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Exam Questions PgMP

Program Management Professional (PgMP)



NEW QUESTION 1

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for the BHN Program. Your program has 122 stakeholders that you'll need to plan to communicate with. Considering the size of the program how many communication channels do you have in this program?

- A. 244
- B. 122
- C. 14,884
- D. 7,381

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 2

- (Topic 1)

What analysis type could you use in a program to compare the positive stakeholders and their position, power, and influence over your program to the same variable components of the negative stakeholders in your program?

- A. Sensitivity analysis
- B. Stakeholder analysis
- C. Monte Carlo simulation
- D. Force field analysis

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 3

- (Topic 1)

A program has a budget at completion of \$1,250,000 and has already spent \$425,000. The program is running late due to some vendor delays; the program is only 30 percent complete though it was scheduled to be 45 percent at this time. Based on this information how much more money will this program need to finish?

- A. \$978,445
- B. \$919,325
- C. \$991,667
- D. \$987,544

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 4

- (Topic 1)

A new program is being initiated for the HNQ Organization. The program manager is working with the business analyst and management to define several attributes of the program. All of the following are identified during program initiation except for which one?

- A. Program risk
- B. Program benefits
- C. Program scope
- D. Link to organizational strategy

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 5

- (Topic 1)

Your program has been selected and its program charter is now being created. The program charter defines all of the following characteristics except for which one?

- A. Program constraints
- B. Program scope
- C. High-level objectives for the program
- D. Project scope statement for all projects within the program

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 6

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager of the HNG Program. This program has a budget at completion of \$2,345,900 and is expected to last two years. The program is currently 30 percent complete and you have spent \$789,000. The program is supposed to be 35 percent complete but do to some delays you're slightly behind schedule. Based on this information, what is the schedule variance (SV) of this program?

- A. -\$85,230
- B. \$821,065
- C. -\$284,100
- D. -\$117,295

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 7

- (Topic 1)

Marty is the project manager of the recently completed NHK Project. The project was deemed successful by the project customer and they have signed the formal acceptance documentation. Marty has written the final project report, released the project team, and completed the lessons learned documentation. What else should Marty do in the closure of the NHK Project?

- A. Summarize the project variance.
- B. Archive the project records.
- C. Summarize the project risks costs.
- D. Close the project office.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 8

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your current program, which has just been initiated, needs to launch several projects in order to create all of the benefits of the program. What document do you need to create in order to initiate the projects within your program?

- A. Project charter
- B. Program charter
- C. Program scope statement
- D. Project preliminary scope statement

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 9

- (Topic 1)

A knowledge area defines a subset of program management and its processes within that domain. For example, the knowledge area of quality management includes the processes related directly to quality management only. Which knowledge area ensures that all knowledge areas interact correctly with one another?

- A. Program benefits management
- B. Program management planning
- C. Integration management
- D. Communications management

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 10

- (Topic 1)

Which of the following is not a template element that is designed to make the project more effective?

- A. Description of the work packages
- B. Required resources and skills
- C. Required actions to complete the project scope
- D. Contract file

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 10

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your current program, which has just started, has eight projects and many of the projects share resources such as equipment and people. Management has asked that you identify when the project resources will be utilized on each project within your program. They are worried some resources may be idle or overscheduled. What approach can you use to consider the availability of resources when the project managers begin sequencing their project activities?

- A. The project managers will use the critical path method for scheduling activities.
- B. The project managers will use PERT to schedule all activities.
- C. The project managers will use the critical chain method for scheduling activities.
- D. The project managers will create Gantt charts to schedule all activities.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 12

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager of the JNH Program. Tom, a project manager in your program, has just completed his project and is ready to officially close his project. You agree that Tom's project is completed. What role do you play in Tom's project closure?

- A. You must ensure that the project sponsor closes the project.
- B. You must ensure that that the projects within the program have been closed at the project level.
- C. You must close the project before operations closes the project.
- D. You must ensure that the program management team closes the project for the project manager.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 15

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your company and evaluating the sellers to determine the seller to buy from. In your analysis you've created a histogram to

display the pros and cons for each seller. You've created five categories of interest and assigned values to each category for each vendor. Your five categories are:

- Cost
- Schedule
- Experience
- Certification
- Warranty

Each category has a different point value and the vendor that receives the maximum points in total will win the contract. What type of seller evaluation are you performing?

