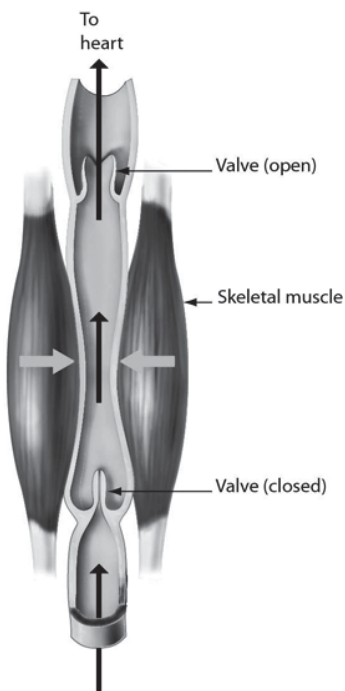


**MULTIPLE CHOICE. Choose the one alternative that best completes the statement or answers the question.**

- 1) Animals such as hydras and jellies can exchange gases directly with the environment by \_\_\_\_\_. 1) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) active transport      B) bulk transport      C) osmosis      D) diffusion
- 2) In humans, oxygen is delivered to the cells of the body by \_\_\_\_\_. 2) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) diffusion      B) a closed circulatory system  
 C) an open circulatory system      D) diffusion and facilitated diffusion
- 3) Which one of the following is a characteristic of open circulatory systems but NOT closed circulatory systems? 3) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) a heart      B) a vascular system  
 C) open-ended blood vessels      D) blood
- 4) In animals with a closed circulatory system, gas exchange occurs across the thin walls of \_\_\_\_\_. 4) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) venules      B) arteries      C) capillaries      D) arterioles
- 5) Veins carry \_\_\_\_\_. 5) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) oxygen-poor blood      B) blood toward the heart  
 C) blood away from the heart      D) oxygen-rich blood
- 6) Trace the path of a red blood cell in a circuit that takes it from the capillary bed of the right kidney to the capillary bed of the left kidney. Assume that you are doing this for an animal with a double circulation system. 6) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) capillary bed of right kidney → arterioles → arteries → aorta → right atrium → right ventricle → pulmonary arteries → capillaries of lungs → pulmonary veins → left atrium → left ventricle → veins → venules → capillary bed of left kidney  
 B) capillary bed of right kidney → venules → veins → right atrium → right ventricle → pulmonary arteries → capillaries of lungs → pulmonary veins → left atrium → left ventricle → aorta → arteries → arterioles → capillary bed of left kidney  
 C) capillary bed of right kidney → venules → veins → left atrium → left ventricle → pulmonary arteries → capillaries of lungs → pulmonary veins → right atrium → right ventricle → aorta → arteries → arterioles → capillary bed of left kidney  
 D) capillary bed of right kidney → venules → veins → right atrium → right ventricle → pulmonary veins → capillaries of lungs → pulmonary arteries → left atrium → left ventricle → aorta → arteries → arterioles → capillary bed of left kidney
- 7) Which of these carry(ies) oxygen-poor blood? 7) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) pulmonary arteries      B) aorta  
 C) pulmonary veins      D) left ventricle
- 8) Why is blood pressure higher during systole than during diastole? 8) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) More blood flows into the heart during systole than during diastole.  
 B) The contraction of the heart during systole increases the blood pressure against arterial walls.  
 C) The contraction of the heart during diastole decreases the blood pressure against arterial walls.  
 D) The relaxation of the heart during systole increases the blood pressure against arterial walls.

