

## SPINAL CORD INJURY POST TEST

- 1) The spinal cord has to be severed in order for a loss of function to occur.  
A) True  
B) False
- 2) A person can break their back or neck and not sustain a spinal cord injury.  
A) True  
B) False
- 3) The typical patient to sustain a spinal cord injury is a geriatric male.  
A) True  
B) False
- 4) Sight, sound, smell, and taste are all affected by spinal cord injury.  
A) True  
B) False
- 5) Spinal injuries most often occur in the regions of C-5 through C-7 of the neck and T-10 through L-2 at the base of the rib cage.  
A) True  
B) False
- 6) Nerves leaving the spinal cord at C-3 through C-5 control sensation and movement of the diaphragm.  
A) True  
B) False
- 7) Damage below T-1 causes paralysis and loss of sensation in the arms and hands.  
A) True  
B) False
- 8) Cervical or neck injuries cause quadriplegia and may also cause difficulty breathing.  
A) True  
B) False
- 9) When a patient has the possibility of a SCI, it is alright to not immobilize if he has no complaint of pain to his neck or back.  
A) True  
B) False
- 10) If a patient is wearing a helmet and shoulder pads, appropriate spinal alignment must be maintained should either be removed.  
A) True  
B) False