the system that participates in maintaining the physiological pH of the blood:



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- 295. The presence of which amino acid determines the buffering capacity of hemoglobin?
- 296. The presence of which amino acids determines the buffering capacity of plasma proteins?
- 297. What are the causes of transient glucosuria?
- 298. What factors determine the dynamics of glomerular filtration in the normal conditions (125 mL/min)?
- 299. What pathological condition can be accompanied by metabolic acidosis?
- 300. What pathological condition can be accompanied by respiratory acidosis?
- 301. Which indicators stratify the risk and occurrence of acute renal failure according to the RIFLE criteria (risk, injury, insufficiency, loss of kidney function and end-stage renal disease):
- 302. Which processes justify the high consumption of 02 by the renal tissue:
- 303. How is acid-base balance maintained?
- 304. Select the acid-base imbalance and the corresponding compensatory response:
- 305. Select the cause of metabolic acidosis with a normal anion gap:
- 306. Select the causes of metabolic acidosis with an increased anion gap:
- 307. Select the correct statements regarding the phosphate buffer system:
- 308. Select the metabolic acidosis caused by increased H+ production:
- 309. Select the possible secondary/compensatory response in acid-base imbalances:
- 310. Select the primary deviation in acid-base imbalances:
- 311. Select the secondary/compensatory deviation in acid-base imbalances:
- 312. What are the compensatory responses in acid-base imbalances?
- 313. What does the presence of amino acids in urine indicate?
- 314. What does the presence of homogentisic acid in urine indicate?
- 315. Which of the following situations confirms the presence of nephrotic syndrome?
- 316. Which of the following situations confirms the presence of nephrotic syndrome?
- 317. Which of the following situations confirms the presence of renal injury?
- 318. Which of the following situations does NOT confirm the presence of renal injury?
- 319. Which of the listed factors does NOT influence the affinity of hemoglobin for oxygen?
- 320. Although apoB indirectly reflects the concentration of LDL, there are situations when the concentration of apoB is increased and LDL-Chol values are normal. What information does the disproportionate increase in apoB concentration provide?



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- 321. Calculation of the concentration of LDL-cholesterol is carried out according to the Friedewald formula. Select the situations when the Friedewald formula is not valid for calculating LDL-cholesterol:
- 322. HDL have an antiatherogenic role through the following effects, with one exception:
- 323. Oxidized LDL is involved in atherogenesis through the following effects, with one exception:
- 324. Regarding isolated hypertriglyceridemia, the statements are correct:
- 325. Regarding the deficiency of the enzyme LCAT (lecithincholesterol acyl transferase) following statement is correct:
- 326. Select atherogenic lipoproteins:
- 327. Select the biochemical mechanisms involved in the development of diabetic dyslipidemia (type II diabetes):
- 328. Select the changes of lipid profile characteristic of familial hyperchylomicronemia (HLP type I):
- 329. Select the changes that are part of the "atherogenic lipid profile":
- 330. Select the clinical conditions and laboratory changes that fall within the IDF (International Diabetes Federations. 2005) criteria for defining the metabolic syndrome:
- 331. Select the correct answers regarding combined hyperlipidemia:
- 332. Select the correct answers regarding familial a-beta-lipoproteinemia:
- 333. Select the correct answers regarding familial an-alpha-lipoproteinemia (Tangier disease):
- 334. Select the correct statements about lipoprotein(a):
- 335. Select the correct statements regarding dyslipidemia from hypothyroidism:
- 336. Select the correct statements regarding sitosterolemia:
- 337. Select the diseases associated with hypercholesterolemia:
- 338. Select the dyslipidemia accompanied by the formation of pathological  $\beta\text{-VLDL}$  lipoproteins:
- 339. Select the enzyme associated with HDL that contributes to the function of retrotransport of cholesterol by these lipoproteins:
- 340. Select the enzyme that breaks down the largest amount of triglycerides in chylomicrons and VLDL:



