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Please note: The change in CPD question format comes from the accreditation bodies, who have informed us that CPD questionnaires must consist of a minimum of 5 questions, 80% of which should be MCQs with a minimum of 4 options and only 20% of which may now be in the form of 'True or false' answers.

MCQs may be of 'single correct answer' or 'multiple correct answer' format. Where the question states that more than one answer is correct, mark more than one of a, b, c or d (anything from two to all answers may be correct). For example, in Question 2, if you think that a, b and c are correct (note that these are not necessarily the correct answers), mark each of these on the answer form. Where the question states that only one answer is correct, mark the single answer that you think is correct.

1. **Exploring a community's understanding of HIV vaccine-induced seropositivity in a South African research setting**
Regarding vaccine-induced seropositivity (VISP) (more than one answer is correct):
 - a. The detection of HIV vaccine-induced antibodies by serological tests is commonly referred to as vaccine-induced sero-reactivity or VISP.
 - b. The difference in mean scores on knowledge about VISP by age was not statistically significant.
 - c. The main fear expressed by participants, for themselves or for community members, was of testing HIV-positive as a result of the vaccine.
 - d. VISP can result in undesirable social impacts on stakeholders such as community advisory boards, healthcare workers and trial participants.
2. **A critical analysis of Discovery Health's claims-based risk adjustment of mortality rates in South African private sector hospitals**
Regarding risk adjustment of mortality rates in South African (SA) private sector hospitals (one answer is correct):
In reporting risk prediction models, the followed are proposed for machine-based learning:
 - a. transparent reporting of a multivariable prediction model for individual prognosis or diagnosis
 - b. minimum information for medical artificial intelligence reporting
 - c. recommendations for reporting machine learning analyses in clinical research
 - d. all of the above.
3. **Access to postpartum tubal ligation services in Cape Town, SA – an observational study**
Regarding postpartum tubal ligation services in Cape Town (more than one answer is correct):
 - a. The proportion of women with an unmet need for contraception in 2012 was 53% in Africa, and 17% in southern Africa.
 - b. The South African (SA) contraceptive prevalence rate was found to be much lower than that of upper-middle-income countries such as Brazil or Russia.
 - c. The most commonly used form of contraception in SA, according to the Demographic and Health Survey of 2003, was oral contraception.
 - d. Only half the women in this study who requested tubal ligation as their choice of contraception received the procedure.
4. **The utility of mobile telephone-recorded videos as adjuncts to the diagnosis of seizures and paroxysmal events in children with suspected epileptic seizures**
True/false
Mobile technology can be used as a substitute for good clinical history and examination in the description of of seizures.
5. **Practising in a post-truth world: Pandemic ethics can inform patient autonomy and clinical communication**
Regarding practising after the pandemic (one answer is correct):
According to the authors, common barriers to clinical communication include:
 - a. lack of time on the part of clinicians to communicate with patients/families
 - b. discomfort with communicating bad news/prognoses
 - c. language mismatches
 - d. all of the above.

Readers please note: Articles may appear in summary/abstract form in the print edition of the Journal, with the full article available online at www.samj.org.za

A maximum of 3 CEUs will be awarded per correctly completed test.

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Read the journal. All the answers will be found there, in print or online.
2. Go to www.mpconsulting.co.za to answer the questions.

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