

Essential Pharmacology Basics

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1. Which type of medication is primarily used to treat bacterial infections?

- A) Antibiotics
- B) Antihistamines
- C) Antivirals
- D) Analgesics

2. What is the primary function of an analgesic medication?

- A) Lowering blood pressure
- B) Reducing pain
- C) Treating infections
- D) Improving vision

3. Which medication is commonly used to reduce fever and mild pain?

- A) Insulin
- B) Paracetamol
- C) Antacids
- D) Statins

4. What is the term for a substance that prevents or treats a disease?

- A) Vitamin
- B) Drug
- C) Hormone
- D) Mineral

5. Which medication class is specifically used to treat allergic reactions?

- A) Antihistamines
- B) Diuretics
- C) Sedatives
- D) Laxatives

6. What organ is most responsible for metabolizing drugs in the human body?

- A) Lungs
- B) Heart
- C) Liver
- D) Kidney

7. What is the standard name given to a drug that is not protected by a brand name trademark?

- A) Generic name
- B) Chemical name
- C) Street name
- D) Code name

8. Which of these is a common route of drug administration?

- A) Oral
- B) Cognitive
- C) Visual
- D) Tactile