

Q178: list the criteria of hyperosmolar non ketonic coma.

1. Blood glucose concentration may exceed 50 mmol/L
2. Cerebral cellular dehydration which contributes to coma
3. Hyperventilation
4. Hyponatremia due to predominant water loss

Q179: outline (Tabulate) the clinical and biochemical features of diabetic patient presenting in coma due to

- a. Hypoglycemia
- b. Ketoacidosis
- c. Hyperosmolar coma
- d. Lactic acidosis
- e. Uremia
- f. Cerebrovascular accidents

Q180: mention the types of coma other than hyperosmolar ketotic and non ketotic in diabetics?

Q181: why is it necessary to give prompt glucose replacement? What is the recommended dose of glucose that must be prescribed in such case?

Q182: when there is no intravenous access of intravenous glucose solution (50 ml – 20% glucose) in the case of hypoglycemia?

Q183: explain briefly the repletion of fluid electrolytes in diabetic ketoacidosis?

Q184: why is it important to monitor central venous pressure in diabetic ketoacidosis?

Q185: at what plasma glucose level soluble insulin must be administered?

Q186: at what PH level, bicarbonate must be infused in diabetic ketoacidosis? At what extent of PH must the infusion stopped?

Q187: why is it very important for the good control of bicarbonate infusion in ketoacidosis?

Q188: why is it necessary to measure plasma potassium before insulin is given to patients with ketoacidosis?

Q189: what is the importance of intravenous heparin 5000 D 8 hourly in diabetic ketoacidosis conditions?

Q190: list the steps for the initial investigation of a diabetic patient presenting in coma.

Q191: according to WHO criteria, how is diabetes mellitus confirmed?

Q192: At what plasma glucose level is diabetes mellitus unlikely?

Q193: what are the indications for performing OGTT to diagnose diabetes mellitus?

Q194: at what case dose OGTT become important other than D.M. diagnosis?

Q195: briefly state the procedure for oral glucose tolerate test.

Q196: explain how is OGTT interpreted in the following cases:

1. Diabetes mellitus unlikely.
2. Impaired glucose tolerance.
3. Impaired fasting glucose.
4. Diabetes mellitus.

Q197: what are the causes of result differences in the radius of blood sugar when using venous plasma, venous whole blood and capillary whole blood?

Q198: list down the factors which affect OGTT results?

Q199: "There is controversy in the interpretation of OGTT results during pregnancy", explain why?

Q200: define hypoglycemia? How is it diagnosed in the laboratory?

Q201: what is meant by "Pseudo hypoglycemia"?

Q202: when does hypoglycemia symptoms appear at plasma sugar concentration of higher than 2.5 mmol/L?

Q203: what is the cause of the clinical symptoms associated with hypoglycemia? Mention those symptoms.

Q204: define "Neuroglycopenia"

Q205: what is the "whipple's traid" of hypoglycemia?

Q206: how is hypoglycemia classified?

Q207: explain how is hypoinsulinemia hypoglycemia diagnosed in the laboratory?

Q208: list the endocrine causes of hypoglycemia.

Q209: "Impaired liver function may lead to hypoglycemia", explain why?

Q210: why do renal failure lead sometimes to hypoglycemia?

Q211: outline the causes of hypoglycemia in diabetic patients?

Q212: "Measurement of plasma C-peptide may help to differentiate exogenous insulin administration", explain why?

Q213: what is the response of insulin antibodies?

Q214: what is the cause of reactive hypoglycemia?

Q215: what is the cause of "late dumping syndrome"?

Q216: what is the cause of alcohol – induced hypoglycemia?

Q217: what is the causes of neonatal of children hypoglycemia?