## **ANNEXURE 1**

Please encircle the correct answer

- 1. PICOT is criteria for
  - a. Formulating research question
  - b. Planning RCT
  - c. Observational study
  - d. Case study
- 2. Consort guidelines are used for
  - a. Randomized control trial
  - b. Observational study
  - c. Case study
  - d. Systematic review
- 3. A good research question is innovative since it provides new findings and adequate technical expertise.
  - a. True
  - b. False
- 4. Which of the following variables is a continuous quantitative variable?
  - a. Favorite fruit
  - b. Gender
  - c. Occupation
  - d. Decade of birth
  - e. Age at first birth
- 5. If you have left-skewed data, which of the following will be true?
  - a. Mean > median
  - b. Mean ≥ median
  - c. Median ≥ mean
  - d. Median > mean
  - e. Mean = media
- 6. If you toss a six-sided die, what is the probability that you roll a 3 or less?
  - a. 1/6
  - b. 1/3
  - c. 1/2
  - d. 1/4
  - e. 5/6
- 7. If the null hypothesis is true (there is no effect), you cannot make a Type II error.
  - a. True
  - b. False
- 8. What is statistical power?
  - a. The probability of getting a statistically significant result when the null hypothesis is true
  - b. The probability of getting a statistically significant result when the null hypothesis is false.
  - c. The probability of getting a nonsignificant result when the null hypothesis is true.
  - d. The probability of getting a nonsignificant result when the null hypothesis is false.
- 9. A variable that is presumed to cause a change in another variable is called
  - a. Categorical variable

Shrivastava, et al.: Change in knowledge after attending research methodology workshop Dependent variable Independent variable Intervening variable 10. Qualitative research is often exploratory and has all of the following characteristics except: It is typically used when a great deal is already known about the topic of interest It relies on the collection of nonnumerical data such as words and pictures It is used to generate hypotheses and develop theory about phenomena in the world It uses the inductive scientific method 11. The strongest evidence for causality comes from which of the following research methods? Experimental b. Causal-comparative Correlational c. d. Ethnography 12. When each member of a population has an equally likely chance of being selected, this is called: A nonrandom sampling method b. A quota sample c. A snowball sample d. An equal-probability selection method 13. As a general rule, the \_\_\_\_\_\_ is the best measure of central tendency because it is more precise. Mean b. Median c. Mode d. Range 14. What does it mean when you calculate a 95% confidence interval? The process you used will capture the true parameter 95% of the time in the long run b. You can be "95% confident" that your interval will include the population parameter You can be "5% confident" that your interval will not include the population parameter d. All of the above statements are true 15. What is the standard deviation of a sampling distribution called? a. Sampling error b. Sample error c. Standard error d. Simple error results if you fail to reject the null hypothesis when the null hypothesis is actually false. Type I error a. b. Type II error Type III error d. Type IV error

17. A statistical test used to determine whether a correlation coefficient is statistically significant is called the

b. *t*-test for independent samples

a. One-way analysis of variance

- c. Chi-square test for contingency tables
- d. t-test for correlation coefficients

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- 18. This type of research tests hypotheses and theories to explain how and why a phenomenon operates as it does.
  - a. Descriptive research
  - b. Predictive research
  - c. Explanatory research
  - d. None of the above
- 19. Which of these is not a method of data collection?
  - a. Questionnaires
  - b. Interviews
  - c. Experiments
  - d. Observations
- 20. Which of the following terms best describes data that were originally collected at an earlier time by a different person for a different purpose?
  - a. Primary data
  - b. Secondary data
  - c. Experimental data
  - d. Field notes