

Microbiology for Health Sciences

Chapter 15 Study Aid

Name: _____

PRINT AND HANDWRITE YOUR ANSWERS!

1. What are the 2 parts of the Immune System?
2. What is the largest organ of the body?
3. What are the components of the skin that defend against pathogens?
4. The openings of our body cavities are lined with _____ membranes.
5. How do our normal flora help defend us against pathogens?
6. White blood cells are called _____. They are divided into what 2 groups?
7. What 3 cells are granulocytes?
8. List and describe what happens during inflammation (for instance, when you get a cut).
9. Why can a low grade fever be beneficial?

10. Describe what happens when a white blood cell phagocytizes a bacteria.

11. Describe what natural killer cells do.