

Emergency Preparedness and Response Quiz

Write your answer in the box for each question.

- 1. Why is emergency preparedness important?**
 - a. Reduces the amount of damage or losses
 - b. Reduces unexpected costs due to damage
 - c. Lessens the severity or amount of injuries
 - d. Helps return to full capacity and operations faster
 - e. All of the above

- 2. Which of these statements is true? A workplace emergency does not _____.**
 - a. Always happen during business hours
 - a. Cause physical or environmental damage
 - b. Disrupt or shut down operations
 - c. Threaten workers, customers, or the public

- 3. To be prepared for emergencies that occur in the workplace, each employer should have a(n) _____.**
 - a. Employee Assistance Plan
 - b. Employee Safety and Health Plan
 - c. Emergency Action Plan
 - d. Standard Operating Procedure

- 4. All of these are types of emergencies except:**
 - a. Hurricanes
 - b. Rain
 - c. Civil disturbances
 - d. Power outages

- 5. A(n) _____ is the route employees are directed to follow in the event of an emergency where evacuation of the facility is the best course of action.**
 - a. Occupant load
 - b. Refuge area
 - c. Exit strategy
 - d. Exit route

- 6. The most common reason for needing to evacuate a workplace is a _____.**
 - a. Chemical spill
 - b. Fire
 - c. Earthquake
 - d. Flood



- 7. True or False: An Emergency Action Plan is all that is needed to ensure the safety of employees.**
- a. True
 - b. False
- 8. Which of the following does not need to be included in an Emergency Action Plan?**
- a. Evacuation procedures and identification of all exit routes
 - b. Methods of reporting emergencies by any employee
 - c. Procedures for accounting of all employees after evacuation, or upon a shelter-in-place emergency
 - d. Procedures for electrical safety
- 9. For which of these emergencies may shelter-in-place be the best course of action?**
- a. Chemical release outside the facility
 - b. Fire in the facility
 - c. Severe hailstorm
 - d. Flash flood in the facility
- 10. Which of the following may make an emergency situation worse?**
- a. A lack of information regarding the facility's Emergency Action Plan
 - b. A poorly created Emergency Action Plan
 - c. Confusion or panic
 - d. All of the above
- 11. An emergency kit should include all of the following except:**
- a. Non-perishable foods
 - b. Water
 - c. Electric can opener (for food)
 - d. Flashlight
- 12. A home emergency kit should contain enough supplies to last how many days?**
- a. One
 - b. Three
 - c. Five
 - d. Seven



Answers

1. E
2. A
3. C
4. B
5. D
6. B
7. B
8. D
9. A
10. D
11. C
12. B