- A. Monte Carlo simulation
- B. Expert judgment
- C. Weighted scoring model
- D. Benchmarking

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 19

- (Topic 1)

Your program creates a byproduct that you could sell to a client. The cost of the byproduct would offset the cost of the program by nearly \$7,500 per month. This is an example of which positive risk response?

- A. Sharing
- B. Enhance
- C. Exploiting
- D. Accepting

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 24

- (Topic 1)

Robert is the program manager of the NHQ Program. His team has never worked with one another before this program and he is worried about their abilities to become a team in very short order. He would like to create a team development exercise to facilitate this process. Robert will need all of the following information except for which one to facilitate team development?

- A. Risk management plan
- B. Program management plan
- C. Personnel records
- D. Training records

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 26

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization and you need to define all of the program resources you'll need for your program. All of the following can be considered a program resource except for which one?

- A. A forklift
- B. Materials for the installation of a new server
- C. A positive risk response
- D. Gary, an application developer

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 29

- (Topic 1)

Your company and a competing company have created a teaming agreement for an opportunity. Through this team agreement you and your competitor can complete a major program for a client. This is, technically, a risk response for both organizations. What type of risk response are you dealing with in this instance?

- A. Teaming
- B. Exploiting
- C. Accepting
- D. Sharing

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 30

- (Topic 1)

Martha is sharing her experience of her last project as the project manager. She tells that when she presented customer a formal acceptance and sign-off document, they refused to sign, claiming that the product does not meet their expectation. Taking which of the following steps could have been prevented the situation? Each correct answer represents a complete solution. Choose all that apply.

- A. Performing quality inspections regularly
- B. Archiving sign-off at important milestones
- C. Documenting the requirements
- D. Completing the project behind the schedule

Answer: ABC

NEW QUESTION 35

- (Topic 1)

What document asks the seller to provide your project with a detailed description of a project solution along with a price to complete the project work?

- A. Proposal
- B. RFP
- C. Bid
- D. Quote

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 40

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization and you're dealing with several issues about the materials used in the program. Right now, the issues have been assigned to issue owners for resolution in ten days. In the interim, what should you do with the issues?

- A. Nothing - the issue owners will manage all concerns with the issues.
- B. Record the issues in the issue register.
- C. Communicate the issue status with the program sponsor.
- D. Document the issues in the risk register.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 43

- (Topic 1)

Harriet is the program manager of a large program that has a high profile and visibility in her organization. Some of the stakeholders are negative and Harriet needs to work with these stakeholders to address their fears, perceived threats, and concerns about the program. Which communication method is considered to be the best approach for this scenario?

- A. Face-to-face
- B. Many-to-many
- C. Ad hoc conversation
- D. One-to-many

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 44

- (Topic 1)

You are a program manager for your organization. You have proposed a program to the management that will last four years and will cost \$35 million to create. Management has asked to see the program charter and the proposed costs and benefits of the program.

Management agrees to your program charter and proposed to fund the program in increments at the completion of each milestone. What type of funding does management proposed for this program?

- A. Tentative
- B. Step funding
- C. Milestone approval
- D. Phase gate estimating

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 48

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. You and your program team have been creating and transferring the program benefits to operations as feasible in your program execution. The process of delivering the program's benefits describes what process in program management?

- A. Quality control
- B. Benefits management
- C. Direct and manage program execution
- D. Quality assurance

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 50

- (Topic 1)

What is the formula to determine earned value (EV) for a program?

- A. Percent complete times percent remaining in the program
- B. Percent completes time the program cost estimate
- C. Percent complete times the program budget at completion
- D. Percent complete times the program cost of labor and materials

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 55

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager of the GHY Program in your organization. It has come to your attention that some of the project managers in your program are adding time to each project activity in an effort to pad their durations in case some event happens in their project that will cause delays. What principle should you share with these project managers that counterattack the concept of padding activities with additional time?

- A. Parkinson's Law
- B. Law of Diminishing Returns
- C. 80/20 Law
- D. Pareto's Law

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 57

- (Topic 1)

Part of program management is to identify what motivates your program team members. If you subscribe to Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs which need is at the top of the hierarchy?

- A. Physiological
- B. Safety
- C. Self actualization
- D. Esteem

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 58

- (Topic 1)

You are identifying stakeholders for your program to create new software for your organization. The software will affect the ordering by the customer, the manufacturing of the product, inventory, and account management. Sarah, a key stakeholder in your program, is skeptical of one application affecting so many parts of the organization. She prefers that several applications be created instead of the approach your program will take. In stakeholder identification how would you categorize Sarah?

