Emergency Triage Assessment and Management (ETAT) POST-TEST: Module 4

For questions 1 through 3, consider the following scenario:

A 2 month old infant is brought into the clinic. He is unresponsive to voice but is having lip smacking and facial twitching. He has no jerking movements of his arms or legs. What findings indicate that the infant might be having a convulsion?

1. The infant who is unconscious may be having a convulsion.
   True or False

2. The infant may be having a convulsion because he is having lip smacking or facial twitching
   True or False

3. The infant cannot be having a convulsion because he has no jerking movements of his arms or legs
   True or False

For questions 4 and 5, consider the following scenario:

An 8 month old infant has been brought to the clinic because he is very hot to the touch and has had some vomiting and diarrhea. His airway and breathing are fine. His capillary refill is 1.5 seconds and his skin pinch takes 3 seconds to return to normal.

4. What is his triage status?
   A. Emergency
   B. Priority
   C. Queue

5. In the waiting room, he suddenly starts convulsing. What are your next steps for assessing this patient?
   A. Assign this patient a new triage category and place him higher in the queue.
   B. Give the patient diazepam rectally
   C. Re-check the patient’s airway, breathing, and circulation.
   D. Establish IV access and give the patient 20ml/kg normal saline

6. It is early Monday morning and there is a queue of patients waiting to be seen. Many seem to be very sleepy. Assign a level of consciousness (A, V, P, or U) to the patient.

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<th>A 2.5 month old boy who is very hot to the touch who responds only to painful touch</th>
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<td>A 3 year old girl who was sleeping in her mother’s arms but smiles and says ‘Hello!’ when you approach</td>
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<td>A 5 year old boy who has been vomiting for 3 days and only opens his eyes when asked</td>
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