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- 341. Select the enzyme that ensures the storage of excess cholesterol in tissues:
- 342. Select the factors that can contribute to the increase in plasma cholesterol concentration:
- 343. Select the factors that can contribute to the increase in the plasma concentration of triglycerides:
- 344. Select the hereditary defects associated with familial hypercholesterolemia:
- 345. Select the lipid changes that fall within the defining criteria of the metabolic syndrome (according to IDF International Diabetes Federations, 2005):
- 346. Select the lipid profile changes characteristic of familial hypercholesterolemia:
- 347. Select the lipid profile changes that are specific for the "diabetic triad":
- 348. Select the main cause of the formation of pathological lipoproteins X:
- 349. Select the main function of apolipoprotein A-I:
- 350. Select the main function of apolipoprotein B-100:
- 351. Select the main function of apolipoprotein C-II:
- 352. Select the main function of HDL:
- 353. Select the main function of LDL:
- 354. Select the main mechanism of action of statins:
- 355. Select the most common causes of familial hyperchylomicronemia (HLP type I):
- 356. Select the regulatory effects of cholesterol delivered to cells via LDL-receptors:
- 357. Select the screening tests used to determine whether a patient has or not a disorder of lipid metabolism:
- 358. Select the site of chylomicron synthesis:
- 359. Select the site of VLDL synthesis:
- 360. Select the special tests used to confirm and/or establish the type of primary dyslipidemia:
- 361. Regarding apoprotein(a), the statements are correct:
- 362. Regarding dyslipidaemia in chronic alcoholism the statements are correct:
- 363. Regarding the composition and role of chylomicrons, the statements are correct:
- 364. Regarding the composition and role of HDL, the statements are correct:
- 365. Regarding the composition and role of LDL, the statement is correct:
- 366. Regarding the composition and role of VLDL, the statements are correct:
- 367. Regarding the enzymes involved in lipoprotein and cholesterol metabolism, the statements are correct:



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- 368. Regarding the mechanisms of action of fibrates, the statements are correct:
- 369. Regarding the mechanisms of action of nicotinic acid and its derivatives, the statements are correct:
- 370. Select the causes and characteristic laboratory changes for hyperlipidaemia in chronic renal failure:
- 371. Select the causes of hypercholesterolemia in nephrotic syndrome:
- 372. Select the clinical conditions and laboratory changes characteristic for hereditary hyperalpha-lipoproteinemia:
- 373. Select the correct statements about lipoprotein lipase (LPL):
- 374. Select the correct statements regarding lecithincholesterol acyl transferase (LCAT):
- 375. Select the possible causes of hereditary hyper-alpha-lipoproteinemia:
- 376. The apoprotein B assay reflects the content of all lipoproteins mentioned, with one exception:
- 377. Select the main mechanism of action of resins (bile acid sequestrants):
- 378. Interpret the following thyroid function test: TSH 0.1 (Reference value 0.4–4.1 mIU/L); Free T4 15.6 (RV 9.0-22.0 pmol/L); Free T3 7.2 (RV 3.0–9.0 pmol/L)
- 379. Interpret the following thyroid function test: TSH 6.7 (Reference value 0.4–4.1 mIU/L); Free T4 28.0 (RV 9.0-22.0 pmol/L); Free T3 8.6 (RV 3.0–9.0 pmol/L)
- 380. Interpret the following thyroid function test: TSH 8.4 (Reference value -0.4-4.1 mIU/L); Free T4 -14.0 (RV -9.0-22.0 pmol/L); Free T3 -7.6 (RV -3.0-9.0 pmol/L
- 381. Interpret the following thyroid function test: TSH <0.003 (Reference value 0.4–4.1 mIU/L); Free T4 27.5 (RV 9.0-22.0 pmol/L); Free T3 14.7 (RV 3.0–9.0 pmol/L)
- 382. How do glucocorticoids influence thyroid function?
- 383. How do thyroid hormones influence mitochondrial activity? (Select all correct answers)
- 384. Regarding the levels of thyroid hormones in plasma, the following statements are correct:
- 385. Regarding the mechanisms of action of thyroid hormones, the correct statements are:
- 386. Regarding the regulation of thyroid hormone synthesis and secretion, the following statements are correct:
- 387. Regarding thyroglobulin, the following statements are correct:
- 388. Select the autoimmune markers of the thyroid gland:
- 389. Select the biologically active form of thyroid hormones:



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390. Select the changes in plasma concentration of thyroid hormones characteristic in the case of thyroid hormone resistance:

