SCEMSS MARCH 2014 EMD CE: SUBSTANCE ABUSE STUDY GUIDE

1) According to the National Survey on Drug Use, _____ of the US population (2.2 million people) are substance abusers.

2) What is the most commonly abused drug in the United States today?

3) What are the signs and symptoms of DTs?

4) What are the 4 routes that drugs can enter the body?

5) What effects do amphetamines have on the body?

6) What drugs fall under the category of Barbiturates?

7) List the signs and symptoms of PCP overdose?

8) What is the quickest and most difficult route of drug administration to treat?

9) What are the 4 common street drugs reviewed in this presentation?

10) What problems are Meth users at risk for?

11) What are the ways that Meth is administered?

12) What is the most common club drug? What are some common slang names for this drug?

13) What are the duration and effects of the drug MDMA?

14) Which drug is also called “the date rape drug” and why?

15) What are the signs and symptoms of heroine overdose?