- A. Active
- B. Negative
- C. Positive
- D. Passive

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 60

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your program has a budget of \$750,000 and is expected to last one year. The program is currently 30 percent complete and has spent \$245,000. The program is supposed to be 40 percent at this time. What is the schedule performance index (SPI) for this program?

- A. Negative ten percent
- B. .75
- C. \$300,000
- D. \$225,000

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 61

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your company and are monitoring and controlling several aspects of your program. You want to make certain that you're including all areas that need to be monitored and controlled. Which one of the following is not something you'll have to monitor and control as a program manager?

- A. Materials required by the program
- B. Equipment your program uses
- C. Susan the application developer in your program
- D. Stakeholder identification

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 64

- (Topic 1)

Which one of the following is NOT a component of the risk monitoring and controlling process?

- A. Executing risk response plans
- B. Completing quantitative risk analysis
- C. Tracking identified risks
- D. Determining if new risks have developed

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 65

- (Topic 1)

What percentage of communication is nonverbal?

- A. 55 percent
- B. 50 percent
- C. 90 percent
- D. 45 percent

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 66

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for the SRQ Program. You have rejected several change requests for the program scope. What must you do with the rejected change requests?

- A. Communicate why the change request was rejected and record the results in the lessons learned documentation for your program.
- B. Inform the stakeholders that their change requests have been rejected.
- C. Communicate the change request status to the stakeholders and record the results of the change request in the change register.
- D. Inform the stakeholders why their change requests have been rejected.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 68

- (Topic 1)

Which of the following statements is most accurate about the critical path?

- A. The critical path is always one path that shows the project duration.
- B. The critical path has no float.
- C. The critical path is the longest path because it has the most activities.
- D. The critical path reveals which path has the most risk of failure.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 70

- (Topic 1)

Andy is the program manager of the HQN Program. This program is nearing its completion and there is still \$25,000 left in the program budget. Andy has asked the program team to identify some extra deliverables that can be included in the program scope to improve the program deliverable but also to use all of the funds in the budget. What term is assigned to the actions that Andy is trying to do in this instance?

- A. Value-added change requests
- B. Zero based budgeting
- C. Integrated change control
- D. Gold plating

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 72

- (Topic 1)

Which of the following documents provides the mandate to execute the program within a certain timeline and also presents milestones for the delivery of products or incremental benefits?

- A. Program architecture baseline
- B. Program risk register
- C. Program WBS
- D. Program charter

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 77

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager of the BHG Program. One of the projects in your program will be using new materials that are somewhat untested. You are worried that there may be delays and waste because the project team is unaware of how to accurately use these materials. You elect to send the people that will be using the new materials through training on how to complete their project work. You also allow them to purchase some of the materials to experiment on their use before the actual project work is to be done. You want to ensure that mistakes do not enter into the project. What type of action have you provided in this scenario?

- A. This is an example of a preventive action.
- B. This is an example of team development.
- C. This is an example of quality assurance.
- D. This is an example of a corrective action.

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 78

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager of the OFE Program. You are working with your program team and project managers to ensure that there is consistency in the execution of the program plan. You stress that the work has been planned and now the team must accurately complete the work. You want to ensure that the work is done correctly the first time in the program. What type of process are you stressing to your program team and project managers?

- A. Quality assurance

- B. Scope verification
- C. Quality control
- D. Process improvement

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 83

- (Topic 1)

Which of the following documents sets the project objectives?

- A. Project charter
- B. Project schedule
- C. Project scope statement
- D. Project organization chart

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 85

- (Topic 1)

Two project managers in your program, Marcy and Mary, are not agreeing with the scheduling of project resources and they have asked for your help to determine the resolution. They are refusing to speak with each other and each is telling you that the other person is scheduling project resources for the project that are already scheduled to complete the work. In the communication model, what component represents the disagreement of these two project managers and their refusal to speak with each other about a resolution?

- A. Conflict
- B. Noise
- C. Barrier
- D. Ad hoc

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 86

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your program is about to be initiated and management is asking you for a document that will define all of the required resources, skills, and competencies you'll need in your program. What document defines the skills and competencies for a program?

