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1. _____ Hospital preparedness concerns for a disaster include:
 - A. Determination of adequate staffing capabilities
 - B. The willingness of staff to respond to a disaster
 - C. Health care workers may be among the victims
 - D. All of the above

2. _____ Natural disasters include:
 - A. Structural collapses
 - B. Power outage
 - C. Volcanic eruption
 - D. None of the above

3. _____ Health impacts associated with the sudden crowding together of large numbers of survivors:
 - A. Will require planning for both therapeutic and preventive interventions
 - B. Often having inadequate access to safe water and sanitation facilities
 - C. A & B
 - D. None of the above

4. _____ Dissemination of biological warfare agents may occur by:
 - A. Aerosol sprays
 - B. Explosives
 - C. Food or water contamination
 - D. All the above

5. _____ Protective measures against biological warfare agents include:
 - A. Special suits
 - B. Removal of clothing
 - C. Showering with sodium hypochlorite
 - D. All the above

6. _____ In humans, common symptoms of influenza infection are:
 - A. Fever and severe headache
 - B. Sore throat, muscle pains, and coughing
 - C. Weakness and fatigue
 - D. All the above

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7. _____ Strategies to slow down a flu pandemic include
- A. Vaccines
 - B. Anti-viral drugs
 - C. A & B
 - D. None of the above
8. _____ WHO recommends
- A. Health-care workers wear N95 masks
 - B. Patients wear surgical masks (which may prevent respiratory secretions from becoming airborne)
 - A. A & B
 - B. None of the above
9. _____ To minimize infection risk before and during a disaster:
- A. Standard precautions should be maintained at all times
 - B. Good hand hygiene should be practiced before and after direct contact with patients and contact with the environment
 - C. Proper decontamination/sterilization of procedural instruments
 - D. All the above
10. _____ Factors of respiratory concern during a disaster:
- A. Increased consumption of oxygen beyond the available supply
 - B. Compressed gas cylinders always offer support for extended periods of therapy
 - C. No manual resuscitation will be needed
 - D. Positive-pressure ventilation is not a factor

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