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Renal disorders and HIV: answers to the self-assessment quiz

1. The correct answer is d i.e. the kidneys receive approximately 20% of cardiac output
2. The correct answer is b i.e. filtration is the main function of the glomerulus
3. The equation takes into account the serum creatinine, age, ethnicity and gender
4. Answers a and c are correct
5. All of the answers are possible causes of glomerulonephritis
6. An eGFR<15 is found in stage 5 i.e. end-stage renal disease
7. The correct answer is the blood urea nitrogen result or BUN
8. Answer b is correct
9. The statement is ‘true’
10. You could answer any three of the following: excessive use of NSAIDs, recreational drug use, uncontrolled hypertension, uncontrolled diabetes, cigarette smoking, dehydration or high protein diet.
11. Answers a, b, d are correct. The kidneys are usually enlarged on ultrasound.
12. Answer d is the only correct criteria according to current British Transplantation Society guidelines