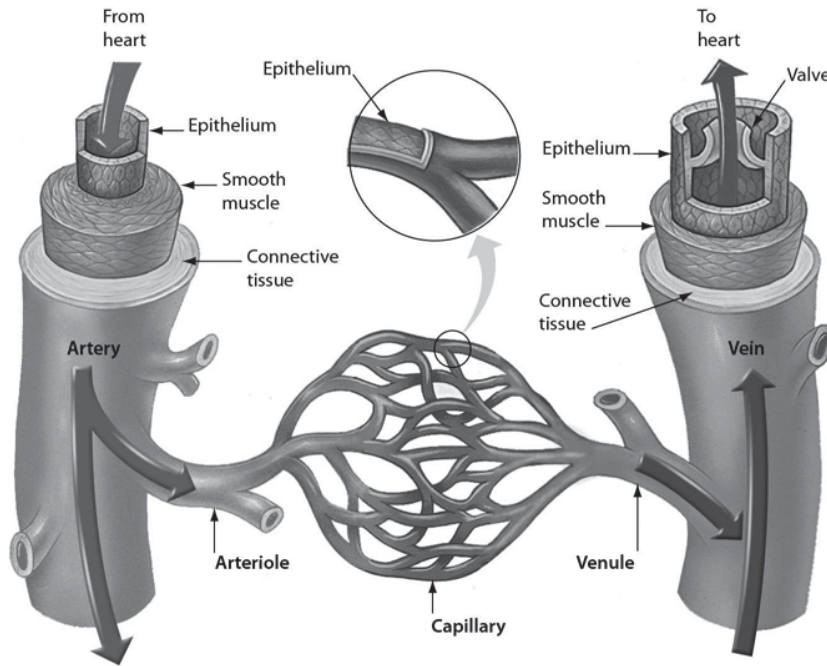
- 9) The basic rhythm of the heartbeat is set by the \_\_\_\_\_. 9) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) "fight-or-flight" hormone B) sinoatrial node  
 C) systolic pressure D) EKG
- 10) If your blood pressure were 120/70, it would mean that \_\_\_\_\_. 10) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) your blood pressure during systole is 120 and your blood pressure during diastole is 70  
 B) your blood pressure during systole is 120 and your heart rate is 70  
 C) you have high blood pressure  
 D) you have low blood pressure
- 11) As a consequence of red blood cells' lack of nuclei and other organelles, they \_\_\_\_\_. 11) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) contain less hemoglobin than they might otherwise be able to carry  
 B) have a small surface area  
 C) have more room to carry hemoglobin  
 D) can carry more calcium
- 12) White blood cells play a particularly important role in \_\_\_\_\_. 12) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) supporting the activity of red blood cells B) blood clotting  
 C) carrying carbon dioxide D) fighting infections

*Please refer to the following art to answer the following questions.*



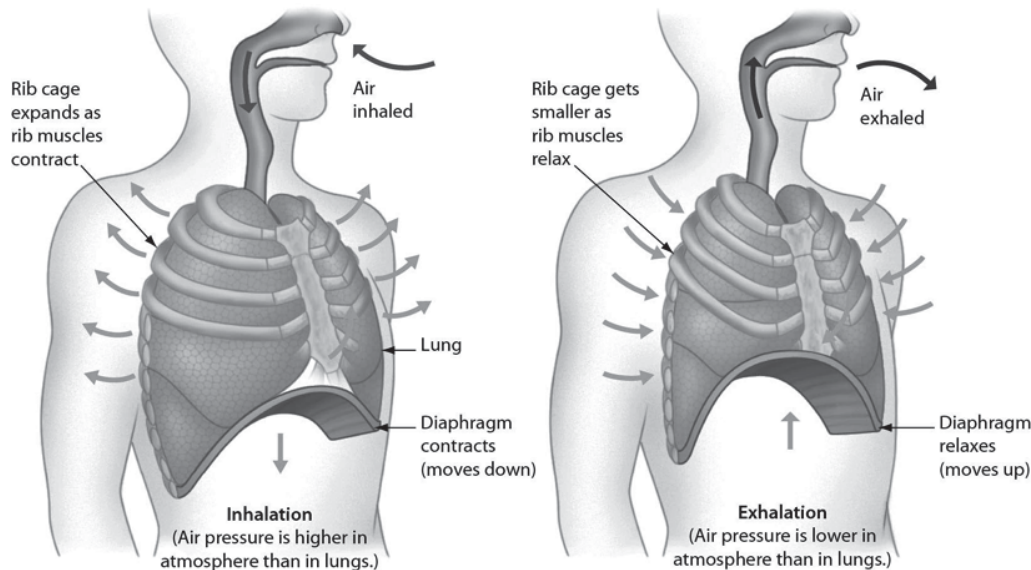
- 13) The one-way flow of blood in veins is maintained by \_\_\_\_\_. 13) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) valves B) their thick walls  
 C) blood pressure D) muscles pressing against the veins

- 14) Examine the structure of blood vessels in the following figure. Which one of the following has the structure best suited to chemical exchange between the blood and tissues? 14) \_\_\_\_\_



