



Political Economy Analysis (PEA) Multiple Choice Questions

1. The goal of political economy analysis is to do what? Please select **one correct** answer from the following:
 - a. To achieve a perfect classification
 - b. To foster understanding of the depth of transformation required for the desired change in policy
 - c. To understand politicians' economic status
 - d. To fit information into a particular methodology

2. Please select **one or more correct** answers. In political economy analysis we are interested in:
 - a. Tacit knowledge
 - b. Explicit knowledge
 - c. Implicit values
 - d. Extrinsic knowledge

3. The gendered politics iceberg from Derbyshire et al. (2018) shows which **hidden** element. Please select one correct answer:
 - a. Political movements
 - b. Civil servants
 - c. Traditional and faith leaders
 - d. Communities

4. Policy is more than what is written down. **True or false?**
 - (a) True
 - (b) False

5. Political economy analysis can be said to consist of which 3 components? Select **one correct** answer.
 - a. Discussion, prescription, analysis
 - b. Observation, analysis, diagnosis
 - c. Reflection, decision, discussion
 - d. Reflection, diagnosis, prescription

6. Behaviour to explore includes which of the following? Please select **one or more correct** responses.
 - a. Incentives
 - b. Values
 - c. Beliefs
 - d. Ideas
 - e. interests



7. There are 3 main categories of political economy. Select the **one correct** response below:
- Structures, institutions and agents
 - Business, institutions and policymakers
 - Commerce, industry and representatives
 - Trade unions, employers and politicians
8. In the video, it is said that misinformation related to mental well-being is a result of which of the following? Please select **one correct** response.
- Lack of resources
 - Reliance on out-of-date information
 - Stigmatisation of mental health
 - Influence of social media
9. In relation to global mental health please select **one correct** statement:
- Global disability-adjusted life years have stayed constant over the last 30 years.
 - Poor mental health is one of the top ten leading causes of death worldwide.
 - There is evidence of a global reduction in poor mental health since 1990.
 - There is no evidence that globalisation influences mental health patterns.
10. Please select **one correct** answer from the following statements:
- Decision-making occurs where there is certainty.
 - Policy making is an exercise in the science of decisions and policy evidence.
 - The experience of the individual actor within institutions is the focus to understand how policy processes succeed or fail.
 - It is not possible to analyse the gaps between policy intention and outcome.

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