Study guide for test on diseases

1. A pathogen can be a bacteria, fungus, protist or virus.
2. Pathogens can come from another person, contaminated object, animal bite, or the environment.
3. Pathogens cause diseases.
4. Diseases can damage cells or entire organ systems in the body.
5. The immune system identifies and fights pathogens.
6. Noninfectious diseases cannot be passed from one person to another.
7. This is a bacterial infection. Strep throat
8. This is a fungal infection. Athlete’s foot
9. This has the same symptoms as a cold, but is worse. flu
10. The flu and this are viral infections. cold
11. A symptom of this is itching. Athlete’s foot
12. Symptoms of this disease are: fever and swelling/pain of the throat. Strep throat
13. This disease grows in warm, moist environments. Athlete’s foot
14. The cells in the outer layer of skin become damaged. Skin cancer
15. This is a disease of the nervous system. Parkinson’s
16. A symptom of this disease is tremors. Parkinson’s
17. This disease is caused by the glucose level being higher than normal. Diabetes
18. This disease causes wheezing and difficult breathing. asthma
19. One of the causes of this disease is UV rays. Skin cancer
20. The inability to produce or correctly use insulin is a symptom of this disease. Diabetes
21. Nerve cells in the brain are affected by this disease. Parkinson’s
22. This disease can cause problems with blood circulation and kidney disease. Diabetes
23. This disease causes airways to become inflamed. Asthma
24. Some common causes of this disease are dust, mold and pets. Asthma
25. The muscular system is affected by this disease. Parkinson’s