

# Hepatitis B

1 What vaccine-preventable disease is transmitted from one person to another through contact with an infected person's blood?

- A. Chickenpox
- B. HPV
- C. Hepatitis B
- D. Influenza

2 What type of vaccine is the hepatitis B vaccine?

- A. Recombinant vaccine
- B. Live, "weakened" viral vaccine
- C. Combination vaccine
- D. Conjugate vaccine

3 How many doses of the hepatitis B vaccine are typically recommended?

- A. Two
- B. Four
- C. Three
- D. One

4 Hepatitis B is more infectious than which other virus transmitted by blood?

- A. HIV
- B. HPV
- C. Hepatitis C
- D. West Nile Virus

5 Which of the following activities does NOT have the potential to spread hepatitis B virus?

- A. Sharing personal items such as washcloths, razors or toothbrushes with someone who is infected
- B. Having sex with someone who is infected
- C. Getting a tattoo
- D. Breastfeeding

6 How long can hepatitis B virus survive outside of the body if a blood spill is not properly cleaned up?

- A. 1 day
- B. 3 days
- C. 5 days
- D. 7 days

7 What makes hepatitis B infection of infants particularly concerning?

- A. They rarely have symptoms
- B. They are at increased risk of becoming chronically infected
- C. Both A and B
- D. None of these

8 About how many chronically infected individuals with hepatitis B will develop long-term liver damage, such as cirrhosis or liver cancer?

- A. 1 in 2
- B. 1 in 4
- C. 1 in 6
- D. 1 in 8

9 Which of these is true of hepatitis B but not hepatitis A?

- A. It affects the liver.
- B. It causes chronic infections.
- C. It is transmitted by blood.
- D. Both B and C.

10 Why is it important to screen pregnant women for hepatitis B in addition to universal newborn vaccination?

- A. The baby can be treated hours after birth to decrease the chance of developing chronic infection
- B. The pregnant woman can be referred to a specialist
- C. Household and sexual contacts can be screened
- D. All of the these