LGBTQIA+ Terminology Quiz: What Do You Know?

1. What of the following is generally an affirmative term to refer to some members of the transgender community?
   a. gender-expansive
   b. trans
   c. genderqueer
   d. gender-nonconforming
   e. all of the above

2. Which of the following terms is often offensive to the community named:
   a. transgendered
   b. hermaphrodite
   c. transvestite
   d. trannie
   e. all of the above

3. Which of the following is the most accurate statement about the word “queer”:
   a. It was once a negative term, but is mostly not any longer
   b. It remains a largely negative term
   c. It is accepted by many LGBT people and allies but not by all
   d. It is popular among LGBT people, but should never be used by non-LGBT people

4. Which of the following is the most accurate statement about the word “homosexual”:
   a. It was once a positive term, but is mostly not any longer
   b. It remains a largely positive term
   c. It is accepted by many LGBT people and allies but not by all
   d. It is unpopular among LGBT people, but it is OK for non-LGBT people to use it

5. A genderqueer individual is typically defined as:
   a. a cisgender (non-transgender) person who supports the transgender community
   b. a person of any gender who has a political agenda to challenge a gender binary
   c. a gender-nonconforming person who identifies outside a gender binary
   d. all of the above

6. When you suspect someone might be trans-identified, how do you know which pronoun to use?
   a. Ask the person what pronouns they use
   b. Decide based on a person’s gender presentation
   c. Decide based on a person’s perceived or known biological sex
   d. Ask a good friend of the person what pronouns to use

7. What is the difference in definition between a transgender person and an intersex person?
   a. There is no significant difference between the two categories
   b. An intersex person has male and female biological characteristics, and a transgender person has a felt sense of identity that is incongruous with the identity assigned to them at birth
   c. A transgender person has male and female biological characteristics, and an intersex person has a felt sense of identity that is incongruous with the identity attributed to them based on their biology
   d. None of the above

8. What is the contemporary language to describe individuals who were assigned male and identify as female and vice-versa?
   a. Transsexual women and men
   b. Trans women and men
   c. Non-binary women and men
   d. MTFs and FTM
9. Which statement best describes asexual-spectrum people?
   a. Asexual-spectrum people are celibate
   b. Asexual-spectrum people consistently experience sexual attraction and want to be in a sexual relationship, but are currently not in one
   c. Asexual-spectrum people experience little or no sexual attraction or only experience sexual attraction under certain circumstances
   d. Asexual-spectrum people experience little or no sexual or romantic attraction

10. A person who is assigned female at birth, takes testosterone, and generally appears masculine is:
    a. A trans woman
    b. A trans man
    c. A genderqueer person
    d. An intersex person
    e. There is not enough information to answer this question

11. An agender individual is typically defined as a person who identifies as:
    a. Both male and female
    b. Genderless or gender-neutral
    c. Neither male or female, but as a third gender
    d. Gender fluid

12. Which of the following is not a gender identity/expression?
    a. Demigender
    b. Genderqueer
    c. Pansexual
    d. Androgyne
    e. Agender

13. Which statement best describes bisexual people?
    a. Bisexual adolescents tend to become adults who identify as gay or lesbian
    b. Bisexual people often benefit from therapy aimed at reducing sexual orientation confusion
    c. Bisexual people tend to be more promiscuous than heterosexual people
    d. Many bisexual people have a lifelong attraction to people of more than one gender

14. Which statement best describes pansexual people?
    a. Pansexual individuals are attracted to pots
    b. Pansexual individuals are attracted to people regardless of gender
    c. Pansexual individuals are attracted only to women and men
    d. Pansexual individuals are attracted only to trans people

The correct answers are: