

UNIT 6

CHAPTER 22

ALCOHOL, THE INDIVIDUAL AND SOCIETY

Exploring Health Terms

DIRECTIONS: Select the term that best completes the statement.

Alcohol Abuse	Binge Drinking	Detoxification	Intoxication
Alcohol Poisoning	Blood Alcohol Level	Ethanol	Metabolism
Alcoholic	Depressant	Fermentation	Recovery
Alcoholism	Fetal Alcohol Syndrome		Sobriety

1. ____ A type of alcohol.
2. ____ A drug that slows down the central nervous system.
3. ____ Physical and mental impairment associated with alcohol use.
4. ____ This use may put the family members at risk for neglect, physical abuse or economic hardship.
5. ____ The rate at which the body breaks down substances.
6. ____ Drinking 5 or more alcoholic drinks at one sitting.
7. ____ The amount of alcohol in a person's blood expressed as a percentage.
8. ____ A severe and potentially fatal physical reaction to an alcohol overdose.
9. ____ Is a condition in which a fetus has been adversely affected mentally and physically by the mother's alcohol use during pregnancy.
10. An addiction to alcohol.
11. This is a process in which the body adjusts to functioning without alcohol.

Recalling The Facts

DIRECTIONS: Using complete sentences, answer the following questions.

LESSON 1

1. List three factors that influence alcohol use.
2. What are some of the risks of alcohol use?
3. Describe the effects that alcohol has on the body.
4. What impact can alcohol use have on a teen's education and career goals?

LESSON 2

5. Describe one typical alcohol-drug interaction.
6. What are some factors that affect an individual's short-term reaction to alcohol?
7. What are some consequences of driving while intoxicated or driving under the influence?
8. Explain how alcohol poisoning can cause a person's blood alcohol level to continue to rise even after the person stops consuming alcohol.

LESSON 3

9. What are some specific goals of Healthy People 2010 for reducing ways in which alcohol affects the family and society?
10. What is a safe amount of alcohol that a mother can drink during pregnancy?
11. Describe the symptoms an alcoholic might display?
12. Describe two programs that offer help to alcoholics and their families. Explain the services they provide.