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“Children are Introduced to Sipping & Tasting Alcohol in the Home”

1. What is the issue with how most surveys of adolescent and child drug and alcohol use ask about ever having *more than a few sips* of alcohol?
 - a. Children cannot determine what “more than a few sips” means
 - b. It ignores the alcohol experience of those who have only had sips of alcohol
 - c. Children wont answer truthfully if it means getting their parents in trouble
 - d. None of the above

2. Results of this study show that children most often taste and sip alcohol in a family context, not with friends or alone.

TRUE FALSE

3. This study contents that young children’s early encounters with alcohol are mainly opportunistic experiences. What are some examples that illustrate this?

“The Dopamine Transporter Gene Influences Alcohol Withdrawal Seizures”

4. Looking at the genetic/environmental interactions of alcoholics is proving to be a beneficial approach to help identify those individuals who are the most vulnerable to severe complications from withdrawal.

TRUE FALSE

5. What are some of the hypotheses posed to explain the association between polymorphisms of the DAT1 gene and the occurrence of withdrawal-seizures in alcohol-dependent subjects?

“Gene Therapy can Reduce Long-Term Drinking Among Rodents”

6. What is “gene therapy” and how is it hoped to impact addiction treatment research?

7. Before gene therapy can be applied to humans outside a research setting, what are some of the issues that need to be addressed?
 - a. Can they target the liver specifically or does the anti-gene enter the brain?
 - b. What is the duration of the effect?
 - c. Who should be offered the treatment?
 - d. All of the above

“Inside College Parties: Surprising Findings about Drinking Behavior”

8. Findings of this study reveal that themed parties and drinking games are associated with higher levels of drinking, especially among women.

TRUE FALSE

9. What are some of the issues related to traditional survey methods used with college students, particularly self-reporting?

10. What do the authors suggest hosts do to help curtail heavy drinking at parties?
 - a. Check id's
 - b. Have party-goers bring their own alcohol
 - c. Do not allow drinking games
 - d. All of the above