Unit 14
Understanding the Principles of Infection Control

ASSIGNMENT SHEET

1. How do non-pathogens differ from pathogens?

2. What does federal law require of employers in regards to the hepatitis B Vaccine?

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5. What is the difference between an endogenous disease and an exogenous disease?
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   2. __________________________
   3. __________________________

7. What do health care facilities do to prevent and deal with nosocomial infections?

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   2. ___________________________________
   3. ___________________________________
   4. ___________________________________
   5. ___________________________________

9. Define the following:
   a. antisepsis:
   b. disinfection:
   c. sterilization:

10. Organisms that live and reproduce in the absence of oxygen __________________________

11. Infections acquired in a health care facility: __________________________

12. Factors that must be present for disease to occur: __________________________

13. Smallest microorganisms: __________________________