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Housekeeping Test

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1) During which of the following situation(s) should you wear gloves?

- a) When handling disinfectant solutions
- b) When cleaning patient care areas
- c) When handling soiled linens
- d) When handling or disposing of waste
- e) All of the above

2) Which of the following should be cleaned daily?

- a) Chairs, lamps, and tables
- b) Tabletops, beds, and handrails
- c) Grab bars, lights, tops of doors and counters
- d) Floors, sinks, toilets, and latrines
- e) All of the above

3) TRUE or FALSE: You do not need to use a separate cloth for cleaning bathrooms.

- a) True
- b) False

4) TRUE or FALSE: Dusting is most commonly used for cleaning walls, ceilings, doors, windows and furniture.

- a) True
- b) False

5) Should the following be cleaned daily or weekly? Circle one.

- a) Floors Daily / Weekly
- b) Toilets and latrines Daily / Weekly
- c) Carpets in patient rooms Daily / Weekly
- d) Carpets in offices Daily / Weekly
- e) Soiled linens Daily / Weekly

6) The best way to clean the floor is:

- a) Scrubbing
- b) Dry sweeping and dusting
- c) Sweeping, mopping and dusting
- d) Wet mopping

7) What should you do if you spill liquids or see a liquid spill?

- a) Leave it for someone else to clean-up
- b) Wait until the end of your shift to clean it
- c) Flag the spill and clean it immediately
- d) Not sure

8) The proper procedure for cleaning spills of blood and other body fluids is:

- a) Wearing gloves, clean with cloth soaked in chlorine solution and follow up with disinfectant solution
- b) Find the janitor on-duty and ask him to clean it up
- c) Grab whatever is closest and wipe up immediately, then mark "BIOHAZARD"
- d) Nothing

9) The appropriate cleaning schedule for a hospital is:

- a) Weekly
- b) No schedule needed
- c) Developed according to need
- d) Whatever you feel like

10) How do you use a three-compartment bucket?

Scrape, rinse, sanitize, and air dry

11) Describe the difference between a disinfectant and a cleaning solution: (2 points)

Disinfectant is a wipe down for germs and a cleaning solution is actually cleaning