- 391. Select the changes in thyroid parameters characteristic for low T3 syndrome:
- 392. Select the factors that can lead to decreased TBG (thyroxine-binding globulin) levels:
- 393. Select the factors that can lead to increased TBG (thyroxine-binding globulin) levels:
- 394. Select the laboratory parameters used for thyroid pathology screening:
- 395. Select the main plasma protein that binds and transports T3:
- 396. Select the non-thyroidal factors that can lead to decreased TSH levels:
- 397. Select the non-thyroidal factors that can lead to increased TSH levels:
- 398. Select the plasma proteins that bind and transport T4:
- 399. Select the possible causes of low T3 syndrome:
- 400. Select the possible causes of thyroid hormone resistance:
- 401. Select the processes catalyzed by TPO (thyroid peroxidase):
- 402. Select the processes stimulated by TSH at the level of thyroid gland:
- 403. Select the thyroid proteins and enzymes activated and/or induced by TSH:
- 404. What are the effects of thyroid hormones on lipid metabolism? (Select all correct answers)
- 405. What are the main causes of primary hypothyroidism?
- 406. What changes in thyroid function tests are observed during pregnancy? (Select all correct answers)
- 407. What effect does a high level of plasma iodine have on the thyroid gland?
- 408. What effect does iodine deficiency have on the NIS pump (sodium-iodide symporter)?
- 409. What is necessary for the adequate synthesis of thyroid hormones?
- 410. What is the fate of MIT and DIT after the cleavage of Tg (thyroglobulin)?
- 411. What is the main role of thyroid hormones on metabolism?
- 412. What is the mechanism by which lithium affects thyroid function?
- 413. What is the primary (initial) hormonal change in primary hyperthyroidism?
- 414. What is the primary (initial) hormonal change in primary hypothyroidism?
- 415. What is the primary (initial) hormonal change in secondary hyperthyroidism?
- 416. What is the primary (initial) hormonal change in secondary hypothyroidism?
- 417. What is the primary (initial) hormonal change in tertiary hypothyroidism?



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- 418. What processes influence the activity of NIS (sodium-iodide symporter)?
- 419. What role do thyroid hormones play in regulating gastrointestinal (GI) functions?
- 420. Which of the following are functions of thyroid hormones?
- 421. Which of the following factors can influence thyroid function tests?
- 422. Which of the following factors interferes with iodine absorption through NIS?
- 423. Which of the following steps are involved in the biosynthesis of T4?
- 424. Deficiency or absence of which enzymes causes congenital adrenal hyperplasia?
- 425. Identify the regulatory mechanisms and factors that influence the corticosteroid secretion:
- 426. In what phases of the menstrual cycle does estrogen rise to the maximum possible level?
- 427. Select changes of the blood indices that are suggestive for chronic secretion deficiency of adrenal cortex hormones:
- 428. Select conditions and pathologies associated with increased transcortin levels (CBG):
- 429. Select dynamic tests used in the diagnosis of primary adrenal insufficiency (Addison's disease):
- 430. Select dynamic tests used in the differential diagnosis between ACTH-dependent and ACTH-independent syndromes:
- 431. Select laboratory changes specific to primary hyperaldosteronism:
- 432. Select metabolic effects of glucocorticosteroids:
- 433. Select pituitary hormone that regulates the peripheral synthesis of corticosteroid hormones:
- 434. Select pituitary hormones that stimulate testosterone synthesis in peripheral tissues:
- 435. Select steroid hormone that can be transported by transcortin (CBG corticosteroid-binding globulin):
- 436. Select the change that is characteristic for chronic secretory deficiency of adrenal cortex hormones:
- 437. Select the clinical manifestation characteristic of primary hyperaldosteronism (Conn's syndrome):
- 438. Select the coenzyme of 5-alpha-reductase, the enzyme that converts testosterone to dihydrotestosterone in peripheral tissues:
- 439. Select the conditions and diseases that lead to the inhibition of the synthesis of sex



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hormone transport protein (SHBG):

