Chapter 7 Practice Quiz

Module 1

1. True or False: Family, friends, acquaintances, and members of society serve as agents of informal social control

2. Primary, secondary, and tertiary deviance are concepts related to which of the following theories of deviance?
   a. social control  b. labeling  c. differential association  d. conflict

3. The elements of the social bonds are attachment, commitment, involvement, and belief. These elements are related to which of the following theories of deviance?
   a. social control  b. labeling  c. differential association  d. conflict

Module 2

1. True or False: Structural strains are due to roadblocks and strains such as poverty, unemployment, and access to quality education.

2. True or False: Based on Merton’s typology of deviance, most individuals fall into the category of retreatists and few are conformists.

3. True or False: The conflict theory indicates the wealthy control many of the resources
and thus limit the opportunities of the poor, which may be a catalyst for some individuals to turn to crime to seek resources.

Module 3

1. True or False: The criminal justice system consists of informal institutions designed to enforce, arbitrate and carry out the laws of the society.

2. Law enforcement, courts and the penal system are all part of _____.
   a. the collective conscience   b. the criminal justice system   c. differential justice   d. informal social control

3. Which of the following is one of the issues associated with minorities in prison?
   a. differential justice   b. transnational crime   c. labeling theory   d. crime rates

4. The experience of Robin Lucas was used to illustrate the issue of _____.
   a. surveillance   b. index crimes   c. capital punishment   d. women in prison

Module 4

1. _____ is a penalty for an index crime that results in the death of the perpetrator.
   a. social control   b. capital punishment   c. deterrence   d. differential justice

2. The disproportionate number of minorities in prison, given capital punishment when the victim is white, and on death row is an indication of _____.
   a. higher levels of deviance amongst minorities   b. the effectiveness of the criminal justice system   c. bias in the criminal justice system   d. crimes listed on the UCR

3. The case of Cameron Todd Willingham highlights _____.
   a. social control and the criminal justice system   b. deviance in society
Module 5

1. True or False: Human trafficking, drug smuggling, terrorism and counterfeit toothpaste are all examples of transnational crime.

2. _____ involves the use of technology to monitor the actions and behaviors of others.

3. The government’s right to search your records, enter your home and wiretap your conversations are all encompassed in _____.
   a. formal social control   b. the Patriot Act   c. the Uniform Crime Report   d. white collar crime
Module 1
Answers:
1. True  (A Sociological Perspective on Deviance)
2. b     (LO 7.1.2)
3. a     (LO 7.1.4)

Module 2
Answers:
1. True  (LO 7.1.2)
2. False (LO 7.1.2)
3. True  (LO 7.2.2)

Module 3
Answers:
1. False (LO 7.3.1)
2. B      (LO 7.3.1)
3. A      (LO 7.3.2)
4. D      (LO 7.3.4)
Module 4

Answers:

1. B (LO 7.4.1)
2. C (LO 7.4.1)
3. C (LO 7.4.2)

Module 5

Answers:

1. True (LO 7.5.1)
2. D (LO 7.5.2)
3. B (LO 7.5.2)