

PSY 474

Practice Exam 6

1. The polygraph records all of the following autonomic nervous system responses EXCEPT:
 - a. Heart rate
 - b. Blood pressure
 - c. Breathing
 - d. Galvanic skin response

2. A Chinese tradition to determine whether a subject was lying or not thought that if a suspect chewed on the rice paper and it was _____, they were lying. If it was _____, they were not lying.
 - a. Dry, wet
 - b. Dry, dissolved
 - c. Dissolved, wet
 - d. Dissolved, dry

3. Which of the following scientists thought that you could tell whether or not a person was lying based on their head shape? (1885)
 - a. Benussi
 - b. Lombroso
 - c. Larson
 - d. Keeler

4. Which of the following scientists was the first to think that you could tell whether or not a person was lying based on their breathing? (1914)
 - a. Benussi
 - b. Lombroso
 - c. Larson
 - d. Keeler

5. Which of the following scientists was the first to think that you could tell whether or not a person was lying based on their breathing and blood pressure? (1920)
 - a. Benussi
 - b. Lombroso
 - c. Larson
 - d. Keeler

6. Which of the following scientists was the first to think that you could tell whether or not a person was lying based on their galvanic skin response? (1930's)
 - a. Benussi
 - b. Lombroso
 - c. Larson
 - d. Keeler

7. This test asks irrelevant questions, comparison questions, then relevant questions to determine if someone is lying:
 - a. The Comparison Question Test (CQT)
 - b. The Relevancy Question Test (TRQ)
 - c. The Concealed Information Test (CIT)
 - d. The Relevancy and Comparison Test (RCT)

8. The comparison question test says that guilty people will react more to the _____ questions, while the innocent people will react more to _____.
 - a. Irrelevant, comparison
 - b. Relevant, irrelevant
 - c. Relevant, comparison
 - d. Comparison, irrelevant

9. This test assumes that the suspect knows details about the crime that only the guilty person would know:
 - a. The Comparison Question Test (CQT)
 - b. The Relevancy Question Test (TRQ)
 - c. The Concealed Information Test (CIT)
 - d. The Relevancy and Comparison Test (RCT)

10. The concealed information test assumes that the ___ party has a higher physiological response to the correct answer
- Innocent
 - Guilty
 - Neither A nor B
 - Both A and B
11. The format of the concealed information test is as follows:
- Open ended questions
 - Open ended questions and multiple choice questions
 - Multiple choice questions with 5 choices
 - True or false
12. All of the following people use the polygraph EXCEPT:
- Law enforcement agencies
 - Attorneys outside of civil litigation
 - Government agencies
 - Court systems in cooperation with parole officers
13. An estimated ___% of police forces have an active polygraph program
- 89%
 - 38%
 - 62%
 - 96%
14. The employee polygraph protection act of 1988 (EPPA) says what about private employers using polygraph testing to screen potential job applicants?
- Most are prohibited from using it
 - It depends on the job's pay scale
 - It depends on the state
 - It depends on the job's category