MCQ

C.4.3. Lung Volumes

- 1. When a normal healthy adult breathes at rest, his or her tidal volume will be approximately:
 - a) 0,1 liter
 - b) 0,5 liter
 - c) 1,5 liter
 - d) 10,5 liter
- 2. If somebody has a tidal volume of 0,8 liter and a breathing frequency of 10 cycles per minute, his minute ventilation will be:
 - a) 2 liter/min
 - b) 4 liter/min
 - c) 8 liter/min
 - d) 16 liter/min
- 3. This patient has an inspiratory capacity of 2 l, an expiratory capacity of 3 l and a tidal volume of 0,5 l. What is his Vital Capacity?
 - a) 4,5 liter
 - b) 5.0 liter
 - c) 5,5 liter
 - d) 6,0 liter
- 4. What is 'alveolar ventilation'?
 - a) The amount of air that passes through the nose
 - b) The amount of air that passes through the mouth
 - c) The amount of air that reaches the alveoli
 - d) The amount of air that remains in the 'dead space'

Answers:

- 1) b.
- 2) c.
- 3) a.
- 4) c.