

PART I: Provide a well-conceived, *one-page* overview of hypersensitivity. (Remember: This effort is meant to be effective preparation for *you* for the final exam.)

HYPERSENSITIVE REACTIONS

- I. Gel and Coombs Classification
- II. IgE-Mediated (Type I) Hypersensitivity
 - A. Components of Type I Reactions
 1. Allergens
 2. Reaginic Antibody (IgE)
 3. Mast Cells and Basophils
 4. IgE-Binding Fc Receptors
 - a. High Affinity Receptor
 - b. Low Affinity Receptor
 - B. Mechanism of IgE-Mediated Degranulation
 1. Receptor Crosslinkage
 2. Intracellular Events Leading to Mast-Cell Degranulation
 - C. Mediators of Type I Reactions
 1. Histamine
 2. Leukotrienes and Prostaglandins
 3. Cytokines
 - D. Consequences of Type I Reactions
 1. Systemic Anaphylaxis
 2. Localized Anaphylaxis (Atopy)
 - a. Allergic Rhinitis
 - b. Asthma
 - c. Food Allergies
 - d. Atopic Dermatitis
 3. Late-Phase Reaction
 - E. Regulation of Type I Response
 - F. Detection of Type I Hypersensitivity
 - G. Therapy for Type I Hypersensitivity
- II. Antibody-Mediated Cytotoxic (Type II) Hypersensitivity
 - A. Transfusion Reactions
 - B. Hemolytic Disease of the Newborn
 - C. Drug-Induced Hemolytic Anemia
- III. Immune Complex-Mediated (Type III) Hypersensitivity
 - A. Localized Type III Reactions
 - B. Generalized Type III Reactions
- IV. T-DTH-Mediated (Type IV) Hypersensitivity

PART II: Provide a well-conceived, *one-page* overview of the immune response to infectious organisms.

THE IMMUNE RESPONSE TO INFECTIOUS DISEASE

- I. Viral Infections
 - A. Viral Neutralization by Humoral Antibody
 - B. Cell-Mediated Antiviral Mechanisms
 - C. Viral Evasion of Host-Defense Mechanisms
 - D. Influenza
 - 1. Properties of Influenza Virus
 - 2. Host Response to Influenza Infection
- II. Bacterial Infections
 - A. Immune Response to Extracellular and Intracellular Bacteria
 - B. Bacterial Evasion of Host Defense Mechanisms
 - C. Contribution of the Immune Response to Bacterial Pathogenesis
 - D. Diphtheria (*Corynebacterium diphtheriae*)
 - E. Tuberculosis (*Mycobacterium tuberculosis*)
 - F. Lyme Disease (*Borrelia burgdoferi*)
- III. Protozoan Diseases
 - A. Malaria (*Plasmodium* Species)
 - 1. *Plasmodium* Life Cycle and Pathogenesis of Malaria
 - 2. Host Response to *Plasmodium* Infection
 - 3. Design of Malaria Vaccines
 - B. African Sleeping Sickness (*Trypanosoma* Species)
 - C. Leishmaniasis
- IV. Diseases Caused by Parasitic Worms (*Helminths*)
- V. Emerging Infectious Diseases