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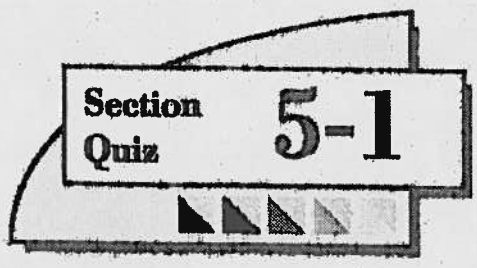

Adulthood

Matching

Match each item in Column A with the items in Column B. Write the correct letters in the blanks. *(10 points each)*

Column A

C 1. a discontinuation of development and desire to recapture the past

A 2. the desire to use one's accumulated wisdom to guide future generations

E 3. a stage for women in which major psychological and biological changes occur

D 4. the biological event in which a woman's production of sex hormones is sharply reduced

B 5. a mother's possible reaction to the departure from home of her last child

Column B

A. generativity
B. "empty nest" syndrome
C. stagnation
D. menopause
E. climacteric

Multiple Choice

Choose the item that best completes each statement or answers each question. Write the letter of that item in the blank to the left of the sentence. *(10 points each)*

B 6. Which of the following changes in appearance occur during middle age?
A. weight loss
B. hair starts turning gray
C. loose skin develops
D. growth spurts

C 7. Which of the following is NOT one of the three most common causes of death in later adulthood?
A. cancer
B. cirrhosis of the liver
C. Alzheimer's disease
D. heart disease

A 8. Success or failure in marriage depends upon couples
A. handling conflicts and having many happy moments.
B. having children and developing generativity.
C. avoiding fights and giving in to demands.
D. ignoring conflicts and working together.

B 9. _____'s theory of male development identifies major transitions in men's lives at ages 30, 40, 50, and 60.
A. Sigmund Freud
B. Daniel Levinson
C. William Masters and Virginia Johnson
D. Erik Erikson

D 10. Depression is most common among
A. adolescent boys.
B. adolescent girls.
C. middle-aged men.
D. middle-aged women.

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