- 440. Select the correct statements characteristic for ACTH-independent syndrome:
- 441. Select the correct statements characteristic for the luteal phase of the ovarian cycle:
- 442. Select the correct statements characterizing the deficiency of 21-hydroxylase:
- 443. Select the correct statements regarding Cushing's disease:
- 444. Select the correct statements regarding the effects of estradiol in the follicular phase of the ovarian cycle:
- 445. Select the correct statements regarding the regulation of adrenal cortex androgen synthesis and secretion:
- 446. Select the correct statements that are characteristic for ectopic ACTH syndrome:
- 447. Select the correct statements that are characteristic for hyperaldosteronism:
- 448. Select the correct statements that are characteristic for male hypogonadism:
- 449. Select the correct statements that are characteristic for primary female hypogonadism:
- 450. Select the correct statements that are characteristic for secondary female hypogonadism:
- 451. Select the correct statements that are characteristic for the luteal phase of the ovarian cycle:
- 452. Select the hormones secreted by the placenta:
- 453. Select the hormones that regulate ovarian secretion during the fertile period in women:
- 454. Select the main source of estrogen in the postmenopausal period:
- 455. Select the mineraolcorticosteroid hormone:
- 456. Select the most active form of endogenous androgens:
- 457. Select the organs and cells that can synthesize testosterone:
- 458. Select the periods when elevated progesterone levels are attested:
- 459. Select the steroid hormone synthesis common intermediary compound:
- 460. Select the steroid hormones that cause the appearance of secondary male sexual characteristics:
- 461. Select the substrate used by aromatase to synthesize estradiol:
- 462. Select the time of day when the level of cortisol secretion is minimal:
- 463. The change in which of the listed laboratory indices is suggestive in the diagnosis of Addison's disease?



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- 464. Which blood transport proteins do androgens bind and transport?
- 465. Select the substrate used by aromatase for estrone synthesis:
- 466. Select excretory liver enzymes:
- 467. Select secretory liver enzymes:
- 468. Select the compound that is present in the bile:
- 469. Select the correct statement regarding alanine aminotransferase (ALAT):
- 470. Select the correct statement regarding alkaline phosphatase:
- 471. Select the correct statement regarding conjugated bilirubin:
- 472. Select the correct statement regarding dysproteinemia in hepatobiliary diseases:
- 473. Select the correct statement regarding gamma-glutamyl transferase:
- 474. Select the correct statement regarding pseudocholinesterase:
- 475. Select the correct statement regarding unconjugated bilirubin:
- 476. Select the correct statements regarding aspartate aminotransferase (ASAT):
- 477. Select the correct statements regarding hyperproteinemia in liver diseases:
- 478. Select the correct statements regarding hypoproteinemia in liver diseases:
- 479. Select the enzyme that is a marker of cholestasis:
- 480. Select the enzyme that is a marker of hepatocyte membrane permeability:
- 481. Select the enzymes that are markers of hepatocyte synthetic function:
- 482. Select the types of gallstones:
- 483. What are the causes of conjugated hyperbilirubinemia?
- 484. What are the causes of unconjugated hyperbilirubinemia?
- 485. What are the stages of gallstone formation?
- 486. What factors contribute to the formation of gallstones?
- 487. What is specific for liver steatorrhea?
- 488. Which change in the composition of bile will trigger gallstone formation?
- 489. From which substances is bilirubin formed?
- 490. Select organ-specific liver enzymes:
- 491. Select the amino acids used as conjugating agents in phase II of the detoxification in the liver:
- 492. Select the changes in bile pigments and other laboratory indices specific to premicrosomal hepatic hyperbilirubinemia:



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- 493. Select the changes in bile pigments and other laboratory indices specific to posthepatic hyperbilirubinemia:
- 494. Select the changes in bile pigments and other laboratory indices specific to microsomal hepatic hyperbilirubinemia:
- 495. Select the changes in bile pigments and other laboratory indices specific to prehepatic hyperbilirubinemia:
- 496. Select the compound that transports bilirubin from the cells of the reticuloendothelial system, where it is formed, into the hepatocyte:
- 497. Select the compounds that are present in the bile:
- 498. Select the conjugating agent used in phase II of detoxification in the liver:
- 499. Select the enzyme that reveals hepatic enzyme induction:
- 500. Select the liver functions:
- 501. Select the mechanisms through which drugs cause liver injury:
- 502. Select the statement that does NOT characterize phase I (oxidation-reduction) of the detoxification mechanism in the liver:
- 503. Select the statements that characterize detoxification in the liver:
- 504. Select the statements that characterize phase I (oxidation-reduction) of the detoxification mechanism in the liver:
- 505. Select the types of steatorrhea:
- 506. What are liver functions in carbohydrate metabolism?
- 507. What are the causes of physiological jaundice in newborns?
- 508. What are the functions of the bile?
- 509. What is specific for liver steatorrhea?
- 510. What is the incipient process of gallstone formation?
- 511. What is the liver function in protein metabolism?
- 512. Which statements are correct regarding bilirubin neurotoxicity?