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This Quiz is designed to test your understanding of the learning objectives from the lecture in Week 8.

Complete each question and press submit to check your answers.

Q1:

In which of the following scenarios should we consider using logistic regression to model our data?

- ☐ We want to investigate if early language scores, gender and SES predict number of GSCE grades at C or above ✗
- ☒ A study whether a person's parents' driving status and their answers on an attitude to driving questionnaire will predict whether they pass their driving test ✓
- ☐ A study of whether being born during covid-19 or not has affected babies' head circumference ✗

Correct!

Q2:

Which of the following are binary outcomes (check all which apply)

- ☒ result of a coin flip ✓
- ☐ blood type ✗
- ☒ presence or absence of specific diagnosis ✓
- ☒ screening result for dyslexia ✓

Correct!

Q3:

Which of the following is true?

- ☐ the range of probabilities is infinite ✗
- ☐ the range possible of log odds ratios goes from 0 to 1 ✗
- ☐ log odds ratios can only be positive ✗
- ☒ probabilities can only range from 0 to 1 ✓

Correct!

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Q4:

The probability of winning on a slot machine is .25. If you played 100 times the resulting binomial distribution would have:

- ☐ a mean of 18.75 and a variance of 25 ✗
- ☐ a mean of 25 and a variance of 75 ✗
- ☐ a mean of 25 and a variance of 25 ✗
- ☒ a mean of 25 and a variance of 18.75 ✓

Correct!

Q5:

Use R to calculate the natural log of the number 82

- ☒ 4.405 ✓
- ☐ 1.914 ✗
- ☐ 2,718282 ✗
- ☐ 0.012 ✗

Correct!

Q6:

Assumptions necessary for logistic regression: check all that apply

- ☒ continuous predictors should not be highly correlated with each other ✓
- ☒ independence of errors ✓
- ☒ no influential outliers ✓
- ☐ normally distributed predictors ✗

Correct!

Q7:

The coefficients in a logistic regression model

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- ☐ indicate the change in probability of the dependent variable when the predictor variable increases by one unit ✗
- ☐ can be transformed to probabilities using the $\log_{10}()$ function ✗
- ☒ indicate the change in log odds of the dependent variable when the predictor variable increases by one unit ✓
- ☐ always sum to 1 ✗

Correct!

Q8:

To assess how well our logistic model fits the data overall we look for

- ☐ a significant Hosmer-Lemeshow test ✗
- ☒ a non-significant Hosmer-Lemeshow test ✓
- ☐ a significant Wald statistic ✗

Correct!

Q9:

To report how much variance in the dependent variable our logistic regression model explains we use

- ☒ McFadden's pseudo R-squared ✓
- ☐ Hosmer-Lemeshow test ✗
- ☐ Wald statistics ✗

Correct!

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