

ENT PATHOLOGY MCQS:

1. A patient has recurrent painful aphthous ulcers of their oral mucosa. You are concerned that they may also have
 - A: autoimmune disease
 - B: chronic myelocytic leukaemia
 - C: HIV/AIDS
 - D: shingles

2. A patient has a stone in their salivary duct. What is a complication of sialolithiasis?
 - A: bacterial sialadenitis
 - B: pleomorphic adenoma
 - C: viral sialadenitis
 - D: xerostomia

3. An infant presents with epiglottitis. Which vaccine did they miss?
 - A: haemophilus
 - B: meningococcal
 - C: pertussis
 - D: pneumococcal

4. Severe chronic sinusitis in immunosuppressed patients is likely to be caused by
 - A: candidiasis
 - B: mucormycosis
 - C: Mycobacterium tuberculosis
 - D: Pseudomonas aeruginosa

5. Your waiting room is full of febrile children with sore ears. The most common cause of acute bacterial otitis media is
 - A: Haemophilus influenzae
 - B: Staphylococcus aureus
 - C: Streptococcus pneumoniae
 - D: Streptococcus viridans

6. A complication of neglected otitis media is
 - A: labyrinthitis
 - B: mastoiditis
 - C: scarlet fever
 - D: sinusitis

7. A patient with acute leukaemia may present with
 - A: dental caries
 - B: gingivitis
 - C: nasal polyps
 - D: sialadenitis

8. After another day of double doughnut COVID-19 cases, you ponder other respiratory tract plagues. You are pleased that none of today's patients have the inflammatory membrane of diphtheria, which covers their
- A: epiglottis
 - B: floor of mouth
 - C: tonsils & retropharynx
 - D: trachea & carina
9. A patient with toothache has an OPG showing an abscess displacing the periodontal ligament. Which bacteria is the likely cause?
- A: anaerobic gram negatives
 - B: anaerobic gram positives
 - C: facultative gram negatives
 - D: facultative gram positives
10. A child presents with refusal to eat and fever. You encourage him to scream and see ulceration and vesicles covering the oral mucosa. What has he caught?
- A: candida albicans
 - B: herpes simplex virus
 - C: measles virus
 - D: varicella zoster virus