Accident Reporting Quiz

1. It is best to let some time pass before investigating an accident so that investigators and witnesses can be more objective about the situation.
   a. True b. False

2. Only employees who were directly involved should participate in an accident investigation.
   a. True b. False

3. You only need to report an accident if someone is hurt.
   a. True b. False

4. The purpose of an accident investigation is to find out who is at fault.
   a. True b. False

5. Three key questions that must be answered by an investigation are: What happened? Why did it happen? And how can we keep it from happening again?
   a. True b. False

6. If you witness an accident, it is a good idea to write down what you saw as soon after the incident as possible, before your memory fades or the facts become distorted in your mind.
   a. True b. False

7. The most important part of any accident investigation is determining the cause(s) of the accident and deciding what corrective action needs to be taken to prevent a similar accident in the future.
   a. True b. False

8. Most accidents have only one cause.
   a. True b. False

9. Physical factors can set the stage for an accident.
   a. True b. False

10. Near misses should not be investigated because no accident actually took place.
    a. True b. False