- A) capillary                      B) venule                      C) arteriole                      D) artery
- 15) Damage to the sinoatrial node in humans \_\_\_\_\_. 15) \_\_\_\_\_
- A) would have a direct effect on blood pressure monitors in the aorta  
 B) would block conductance between the bundle branches and the Purkinje fibres  
 C) would have a negative effect on peripheral resistance  
 D) would disrupt the rate and timing of cardiac muscle contractions
- 16) Gas exchange requires a surface that is both \_\_\_\_\_. 16) \_\_\_\_\_
- A) protected within the body and connected to the circulatory system  
 B) permeable to oxygen and impermeable to carbon dioxide  
 C) durable and stiff  
 D) thin and moist
- 17) Countercurrent exchange is evident in the flow of \_\_\_\_\_. 17) \_\_\_\_\_
- A) blood in the dorsal vessel of an insect and that of air within its tracheae  
 B) air within the primary bronchi of a human and the blood within the pulmonary veins  
 C) water across the skin of a frog and the blood flow within the ventricle of its heart  
 D) water across the gills of a fish and the blood within those gills
- 18) Earthworms use \_\_\_\_\_ as their respiratory surface. 18) \_\_\_\_\_
- A) lungs                      B) tracheae                      C) gills                      D) their skin
- 19) Insects breathe using \_\_\_\_\_. 19) \_\_\_\_\_
- A) book lungs                      B) their entire outer skin  
 C) lungs                      D) tracheae

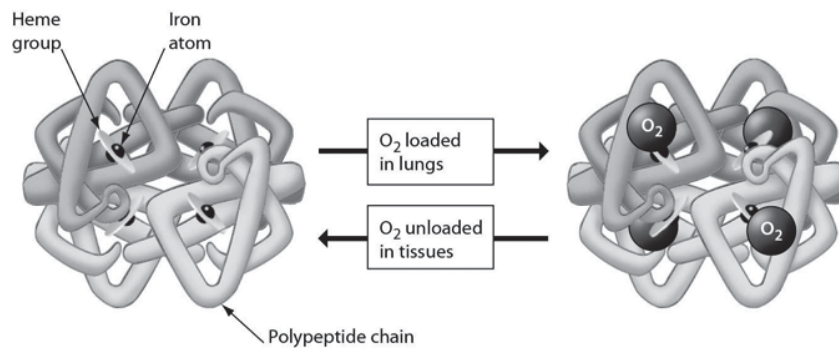
- 20) What path does a molecule of  $O_2$  take from the nose to the respiratory surface? 20) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) pharynx → larynx → bronchus → bronchiole → alveolus → trachea  
 B) pharynx → larynx → trachea → bronchiole → bronchus → alveolus  
 C) larynx → pharynx → trachea → bronchus → bronchiole → alveolus  
 D) pharynx → larynx → trachea → bronchus → bronchiole → alveolus
- 21) In the human respiratory system, gas exchange occurs across the cells of the \_\_\_\_\_. 21) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) trachea B) alveoli C) bronchi D) diaphragm
- 22) Breathing is regulated by \_\_\_\_\_. 22) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) the circulatory system B) control centers in the brain stem  
 C) the spinal cord D) the diaphragm and chest muscles
- 23) When you hold your breath, which of the following blood gas changes leads initially to the urge to breathe again? 23) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) rising carbon dioxide level  
 B) rising carbon monoxide level  
 C) falling carbon monoxide level  
 D) rising carbon dioxide level and falling carbon monoxide level
- 24) Oxygen is transported through the body mostly \_\_\_\_\_. 24) \_\_\_\_\_  
 A) bound to hemoglobin B) bound to dissolved iron  
 C) dissolved in the blood D) dissolved in red blood cells
- 25) Examine the figure shown. During negative pressure breathing, \_\_\_\_\_. 25) \_\_\_\_\_



- A) the nasal cavities expand and the diaphragm relaxes  
 B) the diaphragm moves downward and the rib muscles contract, increasing the size of the chest cavity and decreasing the air pressure within the chest cavity  
 C) the diaphragm and rib muscles contract, decreasing the size of the chest cavity and increasing the pressure within the chest cavity  
 D) the diaphragm moves downward and the rib muscles relax, increasing the size of the chest cavity and decreasing the air pressure within the chest cavity

26) The figure below shows that \_\_\_\_\_.

26) \_\_\_\_\_



- A) a hemoglobin molecule can bind up to four molecules of oxygen
- B) hemoglobin can bind to either oxygen or carbon dioxide
- C) a red blood cell contains four hemoglobin molecules
- D) each iron atom can bind four oxygen molecules