Fish: Crime Scene Investigation, 3rd Edition

Chapter 2: First Response

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1. Before the initial entry into a crime scene, ensure that all safety concerns have been addressed.
a. True b. False
ANS: a
2. Crime scene boundaries should start small and expand as more facts are received.
a. True b. False
ANS: b
3. Hepatitis is one of the more common bloodborne pathogens.
a. True b. False
ANS: a
4. The CSI is primarily dispatched to a crime scene to ensure that all legal considerations are met.
a. True b. False
ANS: b
5. The senior medical person on the scene is responsible for safeguarding individual health and ensuring a safe working environment.
a. True b. False
ANS: b
6. A list of the first usually to arrive at the crime scene would include
a. patrol officersb. fire fighters

- c. emergency medical personnel
- d. all of the above

ANS: d

- 7. The CSI should document all emergency responders by obtaining, at a minimum
- a. documentation is not required
- b. their name, time of arrival, and agency
- c. their name, badge number, and station assignment
- d. their agency, station assignment, and time of arrival

ANS: c

- 8. When establishing boundaries of a crime scene, one should
- a. secure a small controlled area first
- b. secure a large area and increase the perimeter as needed
- c. secure a large area and reduce as facts are determined
- d. secure entry and exit paths only

ANS: c

- 9. The primary reason the CSI is dispatched to a crime scene is to
- a. identify all safety issues before allowing entry by personnel
- b. conduct an investigation
- c. document all personnel at the scene for possible questioning
- d. ensure that all legal considerations are met

ANS: b

- 10. The universal decontamination solution used to prevent cross-contamination is
- a. diluted solution of bleach 1:10 or 70% isopropyl alcohol
- b. 70% isopropyl alcohol
- c. distilled water and baking soda
- d. none of the above

ANS: a

- 11. The most common bloodborne pathogens are
- a. human immunodeficiency virus, influenza, and common cold
- b. influenza, HIV/AIDS, and STDs
- c. HIV/AIDS, STDs, hepatitis, and influenza

d. HIV/AIDS, rabies, hepatitis, and STDs

ANS: d

- 12. When using gloves, the following procedures should be followed
- a. never wear leather or fabric gloves
- b. always use latex gloves
- c. never utilize the double-glove technique
- d. avoid gloves of any type

ANS: a

- 13. The government agency that sets safety standards for all workers is the
- a. Occupational Safety and Hazard Administration
- b. Occupational Safety and Health Administration
- c. Workplace Health and Safety Commission
- d. Workplace Safety Administration

ANS: b