

**EXPEDITION TO SAFETY
REVIEW QUIZ**

Name _____ Date _____

The following questions are provided to check how well you understand the information presented during this program.

1. Which of the following statements best describes the definition of success?
 - a. Reaching the top of a mountain
 - b. Giving 100 percent effort
 - c. Returning home safely
 - d. All of the above
2. Which of the following factors contributed to the climbers being in the icfall during an avalanche?
 - a. Making decisions under mental and physical duress
 - b. A leadership culture that discouraged group input
 - c. Making assumptions
 - d. All of the above
3. After Jim Elzinga and many others left the 1982 expedition, the remaining climbers eventually reached the summit of Mt. Everest. Why does Jim Elzinga refer to this expedition as a failure?
 - a. Because he quit and did not reach the summit
 - b. Because the expedition was over budget
 - c. Because the goal was reached by placing lives at risk
4. Separating workers from exposure to hazards is a way to reduce risk.
 - a. True
 - b. False
5. To what does Jim Elzinga attribute a person's willingness to take extreme risks?
 - a. Unforeseeable circumstances
 - b. Bad habits and poor training
 - c. A skewed perspective of risk and reward
 - d. Succumbing to peer pressure
6. According to Jim Elzinga, one common mistake people make is underestimating the severity of the consequence of risk-taking.
 - a. True
 - b. False
7. What does Jim Elzinga encourage workers and organizations to do to prevent being overwhelmed by a large goal?
 - a. Don't discuss the larger goal publicly
 - b. Focus on smaller and measurable milestones
 - c. Remind everyone that goals are management's responsibility
 - d. Decide not to strive for challenging goals
8. In order to remain safe, workers must resist the temptation to perform a job in the quickest or easiest way and instead perform their job in the safest way.
 - a. True
 - b. False
9. Which of the following best describes the concept of "Living It"?
 - a. Do anything it takes to get the job done
 - b. Never quit no matter what
 - c. Be willing to stop or walk away if things become unsafe
 - d. Place personal ambitions ahead of personal safety
10. When Sharon Wood discovered that several fuel canisters were missing, what did she do?
 - a. Insist that she and Dewayne press on towards the summit
 - b. She decided to attempt the summit alone
 - c. She called for the summit attempt to be called off

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ANSWERS TO THE REVIEW QUESTIONS

1. c
2. d
3. c
4. a
5. c
6. a
7. b
8. a
9. c
10. c