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Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS)

1. Which of the following statements is most accurate?

- A. SIDS is defined as the sudden unexplained death of an infant younger than 6 months of age that remains unexplained after a thorough investigation.
 - B. SIDS is defined as the sudden unexplained death of an infant younger than 8 months of age that remains unexplained after a thorough investigation.
 - C. SIDS is defined as the sudden unexplained death of an infant younger than 1 year of age that remains unexplained after a thorough investigation.
 - D. SIDS is defined as the sudden unexplained death of an infant younger than 2 years of age that remains unexplained after a thorough investigation.
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2. Home heart or breathing monitors should be used to reduce the risk of SIDS.

- A. True
 - B. False
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3. Which of the following statements is most accurate?

- A. Healthy babies who are born at term should be placed wholly on their stomachs to sleep in hospital nurseries.
 - B. Healthy babies who are born at term should be placed wholly on their backs to sleep in hospital nurseries.
 - C. Healthy babies who are born at term should be placed on their left side to sleep in hospital nurseries.
 - D. Healthy babies who are born at term should be placed on their right side to sleep in hospital nurseries.
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4. Which of the following statements is most accurate?

- A. Sleeping on a firm sleep surface is associated with the highest risk of SIDS.
 - B. Sleeping on a firm sleep surface is associated with the lowest risk of SIDS.
 - C. Sleeping on a soft sleep surface is associated with the lowest risk of SIDS.
 - D. Sleeping on a soft sleep surface is not associated with SIDS at all.
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5. Wedges, positioners, and other devices that claim to be able to prevent SIDS or correctly position infants for sleep are not recommended.

- A. True
 - B. False
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