

Name: _____ Date: _____

Parkinson's Disease

1. Often start in one finger and spread to the whole arm; pill rolling movements may occur and progress to tremors in legs, jaws, and face
 2. Parkinson's disease is a _____ in which cells in certain parts of the brain are gradually destroyed
 3. Stiffness in arms, legs, neck, and trunk
 4. Inability to blink or smile; a fixed stare is common
 5. A slow, shuffling walk and inability to lift the feet
 6. Inability to walk, with increased risk for falls
 7. Slurred speech, monotone, and soft speech
 8. May talk too fast or repeat what they say
 9. Regular rest and avoid stress, as tiredness and stress...
 10. _____ Help with safety practices to prevent falls and choking
 11. As a support worker you should treat the client with...
 12. Some clients may talk too fast or _____ what they say
 13. Allow your client the time required to....
 14. Promoting elimination needs and prevention of falls and choking are examples of
 15. Signs and symptoms become _____ over time
 16. Along with exercise and physiotherapy _____ are prescribed to help improve or maintain strength, posture, balance and mobility
- A. Speech changes
 - B. Tremors
 - C. Stiff muscles
 - D. Communicate
 - E. Safety practices
 - F. Repeat
 - G. Support workers
 - H. Dignity and respect
 - I. Slow movement
 - J. Worse
 - K. Medications
 - L. Neurological disorder
 - M. Masklike expression
 - N. Impaired balance
 - O. Communication is key
 - P. Make symptoms worse