

## September 2012 3<sup>rd</sup> Trimester Silver Cross EMSS CME Study Guide

1. True or false: an allergy is an exaggerated immune response or reaction to substances that are generally not harmful.
2. True or false: anaphylaxis is not immediate or systemic, it is a localized allergic reaction that does not affect cardiovascular, respiratory or cutaneous systems.
3. Examples of common antigens associated with anaphylactic reactions include:
4. Common signs and symptoms of localized allergic reaction include:
5. Histamine release can cause \_\_\_\_\_ of capillaries and venules.
6. True or false: anaphylaxis is a form of distributive shock.
7. No matter what kind of shock you are in, it is caused by one of three things. List those three things:
8. List six findings in a patient in anaphylaxis/anaphylactic shock:
9. (ALS) If during your initial assessment of an anaphylactic patient you find severe laryngeal or epiglottic edema, be prepared to perform a:
10. (ALS) The Region VII doses for epinephrine, Benadryl and solu-medrol in a patient with anaphylaxis are:

