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1. All of the following factors have been cited as playing a part in an adolescent's decision to engage in early sexual activity EXCEPT
 - A. late entrance into puberty.
 - B. family patterns of sexual activity.
 - C. lack of academic and career goals.
 - D. history of sexual abuse.
2. Kendrick thinks he wants to be an engineer but is not sure and is agonizing over the decision. Meanwhile, he is trying to get information about several other careers. According to Marcia, what is his identity status?
 - A. achievement
 - B. foreclosure
 - C. identity diffusion
 - D. moratorium
3. The most prevalent sexually transmitted disease is
 - A. chlamydia.
 - B. gonorrhea.
 - C. human papilloma virus.
 - D. syphilis.
4. Conflict between teenagers and their families and society is
 - A. called adolescent rebellion.
 - B. found in fewer than 20 percent of all adolescent boys, according to studies.
 - C. often temporary or superficial.
 - D. all of these.
5. Mark has not seriously considered his options and has avoided making commitments. What is his identity status?
 - A. achievement
 - B. foreclosure
 - C. moratorium
 - D. identity diffusion
6. The average girl in the United States has her first sexual intercourse at age
 - A. fourteen.
 - B. fifteen.
 - C. sixteen.
 - D. seventeen.
7. Involvement in cliques is most prominent in _____ adolescence.
 - A. early
 - B. middle
 - C. late
 - D. none of these.

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8. According to James Marcia, which identity status is characterized by both crisis and commitment?
- A. identity achievement
 - B. foreclosure
 - C. identity diffusion
 - D. moratorium
9. Which of the following factors most strongly influences adolescents to choose antisocial peers?
- A. economics
 - B. parenting
 - C. environment
 - D. their own actions
10. Maturity and competence are associated with which of Marcia's states of ego development?
- A. foreclosure
 - B. moratorium
 - C. identity achievement
 - D. identity diffusion
11. Your textbook states most juvenile offenders will
- A. outgrow their delinquent tendencies.
 - B. become hard-core criminals.
 - C. commit crimes as adults.
 - D. all of these.
12. A powerful predictor of which students would engage in early sexual activity was
- A. knowledge of sex learned in health classes.
 - B. availability of a steady boyfriend or girlfriend.
 - C. access to contraceptive information.
 - D. intention, influenced by the belief that one's friends were doing it.
13. Generalizing from the text: If you could choose the parents of your children's friends, you would want them to be
- A. affluent.
 - B. located nearby.
 - C. authoritative.
 - D. about the same age as you are.
14. Most pregnant teenagers are likely to have
- A. few complications during pregnancy since they are young and strong.
 - B. relatively large babies.
 - C. greater medical risks than women in their twenties, regardless of prenatal care.
 - D. better outcomes than any other age group, with good medical care.
15. AIDS is spread in all of the following ways EXCEPT
- A. contact with bodily fluids.
 - B. transfusions of infected blood.
 - C. using contaminated needles.
 - D. breathing contaminated air.

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16. The most common curable STD is
- A. chlamydia.
 - B. HIV.
 - C. herpes.
 - D. syphilis.
17. According to the text, approximately how many adolescents display classic "adolescent rebellion" while growing up?
- A. virtually all
 - B. about 75 percent
 - C. about 50 percent
 - D. about 20 percent
18. The best safeguard for teens who are sexually active is the consistent use of
- A. jellies or creams.
 - B. condoms.
 - C. morning after pills.
 - D. birth control pills.
19. The intensity and importance of friendships, as well as time spent with friends, are probably greater in _____ than at any other time in the life span.
- A. young childhood
 - B. middle childhood
 - C. adolescence
 - D. young adulthood
20. Taylor has high grades in school, is on the debate team, and enjoys being a member of the cheerleading squad. All of these factors will
- A. provide her with more opportunity for early sexual activity.
 - B. make her less likely to engage in early sexual activity.
 - C. put added pressure on her to follow her peers and become sexually active.
 - D. increase her sexual desire.
21. G. Stanley Hall viewed adolescence as a time of
- A. tranquility.
 - B. storm and stress.
 - C. intellectualization.
 - D. identity versus identity confusion.
22. Diane is 13 years old and is pondering her own talents, interests, and needs, as well as her place in society. According to Erikson, this struggle represents the crisis of
- A. autonomy versus shame and doubt.
 - B. industry versus inferiority.
 - C. identity versus identity confusion.
 - D. intimacy versus isolation.

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23. Delinquency peaks at what age?
- A. 13
 - B. 15
 - C. 17
 - D. 19
24. Teenagers are likely to choose friends who are like
- A. themselves.
 - B. their parents.
 - C. their siblings.
 - D. their mentor.
25. The chief reasons for the high incidence of STDs in adolescence include all of the following EXCEPT
- A. increased sex education in the public schools.
 - B. multiple partners.
 - C. the tendency to have sex with older partners.
 - D. increased oral sex among adolescents.
26. Erikson holds that adolescence provides a psychosocial moratorium, or "time out" period, which
- A. allows adolescents to regress into childishness.
 - B. allows adolescents time to search for commitment.
 - C. often adds identity confusion.
 - D. can precipitate an identity crisis.
27. Recent research on the effect of maternal employment on adolescents' attitudes toward gender roles suggests that
- A. adolescent sons of working mothers have less stereotyped views of the female role.
 - B. adolescent daughters of working mothers have higher career aspirations.
 - C. the mother's work status is the most important factor in shaping children's attitudes toward women's roles.
 - D. the effect of the mother's work status depends chiefly on her role satisfaction and the warmth of the parental relationship.
28. Teenagers generally get most of their information about sex from
- A. parents.
 - B. media.
 - C. friends.
 - D. all of these.
29. Members of different ethnic groups often find different issues critical in their identity development. For example,
- A. Hispanics are usually unaware of prejudice against their group.
 - B. Asian Americans feel comfortable with the pressure of academics because of the success they achieve.
 - C. African American females are unaware of the cultural standards of beauty.
 - D. African American males are concerned with job discrimination and societal images of them.

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30. According to Erikson, adolescents are in the crisis of
- A. autonomy versus shame and doubt.
 - B. industry versus inferiority.
 - C. identity versus identity confusion.
 - D. intimacy versus isolation.

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