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## MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS

1. Which of the following is NOT a classification of anticholinergic drugs?
- a) Muscarinic antagonists
  - b) Nicotinic antagonists
  - c) Antimuscarinic agents
  - d) Parasympathomimetics

**Answer: d) Parasympathomimetics**

2. Anticholinergic drugs primarily block the action of which neurotransmitter?
- a) Dopamine
  - b) Serotonin
  - c) Acetylcholine
  - d) Norepinephrine

**Answer: c) Acetylcholine**

3. Which of the following is an example of a muscarinic antagonist?
- a) Atropine
  - b) Bethanechol
  - c) Pilocarpine
  - d) Neostigmine

**Answer: a) Atropine**

4. Anticholinergic drugs are commonly used to treat conditions such as:
- a) Hypertension
  - b) Urinary retention
  - c) Allergies
  - d) Diabetes

**Answer: b) Urinary retention**

5. Which of the following is a common side effect of anticholinergic drugs?
- a) Bradycardia
  - b) Diarrhea
  - c) Urinary incontinence
  - d) Dry mouth

**Answer: d) Dry mouth**

6. Nicotinic antagonists primarily act on which type of nicotinic receptors?
- a) N1
  - b) N2
  - c) N3
  - d) N4

**Answer: a) N1**

7. Which of the following is NOT an example of an anticholinergic drug?
- a) Scopolamine
  - b) Glycopyrrolate
  - c) Physostigmine
  - d) Tolterodine

**Answer: c) Physostigmine**

8. Anticholinergic drugs are contraindicated in patients with:
- a) Glaucoma
  - b) Hypothyroidism
  - c) Asthma
  - d) Hypertension

**Answer: a) Glaucoma**

9. Which of the following is a central anticholinergic drug used to treat Parkinson's disease?
- a) Scopolamine
  - b) Ipratropium
  - c) Benztropine
  - d) Tiotropium

**Answer: c) Benztropine**

10. Anticholinergic drugs exert their effects by blocking the action of acetylcholine at:
- a) Alpha receptors
  - b) Beta receptors
  - c) Muscarinic receptors
  - d) Nicotinic receptors

**Answer: c) Muscarinic receptors**

11. What is the primary mechanism of action of anticholinergic drugs?
- a) Inhibition of dopamine release
  - b) Blockade of acetylcholine receptors
  - c) Stimulation of serotonin receptors
  - d) Inhibition of norepinephrine synthesis

**Answer: b) Blockade of acetylcholine receptors**

12. Which type of acetylcholine receptors do anticholinergic drugs primarily target?
- a) Alpha receptors
  - b) Beta receptors
  - c) Muscarinic receptors
  - d) Nicotinic receptors

**Answer: c) Muscarinic receptors**

- 13.** Anticholinergic drugs exert their effects by competitively inhibiting the binding of acetylcholine to its receptors. Which type of receptor blockade does this represent?
- a) Non-competitive blockade
  - b) Allosteric blockade
  - c) Competitive blockade
  - d) Irreversible blockade

**Answer: c) Competitive blockade**

- 14.** The blockade of muscarinic receptors by anticholinergic drugs leads to:
- a) Increased parasympathetic activity
  - b) Decreased parasympathetic activity
  - c) Increased sympathetic activity
  - d) Decreased sympathetic activity

**Answer: b) Decreased parasympathetic activity**

- 15.** Which of the following physiological effects is NOT typically associated with the blockade of muscarinic receptors by anticholinergic drugs?
- a) Pupil dilation (mydriasis)
  - b) Increased salivation
  - c) Decreased gastrointestinal motility
  - d) Bronchodilation

**Answer: b) Increased salivation**

- 16.** Anticholinergic drugs can lead to adverse effects such as:
- a) Bradycardia
  - b) Urinary retention
  - c) Hypotension
  - d) Hyperglycemia

**Answer: b) Urinary retention**

- 17.** In the central nervous system, anticholinergic drugs may lead to:
- a) Sedation
  - b) Excitation
  - c) Increased memory function
  - d) Enhanced motor coordination

**Answer: a) Sedation**

- 18.** The blockade of muscarinic receptors by anticholinergic drugs can result in:
- a) Constriction of bronchioles
  - b) Increased gastrointestinal motility
  - c) Constriction of blood vessels
  - d) Relaxation of smooth muscle in the urinary bladder

**Answer: d) Relaxation of smooth muscle in the urinary bladder**

**19.** Anticholinergic drugs may be used to treat conditions such as:

- a) Bradycardia
- b) Urinary incontinence
- c) Hypersalivation
- d) Bronchoconstriction

**Answer: b) Urinary incontinence**

**20.** The mechanism of action of anticholinergic drugs involves blocking the effects of acetylcholine on muscarinic receptors. This results in:

- a) Increased parasympathetic activity
- b) Decreased parasympathetic activity
- c) Increased sympathetic activity
- d) No effect on autonomic nervous system activity

**Answer: b) Decreased parasympathetic activity**