Pre/Post-Assessment – Answer Key

- 1. The purpose of routine health inspections and self-inspections is to:
 - a. catch us doing things wrong and shut us down.
 - b. monitor and improve the safety of the food we store, prepare, and serve.
 - c. increase the amount of unnecessary paperwork to complete.
 - d. make sure the food meets the new USDA meal pattern requirements.
- 2. Which is NOT a CDC foodborne illness risk factor?
 - a. Improper hot and cold holding temperatures
 - b. Failing to cook food adequately
 - c. Poor personal hygiene
 - d. Maintaining SDS information
- 3. Which is an example of poor personal hygiene?
 - a. Bare hand contact when preparing and serving ready-to-eat foods
 - b. Taking too long to cool food
 - c. Improperly cleaning and sanitizing food contact surfaces
 - d. Holding cartons of milk at 55 °F
- 4. Which is an example of food being held at an incorrect temperature?
 - a. Hot food held on the serving line at >135 °F
 - b. Cold food held in refrigeration at <41 °F
 - c. Food thawed at room temperature
 - d. Food cooled to <70 °F in less than 2 hours, then from 135 °F-41 °F in a total of 6 hours
- 5. Which could lead to unsafe food?
 - a. Keeping fingernails trimmed and free of nail polish
 - b. Lack of soap in a handwash sink
 - c. Wearing gloves and using clean utensils to serve ready-to-eat food
 - d. Using a proper hair restraint
- 6. Which process will ensure equipment is not contaminated?
 - a. Rinse, wash, sanitize, and air-dry
 - b. Sanitize, rinse, wash, and air-dry
 - c. Wash, rinse, sanitize, and air-dry
 - d. Wipe all surfaces with a correctly prepared sanitizer

- 7. The Child Nutrition Reauthorization Act of 2004 requires sites participating in the National School Lunch Program to have how many inspections per year?
 - a. One (1)
 - b. Two (2)
 - c. Four (4)
 - d. Two per quarter
- 8. During an inspection, it is important to use and model appropriate food safety and hygiene practices. Which of the following practices should you model for staff during an inspection?
 - a. Always do scheduled inspections even if you are feeling sick to show the staff how to be tough.
 - b. Wash your hands before putting on gloves.
 - c. Sample the food as you walk through the kitchen.
 - d. Wear flip-flops.