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- **Q:1** You are driving in heavy traffic, and the car behind you starts tailgating aggressively. What is the most responsible course of action?
- 1. Speed up to create more distance between your car and the tailgate.
- **2.** Maintain your speed and distance, and change lanes when it's safe.
- 3. Slam on your brakes to warn the tailgator.
- **4.** Ignore the tailgater and continue driving as usual.
- **Q:2** You are in a crowded public place, and you witness a person suddenly collapsing and appearing to be in distress. What should you do first?
- 1. Call 911 or the emergency services number in your region.
- 2. Continue walking and mind your own business.
- **3.** Take a photo or video of the situation for documentation.
- **4.** Approach the person and attempt to help without any medical knowledge.
- **Q:3** You are at a family gathering, and a heated argument erupts between two relatives. What should you do to help defuse the situation?
- 1. Take sides with one of the relatives to support their viewpoint.
- 2. Ignore the argument and hope it resolves on its own.
- 3. Join the argument to express your own opinions.
- **4.** Step in as a mediator and try to facilitate a calm discussion.
- **Q:4** You are hiking in the wilderness and suddenly find yourself lost without a clear trail. What's the most important step to take?
- 1. Continue walking in a random direction.
- 2. Stay where you are and try to signal for help.
- 3. Panic and make loud noises to attract attention.
- **4.** Drink from any water source you come across.
- **Q:5** You are in a foreign country, and you lose your passport and all your belongings. What's the initial step to take?
- 1. Start panhandling for money and essentials.
- **2.** Wait for a friend or family member to rescue you.

- **3.** Report the loss to the local authorities and your country's embassy or consulate.
- 4. Assume a new identity to avoid trouble.
- **Q:6** You are a project manager, and a crucial team member unexpectedly resigns. How do you mitigate the impact on the project timeline and deliverables?
- 1. Immediately hire a replacement without a thorough selection process.
- **2.** Conduct a quick analysis of the remaining team's capacity and adjust project timelines accordingly.
- **3.** Delay the project until a suitable replacement is found.
- **4.** Reassign the resigned team member's tasks to existing team members.
- **Q:7** You are a team leader and a team member who consistently provides innovative ideas but struggles with collaboration. How should you approach this situation?
- 1. Praise the team member for their innovative ideas and ignore the collaboration issue.
- 2. Assign the team members individual projects to avoid collaboration challenges.
- **3.** Hold a team meeting to discuss the importance of collaboration and teamwork.
- **4.** Reprimand the team member for their lack of collaboration skills.
- **Q:8** You are a marketing manager, and your team is divided on the choice of a promotional strategy for a new product. What is the best way to reach a consensus?
- 1. Implement the strategy favored by the majority of team members.
- **2.** Conduct a structured discussion to understand each team member's perspective and find common ground.
- **3.** Ignore individual preferences and choose the strategy with the least resistance.
- **4.** Assign the decision-making responsibility to a senior team member.
- **Q:9** You are a manager, and two team members are frequently engaged in conflicts, affecting team dynamics. How should you handle this situation?
- 1. Separate the team members by assigning them



















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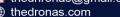
- 2. Ignore the conflicts and hope they resolve on their own.
- 3. Conduct a team-building workshop to address underlying conflicts.
- 4. Publicly reprimand both team members to discourage further conflicts.

Q:10 As a project manager, you notice a team member consistently exceeding their work hours but producing subpar results. What is the most appropriate course of action?

- 1. Hold a private meeting to discuss their workload and productivity.
- 2. Praise the team member for their dedication.
- **3.** Ignore the issue as long as deadlines are met.
- 4. Decrease the team member's workload to reduce stress.





















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Answer Key				
1 . (2)	2. (1)	3 . (4)	4. (2)	5 . (3)
6. (2)	7. (3)	8. (2)	9. (3)	10. (1)

Answers and Solutions

Q:1 The correct answer is Option 2 i.e. Maintain your speed and distance, and change lanes when it's safe.

