

The Digestive System

WHICH WORD?

Select the correct answer and write it on the line provided.

The word that means vomiting blood is _____.

hematemesis

hyperemesis

The type of hepatitis that is transmitted by contaminated food and water is _____.

hepatitis A

hepatitis B

An often fatal form of food poisoning is _____.

bulimia

botulism

The term meaning inflammation of the small intestine is _____.

colitis

enteritis

The _____ is the structure that hangs from the free edge of the soft palate.

volvulus

uvula

SPELLING COUNTS

Find the misspelled word in each sentence. Then write that word, spelled correctly, on the line provided.

An ilectomy is the surgical removal of the last portion of the small intestine. _____

The cecum is connected to the ileum by the iliocecal sphincter. _____

The term hepatarrhaphy means to suture the liver. _____

A proctoplexy is the surgical fixation of the rectum to some adjacent tissue or organ.

Hepatitis is an inflammation of the liver caused by a virus or by damage from toxic substances.

DEFINITIONS

Select the correct answer and write it on the line provided.

The use of a speculum to visually examine the anal canal and lower rectum is known as a/an _____.

anoscopy colonoscopy proctoscopy sigmoidoscopy

The _____ glands are located on the face in front of each ear.

maxillary parotid sublingual submandibular

The _____ are the posterior teeth used for grinding and chewing.

canines cuspids incisors molars

The liver removes excess _____ from the bloodstream.

bilirubin glucose glycogen lipase

The gallbladder stores _____ for later use.

bile glycogen hydrochloric acid pepsin

The duodenum is part of the _____.

cecum large intestine small intestine stomach

The process of breaking down substances is known as _____.

anabolism catabolism defecation dentition

The receptors of taste are located on the _____.

hard palate rugae tongue uvula

Each tooth is surrounded by specialized mucous membrane known as the _____.

cementum dentin gingiva pulp

The condition characterized by the telescoping of one part of the intestine into another is called _____.

borborygmus flatus intussusception volvulus

TERM SELECTION

Select the correct answer and write it on the line provided.

Surgical removal of all or part of the stomach is known as a _____.

gastrectomy

gastritis

gastroenteritis

gastrotomy

Difficulty in swallowing is known as _____.

anorexia

dyspepsia

dysphagia

pyrosis

A surgical incision into the colon is known as a _____.

colectomy

colostomy

colotomy

proctectomy

Progressive degeneration of the liver is caused by the disease called _____.

cirrhosis

hepatomegaly

hepatitis

hepatorrhhexis

The pigment produced by the destruction of hemoglobin in the liver is called _____.

bile

bilirubin

hydrochloric acid

pancreatic juice

SENTENCE COMPLETION

Write the correct term on the line provided.

The folds in the mucosa lining the mouth and of the stomach are known as _____.

The return of swallowed food to the mouth is called _____.

A yellow discoloration of the skin caused by greater than normal amounts of bilirubin in the blood is called _____.

The flow from the stomach to the duodenum is controlled by the _____ sphincter.

The medical term for the solid body wastes that are expelled through the rectum is/are _____.

WHICH IS THE CORRECT MEDICAL TERM?

Select the correct answer and write it on the line provided.

The _____ test detects hidden blood in the stools.

anoscopy colonoscopy enema hemocult

In a patient with a colostomy, the effluent flows from the _____.

colon ileus rectum stoma

The term meaning the lack or loss of appetite is _____.

anorexia bulimia nervosa pica

The hardened deposit on the teeth that irritates the surrounding tissues is known as _____.

calculus caries gingiva plaque

The surgical repair of the rectum is a/an _____.

anoplasty palatoplasty proctopexy proctoplasty

TRUE/FALSE

If the statement is true, write **T** on the line. If the statement is false, write **F** on the line.

_____ Amebic dysentery is an intestinal disease caused by Entamoeba histolytica.

_____ Hepatitis B can be prevented through immunization.

_____ Bruxism means to be without natural teeth.

_____ Gastrorrhagia means the excessive flow of gastric secretions.

_____ Eructation is the act of belching or raising gas orally from the stomach.

- _____ Cholelithiasis is the presence of stones in the large intestine.
- _____ Fatty substances in a stool sample indicate a parasite problem.
- _____ Periodontitis is the progressive destruction of dental enamel.
- _____ Pica is a craving for nonnutritional substances such as clay.
- _____ A choledocholithotomy is an incision in the common bile duct for the removal of gallstones.

CLINICAL CONDITIONS

Write the correct answer on the line provided.

James Ridgeview was treated for the temporary stoppage of intestinal peristalsis. The medical term for this condition is _____.

Chang Hoon suffers from an inflammation of the stomach. The medical term for this condition is _____.

Dr. Martinson described the patient as being _____, which means he was without natural teeth.

Baby Kilgore was vomiting almost continuously. The medical term for this excessive vomiting is _____.

A/An _____ was performed on Mr. Gonzalez to create an opening between his colon and body surface.

After eating, Mr. Delahanty often suffers from heartburn. The medical term for this condition is _____.

Catherine Baldwin's presenting symptom was the passage of black stools containing digested blood. The medical term for this condition is _____.

Alberta Roberts was diagnosed as having an inflammation of one or more diverticulum. The medical term for this condition is _____.

Jason Norton suffers from _____ labialis, which is also known as cold sores.

Lisa Wilson saw her dentist because she was concerned about bad breath. Her dentist refers to this condition as _____.