

**BPS1101**

**Mid Term 1** (February 4, 2010)

(1 point is given for each correct answer. 1 point is subtracted for 5 incorrect answers)

1. Joseph Lister is associated with the development of what important medical breakthrough?
  - ☒ a) antisepsis
  - b) antihistamines
  - c) anesthetics
  - d) antibiotics
  - e) antidotes
  
2. Which of the following are not related
  - a) Joseph Lister and carbolic acid (phenol)
  - b) malaria and quinine
  - c) W.T. Morton and ether
  - d) Hippocrates and the doctrine of humors
  - ☒ e) Salicylic acid and the boneset plant
  
3. Which of the following was not associated with the doctrine of humors?
  - a) blood
  - b) black bile
  - c) phlegm
  - ☒ d) mandrake
  - e) bloodletting
  
4. Life expectancy in the world throughout most of history was
  - a) approximately the same as it is now
  - ☒ b) approximately half what it is now
  - c) impossible to estimate
  - d) about 80 years
  - e) recorded in historical records
  
6. Which of the following has had the biggest benefit to human survival?
  - a) the chlorination of water
  - ☒ b) the development of anesthetics
  - c) the discovery of A.S.A.
  - d) the availability of over-the-counter (OTC) drugs
  - e) the doctrine of humors in the development of medications
  
7. Which of the following diseases no longer exists on earth
  - a) small pox
  - b) the great pox
  - ☒ c) polio
  - d) measles
  - e) dracunculiasis