

Alcohol use in pregnancy

Chapter 3: Student activity 3-B

Study guide – Drinking During Pregnancy (March of Dimes #09-404-00)

Date _____

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For those statements that are false, use the blank line at the end of the statement and write the correct word(s) that will make the statement true. An additional line is provided for you to add notes about each statement.

1. It is safe for a woman to drink beer during pregnancy, as long as she stops before delivery. _____

2. It is safe for a woman to drink wine during pregnancy, as long as she stops before delivery. _____

3. Fetal alcohol syndrome is one of the most common known causes of intellectual disability. _____

4. Fetal alcohol syndrome is the only cause of intellectual disability that is entirely preventable. _____

5. Drinking alcohol during pregnancy can result in fetal death. _____

6. A child with Fetal alcohol syndrome has very characteristic facial features. _____

7. Fetal alcohol syndrome slows fetal and early childhood growth, but a normal growth pattern later will resume later in life. _____

8. Alcohol may have varying levels of effects — not all babies born to mothers who drink have fetal alcohol syndrome. _____

9. The effects of alcohol on a fetus are completely preventable. _____

10. Alcohol use during pregnancy may result in a child with a lower IQ. _____

