Pain & Distress Quiz

- 1. Calling out can be a sign of pain. True or False?
- 2. The best approach for pain to try only one intervention at a time. True or False?
- 3. Every intervention should be reassessed to see if it's helping. True or False?
- 4. Behaviour maps or pain scales can show pain is getting better or worse. True or False?
- 5. What are some reasons people might express distress, such as anger, sadness or worry? (Choose the one, best answer)
 - a. Pain
 - b. Missing their home
 - c. Loneliness
 - d. All the above
- 6. What percent of older adults in nursing homes are in pain? (Choose the one, best answer)
 - a. 5-10%
 - b. 20-40%
 - c. 50%
 - d. 45-80%
- 7. What are some factors that can make pain worse? (Choose the one, best answer)
 - a. Immobility
 - b. Not being able to sleep/insomnia
 - c. Anxiety
 - d. All the above
- 8. The best treatment for pain due to immobility is: (Choose the one, best answer)
 - a. Assist to bed in the afternoon for a full position change
 - b. Assist to walk or change position
 - c. Perform range of motion exercises
 - d. All the above
- 9. Which of the following are effective in the prevention of constipation?

(Choose two answers that best apply)

- a. Suppository
- b. Offer fluids often throughout the day, hydration rounds
- c. Offer foods high in dietary fiber such as fruit lax
- d. Do nothing as this is a normal part of aging
- 10. Signs of mouth pain and infection include: (Choose three answers that best apply)
 - a. Anxiety with mouth care
 - b. Bad breath
 - c. Change in meal intake
 - d. Whispering

