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Questions:

1. Which of the following cannot be included in the total time for an office visit?
 - a. preparing to see the patient (eg, review of tests)
 - b. obtaining and/or reviewing separately obtained history
 - c. documenting clinical information in the electronic or other health record
 - d. teaching that is general and not limited to discussion that is required for the management of the specific patient.

2. The physician orders a CBC, an EKG and a chest xray at the patient's office visit. All of these services are billed by the physician's office. Which of these can be counted towards Data in determining the level of service?
 - a. CBC
 - b. EKG
 - c. EKG and chest x-ray
 - d. CBC and chest x-ray

3. The physician orders a prothrombin time at today's visit. He compares the results of this to the results from the patient's last three visits, where the same test was performed at each visit. How many tests are counted as Data points for today's encounter?
 - a. 1
 - b. 2
 - c. 3
 - d. 4

4. The physician wants to discuss the patient's care with a specialist. The specialist is unavailable, so a message is give to the nurse to relay to the specialist. The nurse then relays the answer back to physician the next day. Can this be credited as Discussion of management to meet the criteria for Category 3 Data?
 - a. Yes
 - b. No

5. Credit can be given for order/review of the test identified with CPT code 94760.
 - a. True
 - b. False

6. The risk associated with the patient's disease process is accounted for in which Medical Decision Making element?
 - a. Time
 - b. Nature and Complexity of Problems Addressed
 - c. Amount and/or Complexity of Data to be Reviewed and Analyzed
 - d. Risk of Complications and/or Morbidity or Mortality of Patient Management

7. The patient is scheduled to undergo excision of a skin lesion. How would this be considered in terms of the Risk in the Medical Decision Making criteria?
 - a. E&M
 - b. Minor
 - c. Major
 - d. Depends on the documentation of the physician's judgment

8. A patient with congestive heart failure is prescribed Lasix to treat their volume overload. The physician orders an electrolyte panel as he is concerned that their potassium may become dangerously depleted. How would you quantify the Risk associated with this visit?
 - a. Minimal
 - b. Low
 - c. Moderate
 - d. High

9. The patient comes to the office requesting an MRI of the brain. She had read online that an MRI is useful in diagnosing early stage Alzheimers'. The patient has no symptoms, no family history of Alzheimers', and there are no studies supporting the use of MRI imaging in this way. The physician spends considerable time discussing this with the patient and declines to order the MRI. How would this test not ordered be counted in the Medical Decision Making for this visit?
 - a. Nature and Complexity of Problems Addressed
 - b. Data
 - c. Risk
 - d. A test not ordered is not counted at all.

10. The physician reviews records from the patient's previous physician. In total, he reviews the documentation of 4 office visits, 3 comprehensive metabolic panels, 2 EKGs, and 1 chest x-ray. How many points are counted under Data?
 - a. 10
 - b. 6
 - c. 3
 - d. 1

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