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Which of the following are routes of drug administration? (Select all that apply)
A. Oral ✓	

- B. Intravenous ✓
- C. Subcutaneous ✓
- D. Auditory

What is the term for medications that can be purchased without a prescription?

- A. Controlled substances
- B. Prescription drugs
- C. Over-the-counter drugs ✓
- D. Experimental drugs

Which of the following are considered drug classifications? (Select all that apply)

- A. Analgesics ✓
- B. Antibiotics ✓
- C. Antihypertensives ✓
- D. Vitamins

What is the process by which a drug is removed from the body?

- A. Absorption
- B. Distribution
- C. Metabolism
- D. Excretion ✓

Which drug classification is primarily used to reduce pain?



B. Analgesics ✓
C. Antihypertensives
D. Antidepressants
Which route of administration involves applying medication directly to the skin?
A. Oral
B. Intravenous
C. Topical ✓
D. Inhalation
Which populations require special consideration when prescribing medications? (Select all that
apply)
A. Children ✓
B. Elderly ✓
C. Pregnant women ✓
D. Athletes
What are potential consequences of drug interactions? (Select all that apply)
A. Increased effectiveness ✓
B. Reduced effectiveness ✓
C. No effect
D. Increased side effects ✓
Which agency is responsible for the approval of new medications in the United States?
A. CDC
B. WHO
C. FDA ✓
D. NIH
What is the primary organ responsible for the metabolism of most medications?
A. Heart B. Liver ✓

A. Antibiotics



- C. Kidneys
- D. Stomach

Which factors can affect drug metabolism? (Select all that apply)

- A. Age ✓
- B. Diet ✓
- C. Physical activity
- D. Genetic makeup ✓

What are the benefits of proper medication storage? (Select all that apply)

- A. Maintains drug efficacy ✓
- B. Prevents accidental ingestion ✓
- C. Reduces cost
- D. Ensures safety ✓

What type of medication requires a prescription from a healthcare provider?

- A. Over-the-counter
- B. Herbal supplements
- C. Prescription drugs ✓
- D. Vitamins

Which of the following is a common side effect of many medications?

- A. Improved vision
- B. Nausea ✓
- C. Increased appetite
- D. Enhanced memory