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What Do You Know About Prescription Stimulants?

Answer the questions below to find out what you learned about prescription stimulants.

- Prescription stimulants and cocaine are from the same class of drugs.
(A) True
(B) False
- Many people use prescription stimulants to safely and effectively treat ADHD, narcolepsy, and sometimes depression.
(A) True
(B) False
- Using someone else's prescription stimulants to help you study for a test is not drug abuse.
(A) True
(B) False
- Which of the following is a prescription stimulant?
(A) dopamine
(B) methylphenidate
(C) amphetamine
(D) A and B
(E) B and C
- According to the 2010 *Monitoring the Future* survey, what percent of high school seniors have reported nonmedical use of Adderall® in the past year?
(A) 22.6 percent
(B) 85 percent
(C) 6.5 percent
(D) 1 percent
- Which of the following is NOT an effect of stimulants on the body?
(A) increased energy
(B) increased alertness
(C) increased appetite
(D) increased attention
- Prescription stimulants are prescribed to treat ADHD because they:
(A) can decrease appetite so that people with ADHD can lose weight.
(B) can have a calming effect on people with ADHD that helps them focus.
(C) can help with feelings of anxiety, irritability, and paranoia.
(D) all of the above
- Which of the following is NOT an example of abusing prescription stimulants?
(A) taking a prescription stimulant per doctor's orders
(B) taking a prescription stimulant not prescribed to you to help you lose weight
(C) taking a prescription stimulant that was prescribed for your friend
(D) taking a prescription stimulant to get high
- Taking high doses of prescription stimulants can result in _____.
(A) a stroke
(B) death
(C) a heart attack
(D) all of the above
- People who repeatedly abuse prescription stimulants may experience withdrawal symptoms when they stop using them, including:
(A) depression.
(B) disturbed sleep patterns.
(C) fatigue.
(D) all of the above