## True (A) or false (B):

- 1. Currently cervical cancer is killing about 8 women per day in South Africa.
- 2. There is effective screening for cervical cancer using cervical cytology in South Africa.
- 3. HIV-positive patients have an increased risk of persistent HPV infection, premalignant lesions and cervical cancer compared with HIV-uninfected women.
- 4. HPV 16 and 18 are responsible for the vast majority of cervical cancers in Africa, but not in South Africa.
- 5. As HPV is sexually transmitted, targeting of vaccination should focus on females who have not initiated sexual activity, i.e. between 9 and 12 years old.
- 6. Fetal membrane sweeping is a reliable method of inducing labour in term pregnancies.
- 7. Adverse effects of misoprostol include vomiting, diarrhoea, tachysystole and hyperstimulation.
- 8. Post-incisional wound infiltration with local anaesthetics is a safe and effective way of reducing postoperative pain.
- 9. Post-incisional wound infiltration with local anaesthetics is thought to work by both a local anti-inflammatory effect and peripheral neural blockade.
- 10. It is important to give the post-incisional wound infiltration with local anaesthetics intramuscularly.

- 11. Women with the Mayer-Rokitansky-Kuster-Hauser syndrome have a 47,XYY karyotype.
- 12. Women with the Mayer-Rokitansky-Kuster-Hauser syndrome do not have fallopian tubes or a uterus.
- 13. Ductal papilloma is the most common cause of bloody nipple discharge in women.
- 14. Cracked nipples, mastitis, trauma and vascular engorgement can all cause a bloody discharge in breastmilk.
- 15. The 'rusty pipe' syndrome results from bleeding from traumatised and ruptured pseudo-papillomas in ducts and alveoli.
- 16. The 'rusty pipe' syndrome is usually painful and unilateral.
- 17. The incidence of abnormally adherent placenta has remained unchanged over the past few decades.
- 18. An abnormally adherent placenta can be diagnosed antenatally using a combination of ultrasound and colour Doppler.
- 19. Maternal hyperbilirubinaemia during pregnancy does not alter the perinatal outcome.
- 20. Keeping the maternal bilirubin level below 10 mg/dl is important in preventing the fetus from developing kernicterus.

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