



## Personal Health Series **Sports Safety**

## **Quiz Answer Key**

- 1. True or false: Mouthguards can help protect your teeth while you play sports.
- 2. True or false: Players need to warm up before games, but not practice.
- 3. Underline safe warm-up activities:
  - brisk walking a)
- b) jogging
- doing jumping jacks c)
- jumping hurdles d)
- e) lifting weights
- sprinting f)
- 4. Wearing the right equipment with the right fit decreases your chances of getting hurt.
- 5. If you've been injured or hurt and you try to come back too soon, you run the risk of reinjuring yourself — maybe even more seriously than before.
- 6. True or false: All sports supplements sold in the United States must be checked and approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA).
- 7. True or false: Teen athletes who use substances like anabolic steroids or growth hormone (hGH) can have problems with growth, and may develop diabetes and heart problems.

b)

- 8. Student athletes should check with their doctor before taking any supplement or over-the-counter medicine.
- 9. True or false: Wearing a helmet prevents concussions.
- 10. Underline 10 symptoms of a concussion:
  - headache or dizziness a)
  - c) feeling pain in the teeth or jaw
- d) difficulty with coordination or balance

blurred vision e)

feeling happy or giddy f)

- h) difficulty hearing
- slurred speech or saying things g) that don't make sense
- i)
- trouble remembering things j)
- feeling confused, having difficulty concentrating drooling or having a runny nose
- feeling sleepy or having trouble l) falling asleep
- k)

feeling sick or throwing up

- n) feeling anxious or irritable for no apparent reason
- swollen legs or feet m)

bad breath p)

- feeling sad or more emotional than usual 0)
- 11. EXTRA CREDIT #1 - True or false: Most people who get concussions don't pass out.
- 12. EXTRA CREDIT #2 - If you've had a concussion, you can't return to practice or play until a doctor says it's OK.