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True False

1.	Selective motor nerve stimulation, without sensory or painful effects, is possible in co-operative patients. This is dependent on the duration of the stimulus.		
2.	The resolution of an ultrasound image depends on the size and depth of the nerve.		
3.	Intra-neural injection may occur if the anaesthesiologist injects local anaesthetic when the stimulating current is more than 1.2mA.		
4.	The maximum recommended infusion rate of bupivacaine for children older than 6 months of age is 0.2mg.kg ⁻¹ .hr ⁻¹		
5.	Although the mechanism of action remains unclear, in the management of local anaesthetic toxicity, intralipid infusion is thought to act by lipid sink		
6.	The impaired anaesthetist refers only to substance abuse		
7.	In a survey in New Zealand on substance abuse in anaesthetists the commonest abused substances were benzodiazepines.		
8.	Alcohol abuse is more common in the older anaesthetist.		
9.	The risk of relapse after opioid addiction is as high as seventy per cent.		
10.	Amongst middle-aged adults a large percentage of patients with OSA are undiagnosed.		
11.	OSA is classified on the basis of the number of apnoeas-hypopnoeas per hour of sleep index.		
12.	The aetiology of OSA in non-obese patients is the same as in obese patients.		
13.	The incidence and severity of OSA correlates better with neck circumference than with obesity.		
14.	Opioids and sedatives are always recommended in patients with OSA.		
15.	CPAP is now regarded as the standard of care for patients with OSA.		
16.	Neither severe pain nor the prior administration of appropriate doses of sedatives invalidates consent.		
17.	The literature supports the concept that “full disclosure” may be bewildering to patients.		
18.	Concerning pain relief from epidural analgesia, 90% of patients can expect pain relief.		
19.	Epidural analgesia increases the likelihood of Caesarean section.		
20.	Continuous infusions of low concentrations of bupivacaine may cause gradually increasing motor block.		

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