

READING SUB-TEST – QUESTION PAPER: PART A

TIME: 15 MINUTES

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

DO NOT open this **Question Paper** or the **Text Booklet** until you are told to do so.

Write your answers in the spaces provided in this **Question Paper**.

You must answer the questions within the 15-minute time limit.

One mark will be granted for each correct answer.

Answer **ALL** questions. Marks are **NOT** deducted for incorrect answers.

At the end of the 15 minutes, hand in this **Question Paper** and the **Text Booklet**.

DO NOT remove OET material from the test room.

Part A

TIME: 15 minutes

- Look at the four texts, **A-D**, in the separate **Text Booklet**.
 - For each question, **1-20**, look through the texts, **A-D**, to find the relevant information.
 - Write your answers in the spaces provided in this **Question Paper**.
 - Answer all the questions within the 15-minute time limit.
 - Your answers should be correctly spelt.
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Psoriasis: Questions

Questions 1-6

For each question, **1-6**, decide which text (**A**, **B**, **C** or **D**) the information comes from. You may use any letter more than once.

In which text can you find information about

- 1 how much psoriasis ointment is required for various areas of a patient's body? _____
- 2 what the skin of a patient with psoriasis looks like? _____
- 3 a way of determining whether a patient has psoriatic arthritis? _____
- 4 the consequences of not treating a disease which patients with psoriasis may go on to develop? _____
- 5 prescribing vitamin D for adults with psoriasis? _____
- 6 various conditions that may be confused with psoriasis? _____

Questions 7-14

Answer each of the questions, **7-14**, with a word or short phrase from one of the texts. Each answer may include words, numbers or both.

- 7 In addition to the arms and legs, which area of the body is most likely to be affected by chronic plaque psoriasis?

- 8 In what age range does PsA typically develop in patients with psoriasis?

- 9 When treating psoriasis with very potent corticosteroids, how long should be left between courses?

- 10 What may be prescribed as an alternative to coal tar preparation?

- 11 How much non-steroid cream should be prescribed for application to a child's trunk?

- 12 What is the maximum amount of Calcipotriol to be prescribed to a 13-year-old per week?

- 13 What should be prescribed for a patient with facial psoriasis, which doesn't respond to moderate corticosteroids?

- 14 What is the maximum percentage of a young patient's body to which Calcitriol may be applied?

Questions 15-20

Complete each of the sentences, **15-20**, with a word or short phrase from one of the texts. Each answer may include words, numbers or both.

- 15 A patient with a fever in addition to pustules, plaques and red skin, may be suffering from _____.
- 16 There is less _____ of the skin if the patient has palmoplantar psoriasis.
- 17 The CASPAR criteria should be applied to patients who are already diagnosed with _____.
- 18 Poor formation of the _____, including pitting, can indicate PsA.
- 19 Around half of all patients with PsA will have pain in the _____ joints.
- 20 If psoriasis on the flexures fails to respond to a mild corticosteroid within _____, the treatment should be stopped.

END OF PART A

THIS QUESTION PAPER WILL BE COLLECTED

Any answers recorded here will not be marked.

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