Explanation: Speeding up or slamming on your brakes can lead to dangerous situations. Maintaining speed and distance, and changing lanes when possible, is the safest response. Hence, the correct answer is Maintain your speed and distance, and change lanes when it's safe.

Q:2 The correct answer is Option 1 i.e. Call 911 or the emergency services number in your region.

Explanation: In medical emergencies, the first and most important step is to seek professional help by calling emergency services. Taking photos or approaching without medical knowledge can be ineffective or even harmful.

Hence, the correct answer is **Call 911 or the** emergency services number in your region.

Q:3 The correct answer is Option 4 i.e. Step in as a mediator and try to facilitate a calm discussion.

Explanation: Taking sides, ignoring the argument, or joining the argument can exacerbate the situation. Being a mediator and facilitating a calm discussion is the best approach to defusing the conflict.

hence, the correct answer is **Step in as a mediator** and try to facilitate a calm discussion.

Q:4 The correct answer is Option 2 i.e. Stay where you are and try to signal for help.

Explanation: Continuing to walk randomly can make it more difficult for search and rescue teams to find you. Staying put, signaling for help, and conserving resources are the best actions when lost in the wilderness.

Hence, the correct answer is Stay where you are and try to signal for help.

Q:5 The correct answer is Option 3 i.e. Report the

loss to the local authorities and your country's embassy or consulate.

Explanation: Waiting for rescue, panhandling, or assuming a new identity are not responsible or legal actions. Reporting the loss to the authorities and embassy/consulate is the appropriate step to seek assistance.

Hence, the correct answer is **Report the loss to the** local authorities and your country's embassy or consulate.

Q:6 The correct answer is Option 2 i.e. Conduct a quick analysis of the remaining team's capacity and adjust project timelines accordingly.

Explanation: Hastily hiring, reassigning tasks without analysis, or delaying the project without assessing team capacity may lead to further issues. Conducting a quick analysis allows you to make informed adjustments to project timelines based on the remaining team's capacity. Hence, the correct answer is **Conduct a quick** analysis of the remaining team's capacity and adjust project timelines accordingly.

Q:7 The correct answer is Option 3 i.e. Hold a team meeting to discuss the importance of collaboration and teamwork.

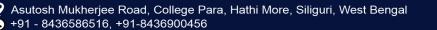
Explanation: Praising innovation without addressing collaboration issues, assigning individual projects, or reprimanding without discussion may not lead to improved teamwork. A team meeting allows for open communication about the importance of collaboration and fosters a more collaborative environment.

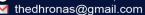
Hence, the correct answer is **Hold a team meeting** to discuss the importance of collaboration and teamwork.

Q:8 The correct answer is Option 2 i.e. Conduct a structured discussion to understand each team member's perspective and find common ground.

Explanation: Implementing a majority-favored strategy without discussion, ignoring preferences, or assigning decision-making without collaboration may lead to dissatisfaction. A structured discussion allows for understanding perspectives and finding a consensus.

Hence, the correct answer is to Conduct a structured discussion to understand each team member's perspective and find common ground.





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Q:9 The correct answer is Option 3 i.e. Conduct a team-building workshop to address underlying conflicts.

Explanation: Separating team members, ignoring conflicts, or public reprimand may escalate the situation. A team-building workshop is a proactive approach to addressing underlying conflicts and fostering better collaboration.

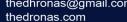
Hence, the correct answer is Conduct a teambuilding workshop to address underlying conflicts.

Q:10 The correct answer is Option 1 i.e. Hold a private meeting to discuss their workload and productivity.

Explanation: Praising dedication without addressing the productivity issue, ignoring the problem, or decreasing workload without discussion may not lead to optimal results. A private meeting allows for a constructive discussion to understand and address the root causes.

Hence, the correct answer is Hold a private meeting to discuss their workload and productivity.





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