Pre-Test

What do you already know of the African American Culture? Let’s test your knowledge!!!

Multiple Choice:

1. What percent of people surveyed, on average, think that different stereotypes were applied to different races?
2. 75%
3. 80%
4. 92%
5. 97%
6. What was the most prevalent association people made with African Americans and the media?
7. Comedy
8. Crime
9. Murder
10. Business
11. In contrast with African American stereotypes, what was the stereotype that people most associated with Caucasian people in America?
12. Lazy
13. Wealthy
14. Superior
15. Preppy
16. When surveyed, what was the response that people gave the most when ask what stereotype they associated with the African American population in general?
17. Loud
18. Drug dealers/users
19. Successful
20. Thugs
21. The African American Civil Rights Movement took place in:
22. 1945-1955
23. 1955-1968
24. 1950-1975
25. 1965-1975
26. Who were the Arkansas 9?
27. Nine white civil rights activists murdered by the KKK for supporting African American Civil Rights
28. Nine African American boys burned alive at a lynching in Alabama
29. Nine African American teenagers bussed to an all white school in Arkansas during the desegregation movement
30. The nine city officials in Arkansas credited with raising national awareness of the suffering of African Americans in the south

Completion

1. Name 5 acts of severe prejudice and persecution suffered by African American people:
2. Who is Bull Connor and what is he notorious for during the Civil Rights Movement?

True or False

1. People associate Bi-Racial people more with African Americans rather than Caucasian people or in a race all their own. T or F
2. Men do not value the time they spend in church. T or F
3. African Americans raise their children differently based on their gender. T or F
4. To the African American, the past represents an important component because it shapes and affects present day life events and experiences. T or F
5. A delicacy enjoyed by some African Americans is “chitlins” or chitterlings. T or F
6. African Americans are an individualistic culture. T or F
7. African Americans have suffered prejudice and persecution in the United States only.

T or F

1. Impact of historical events (slavery and civil rights) has very little bearing on the current cross cultural counseling process. T or F
2. African Americans tend to seek counseling through non-direct paths such as referrals from churches and doctors. T or F
3. Confidentiality is very important within the African American community, especially if the client is involved in the legal system. T or F
4. African Americans will use the emergency room of the local hospital (among other resources) for mental health assistance. T or F
5. It is a good idea for the counselor to discuss ethical differences between the client and themselves at the onset of therapy. T or F