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1. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**South Africa has the largest tuberculosis (TB) burden in the world.**
2. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**South Africa's TB notification rates are highest in the remote rural areas.**
3. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Adult TB comprises a combination of recent infections and reactivation of latent TB.**
4. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Childhood TB infection occurs largely as child-to-child transmission.**
5. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Young children with TB have a greater risk for progression to active disease than adults.**
6. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Childhood TB occurs most frequently in children <2 years.**
7. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Influenza is a major cause of seasonal excess mortality and hospitalisation in adults.**
8. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**The elderly are resistant to influenza and should be excluded from vaccination programmes.**
9. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**South Africa's paediatric antiretroviral treatment (ART) programme is the largest in the world.**
10. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**It has been estimated that nearly all children who need ART in South Africa according to national guidelines are receiving treatment.**
11. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Children remaining in care on ART experience dramatic improvements in growth and immune status.**
12. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**In South Africa nearly 7% of the GDP is devoted to the health system.**
13. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**In South Africa the present health system (private and public) is providing great value for money.**
14. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**About 47% of our financial resources for health flow via medical schemes, serving about 15% of the population.**
15. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Because the public sector is so large, about 85% of doctors work in it.**
16. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**A wide range of stakeholders agree that improving public sector health services is the most urgent first step towards a National Health Insurance (NHI).**
17. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**Public acceptance of an NHI is strongly related to the extent to which the population is acquainted with the notion of insurance.**
18. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**In South Africa rises in excise taxes increased real cigarette prices by 115% between 1993 and 2003.**
19. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**South Africa introduced comprehensive tobacco control policies in the 1990s.**
20. True (A) or false (B) – click on the correct answer:  
**South Africa's tobacco control policies have failed, as tobacco use has increased dramatically.**

### INSTRUCTIONS

1. Read the journal. All the answers will be found there.
2. Go to [www.cpdjournals.org.za](http://www.cpdjournals.org.za) to answer the questions.

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