



Inclusive Language Quiz by Laura King, MA, ELS

Directions: Rephrase the following sentences to eliminate potentially offensive language. There are many different ways to rephrase language to make it more inclusive. Choose the way that sounds best to you. Refer to [section 11.10](#) of the [AMA Manual of Style](#).

1. Responsivity in a premature infant may be secondary to his heightened level of autonomic arousal.
2. The study included 32 asthmatics and 30 diabetics.
3. The study examined the incidence of stroke in the elderly.
4. The study population consisted of 50 white patients and 50 nonwhite patients (blacks and Hispanics).

LEARNING RESOURCES

5. We studied the incidence of AIDS among inner-city homosexuals.

6. The emergency department must be manned at all times.

7. Of the entire group, 13 men (mean age, 35 years; age range, 26-49 years) and 14 girls (mean age, 32 years; age range, 24-47 years) were selected for participation in the study.

8. Patients confined to wheelchairs were prescribed a series of upper body exercises to increase their flexibility and upper body strength.

9. The study population consisted of 60 Caucasian patients and 75 African-American patients.

10. Each patient revealed that s/he had been engaging in rigorous exercise immediately before experiencing heart palpitations.

11. Patients suffering from AIDS were treated with potent antiretroviral therapy.

LEARNING RESOURCES

12. This study analyzed postrhinoplastic deformities in the noses of Oriental patients.

13. Many of the rape victims feared seeking care because of the extreme stigma sexual violence carries in Darfur.



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