

MODULE 2: ACUTE STROKE MANAGEMENT

Quiz Answers

1. Answer should include 2 points from the list:

Specialized stroke unit care

- Reduces the likelihood of death and disability in men and women with stroke (mild, moderate, and severe).
 - Stroke patients are more likely to return home and regain independence than those cared for on traditional hospital wards.
 - Fewer complications, earlier recognition of pneumonia.
 - Earlier mobilization and rehabilitation.
2. b. In large strokes, 1-2 days after the original infarct
 3. e. All of the above may happen
 4. c. Spasticity

5. Answer should include 5 points from the list:
- Use short sentences, simple grammar, common vocabulary
 - Speak S-L-O-W-L-Y
 - Use normal tone and loudness
 - Repeat and/or rephrase
 - Give plenty of time to process what you have said
 - Use facial expressions, gestures, and visual cues
 - Ask if the patient understands you
 - Write down key words, draw pictures
 - Ask yes/no questions
 - Ask closed ended questions (e.g., orange or apple juice)
 - Ask the person to write down what they said OR they can point to their answer if given a paper saying yes/no
6. d. All of the above
7. d. Dehydrated

TRUE/FALSE Questions

1. True
2. True
3. True
4. False
5. False
6. False
7. False
8. False