

ABO Questions:

1. An individual with type A blood will have which ABO antibodies present?
2. An individual with type B blood will have which ABO antibodies present?
3. An individual with type O blood will have which ABO antibodies present?
4. An individual with type AB blood will have which ABO antibodies present?
5. Describe the process of performing a forward grouping
6. Describe the process of performing a reverse grouping
7. The forward grouping is detecting patient _____.
8. The reverse grouping is detecting patient _____.
9. What are the frequencies of the different blood types?
10. Are ABO antibodies natural or immune antibodies?
11. Are ABO antibodies usually IgM or IgG?
12. At which temperature to ABO antibodies react best?
13. Can ABO antibodies cause hemolytic transfusion reactions and hemolytic disease of the fetus and newborn?
14. Describe the strength of ABO antibodies throughout life.

15. If an individual is type A, what possible genotypes could they have inherited?
16. Which gene in the ABO blood group system is an amorph and which gene in the Hh blood group system is an amorph?
17. The ABO and H genes produce what kinds of enzymes and what do these enzymes do?
18. Describe the difference between type 1 precursors and type 2 precursors.
19. For an individual to be group O, what genes must they have inherited?
20. Which enzyme does the H gene produce?
21. What is an immunodominant sugar?
22. What is the immunodominant sugar for group O?
23. Which antigen must be present on the precursor chain before A or B can attach?
24. For an individual to be group A, what genes must they inherit?
25. Which enzyme does the A gene produce?
26. What is the immunodominant sugar for group A?
27. For an individual to be group B, what genes must they inherit?
28. Which enzyme does the B gene produce?

29. What is the immunodominant sugar for group B?
30. For an individual to be group AB, what genes must they inherit?
31. Which ABO enzyme produces the highest concentration of transferase and therefore converts the most H substance?
32. Which blood types have the least amount of H substance?
33. Which blood types have the most amount of H substance?
34. Which blood type is most likely to make an autoanti-H and why?
35. Which blood type is the universal donor and universal recipient for red cell transfusion?
36. Which blood type is the universal donor and universal recipient for plasma transfusion?
37. What enzyme does the secretor gene produce and what does this enzyme do?
38. If a person is a secretor, what antigens can be found in their secretions?
39. What percentage of the population is a nonsecretor?
40. What percentage of the type A population is A1?
41. What are the differences between type A1 and type A2?
42. What is the Anti-A1 lectin made from?
43. What is the Anti-H lectin made from?

44. How will an A1 individual react with Anti-A1?
45. How will an A2 individual react with Anti-A1?
46. What are common characteristics of a weak subgroup of A that can help identify them?
47. How is the antibody anti-A,B different from the other ABO antibodies?
48. What will happen if an individual inherits hh instead of Hh or HH?
49. If an individual inherits hh and AA, what will their blood type appear to be?
50. What antibodies does a Bombay individual create?
51. If an individual has inherited the Bombay phenotype, what reactions would you expect when testing their plasma with screening cells?
52. If an individual with the Bombay phenotype needs a transfusion, what type of red cells should be given?
53. How does para-Bombay type differ from the Bombay phenotype?