1. Gout is considered a primary disease in which category?  
   a. Vascular diseases  
   b. Muscular diseases  
   c. Arthritic diseases  
   d. Genetic diseases

2. Which of the following describes symptoms of a gout attack?  
   a. Low uric acid levels  
   b. Cool, mottled joints  
   c. Swelling and pain  
   d. Excessive hair loss associated with gout.

3. Which of the following best describes podagra?  
   a. Asymptomatic collection of uric acid in the joints.  
   b. The first flare of gout in the great toe.  
   c. Calm physical state without pain  
   d. First attack of gouty arthritis

4. Which of the following is a characteristic of stage II gout?  
   a. Chronic gout  
   b. Intercritical stage  
   c. Hyperuricemia without symptoms  
   d. First attack of gouty arthritis

5. Which of the following best describes a complication of chronic gout?  
   a. Calcium-based cholelithiasis  
   b. Malignant hypertension  
   c. End-stage liver disease  
   d. Genetic diseases

6. The intercritical stage of gout is associated with which of the following?  
   a. Severe flares of podagra  
   b. Asymptomatic hyperuricemia  
   c. Calm physical state without pain or loss of joint movement  
   d. The chronic, multi-articular phase of gouty arthritis

7. Which of the following is a characteristic of stage II gout?  
   a. Chronic gout  
   b. Intercritical stage  
   c. Hyperuricemia without symptoms  
   d. First attack of gouty arthritis

8. The most commonly used medications for gout attacks are NSAIDs and which of the following?  
   a. Allopurinol  
   b. Colchicine  
   c. Probenecid  
   d. Vitamin C

9. Which of the following describes a way nurses can be instrumental to gout care?  
   a. Providing dietary information for iodine intake  
   b. Helping the patient create a diary of triggers  
   c. Helping the patient significantly limit fluid intake  
   d. Encouraging the addition of fish and seafood for proteins

10. Which of the following describes the overall goal of the article?  
   a. Asymptomatic collection of uric acid in the joints.  
   b. Providing dietary information for fluid intake.  
   c. Kidney stones  
   d. Genetic diseases

The objectives relate to the overall goal of the article.  
   a. strongly agree  
   b. agree  
   c. neutral  
   d. disagree  
   e. strongly disagree

The article is well-written and logically organized, and defines terms adequately.  
   a. strongly agree  
   b. agree  
   c. neutral  
   d. disagree  
   e. strongly disagree

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