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QUIZ 11/4

- D 1. Formation of a highly concentrated urine is dependent upon
- A. Elevated levels of vasopressin in the plasma
 - B. Elevated levels of aldosterone in the plasma
 - C. Active transport of Na^+ and Cl^- by the descending limb of the loops of Henle
 - D. Both A and B
 - E. All of the choices are correct
- E 2. In terms of the amount of water lost or conserved through urine formation, which region(s) of the renal tubule demonstrate the highest degree of variability?
- A. The glomerulus
 - B. Proximal convoluted tubule
 - C. Loop of Henle
 - D. Distal convoluted tubule
 - E. Cortical and medullary collecting ducts
- E 3. Which of the following most accurately describes the actions of aldosterone?
- A. Aldosterone increases Na^+ secretion and K^+ reabsorption in the cortical collecting ducts
 - B. Aldosterone increases Na^+ reabsorption and K^+ secretion in the proximal tubule
 - C. Aldosterone decreases Na^+ reabsorption and K^+ secretion in the cortical collecting ducts
 - D. Aldosterone increases Na^+ secretion and K^+ reabsorption in the proximal tubule
 - E. Aldosterone increases Na^+ reabsorption and K^+ secretion in the cortical collecting ducts
- E 4. Vasopressin/antidiuretic hormone
- A. Is a peptide hormone released from the adrenal gland
 - B. Triggers insertion of aquaporins into the luminal membranes of collecting ducts
 - C. Promotes the excretion of water into urine
 - D. Promotes the secretion of potassium into urine
 - E. All of the choices are correct
- B 5. Because of the countercurrent multiplier system in the loop of Henle and the proximity to it of the medullary collecting ducts,
- A. Hyperosmotic urine is generated by active salt reabsorption through membranes that are relatively impermeable to water and the diffusion of water through membranes responsive to vasopressin
 - B. Hypoosmotic urine is generated by active salt reabsorption through membranes impermeable to water and the diffusion of water through membranes responsive to vasopressin
 - C. Hyperosmotic urine is generated by active salt secretion into the loop of Henle and into the medullary collecting ducts
 - D. Hypoosmotic urine is generated by active salt secretion into the loop of Henle and into the medullary collecting ducts
 - E. The body must excrete a dilute urine

- A 6. Stimuli for vasopressin secretion include
- A. Increased plasma osmolarity
 - B. Increased plasma volume
 - C. Ingestion of alcohol
 - D. Both A and B
 - E. All of the choices are true

- E C 7. A person who is unable to synthesize vasopressin
- A. Is unable to reabsorb water in the proximal tubule
 - B. Will excrete glucose in the urine
 - C. Will excrete a hypotonic urine
 - D. Will excrete up to 180 L of urine per day
 - E. Will do all of these things

- A 8. Renin
- A. Is secreted by juxtaglomerular cells in renal afferent arterioles
 - B. Secretion is enhanced by high levels of Na^+ in the macula densa
 - C. Secretion is stimulated by elevated blood pressure in the renal afferent arterioles
 - D. Acts on the adrenal cortex to stimulate aldosterone secretion
 - E. Is described by all of these things

- E 9. The countercurrent multiplier system of the kidney
- A. Allows the kidneys to form hypertonic urine
 - B. Requires that the collecting ducts be near the loops of Henle
 - C. Requires active transport of sodium and chloride out of the ascending limb of the loop of Henle
 - D. Would not function if the ascending limb of the loop of Henle were freely permeable to water
 - E. Is described by all of these choices

- D 10. The amount of a substance that is excreted in the urine is equal to the amount that is _____ plus the amount that is _____ minus the amount that is _____.
A. Filtered; reabsorbed; secreted
B. Reabsorbed; filtered; secreted
C. Secreted; reabsorbed; filtered
D. Filtered; secreted; reabsorbed
E. Reabsorbed; secreted; filtered