

MCQS (pyelonephritis)

1) Factors predisposing to pyelonephritis include all EXCEPT:

- A. Urinary tract obstruction
- B. Urinary tract instrumentation
- C. Schistosomiasis
- D. Hypertension
- E. Diabetes

2) Females are more susceptible to urinary tract infection because:

- A. The immune system is weaker in females
- B. High estrogen level
- C. Low testosterone level
- D. Short urethra
- E. Higher incidence of diabetes

3) Routes of infection in pyelonephritis;

- A. Ascending infection from the urinary bladder
- B. Lymphatic spread from the intestine
- C. Blood spread from a septic focus
- D. All of the above
- E. None of the above



4) Thyroidisation is a histologic feature of:

- A. Hydronephrosis
- B. Pyonephrosis
- C. Acute pyelonephritis
- D. Chronic pyelonephritis
- E. All of the above

5) The most common mechanism in pathogenesis of chronic pyelonephritis;

- A. Ascending infection.
- B. Reflux nephropathy.
- C. Obstructive nephropathy.
- D. Hematogenous infection.

6) The following factors are predisposing factor to pyelonephritis EXCEPT:

- A. Diabetes mellitus.
- B. Pregnancy.
- C. Vesico-ureteric reflux.
- D. Males less than 40 years old.
- E. Cystoscopy.

7) All of the followings are associated with acute pyelonephritis, EXCEPT:

- A. Unilateral or bilateral suppuration
- B. Acute tubular inflammation and destruction.
- C. Glomerular destruction is a common feature.
- D. Due to hematogenous or ascending spread.



8) Asymmetrical contracted kidney is caused by

- a) Chronic glomerulonephritis
- b) Chronic pyelonephritis
- c) Neither
- d) Both

Answers

1	D
2	D
3	D
4	D
5	B
6	D
7	C
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