- A. Staffing management plan
- B. Staffing pool description
- C. Program resources requirements plan
- D. Human resources management plan

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 89

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization and are working on gathering the requirements for a new solution and mission statement. There are several instances in the stakeholder pool where the stakeholders and their manager are being queried on possible requirements. You worry that the subordinates may have requirements, ideas, and suggestions to offer but they may be not submitting their thoughts because they do not want to contradict their managers. You believe you need a method to gather all requirements without the stakeholders having any fear of retribution. Which one of the following allows you to anonymously gather iterations requirements and still allow for all stakeholders to review what has been submitted in an attempt to find consensus?

- A. Delphi Technique
- B. Focus groups
- C. Web surveys
- D. Workshops

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 94

- (Topic 1)

Your program has 121 stakeholders that you'll need to communicate with. Your communications management plan defines how the communication should happen, what should be communicated, and the expected modality of the communications. You'll also need which one of the following as an input to the information distribution process in your program?

- A. Change requests
- B. Earned value management results
- C. Stakeholder analysis plan
- D. Performance reports

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 99

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager of the YGH Program. A vendor has recently completed his contracted work for your program. You agree that the vendor has completed the procured work so what document should you and the vendors now sign?

- A. Certificate of completion
- B. Proposal agreement
- C. Invoice
- D. Contract

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 103

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization and are planning the program. One of the plans you need to create will define how you'll transfer the benefits of the program to the operations of your organization. Which program management plan defines this process?

- A. Operational transfer plan
- B. Program transition plan
- C. Benefits transfer plan
- D. Program closure plan

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 104

- (Topic 1)

What should a program manager do when a scope change has been approved that will drastically affect the program costs assuming that the costs will be added to the program budget?

- A. Adjust the cost baseline
- B. Communicate cost of the change to all stakeholders
- C. Adjust the quality baseline
- D. Communicate the change to all stakeholders

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 107

- (Topic 1)

Your program has a budget at completion of \$1,550,000 and is expected to last one year.

Currently your program is 45 percent complete and has spent \$725,000. According to the program schedule you are actually to be fifty percent complete by this time, but due to some vendor delays your program is running just a bit late. Based on this information which is performing worse, the cost or schedule?

- A. The schedule is performing worse because the SPI is .90
- B. The cost is performing worse because the EAC is \$1,611,111.
- C. The schedule is performing worse because the SV is -\$27,500.
- D. The cost is performing worse because the CPI is .96.

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 111

- (Topic 1)

You are the program manager for your organization. When a project in your program is completed, who will need to sign the certificate of completion?

- A. The project manager
- B. The program customer
- C. The program stakeholders
- D. The project management team

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 113

- (Topic 1)

Robert's program is slipping on its schedule and management has asked that Robert find a method to compress the duration of the program. What approach could Robert take that would not dramatically add risks to program if he added labor to the effort-driven activities within the program?

- A. Lead time
- B. Crashing
- C. Lag time
- D. Fast tracking

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 116

- (Topic 1)

Kelly's program is slipping on its schedule. Management is worried that the program will be late and this will cost the organization several thousand dollars in fines and penalties. They've asked Kelly to use a schedule duration compression technique that will help the program finish on time. The technique that Kelly can use, however, should not add costs to the program. What duration compression technique should Kelly use in this instance?

- A. Crash the program
- B. Add lead time to the program
- C. Trim the program scope
- D. Fast track the program

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 121

- (Topic 2)

Your program will create new software and install new hardware for your organization. Some of the goals of the program is to improve employee morale, improve customer service, and boost customer satisfaction. These intangible goals need metrics. What program stakeholder is responsible for quantifying these goals?

- A. Program customer
- B. Program director
- C. Program manager
- D. Business analyst

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 125

- (Topic 2)

In your organization there are rules and procedures that the program manager must follow and abide by before the program can begin and must continue to follow once the program is in execution. What term is assigned to the enforcement of these program management rules and procedures?

- A. Program governance
- B. Organizational process assets
- C. Program standards
- D. Process analysis

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 128

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization and are planning the composition of the project team. In your organization resources are used from throughout the company and may serve on more than one project. While you, the program manager, will have most of the authority on the program you want the project managers to have authority over the project decisions. What type of an organizational structure does your organization have?

- A. Strong Matrix
- B. Functional
- C. Weak Matrix
- D. Projectized

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 131

- (Topic 2)

Which of the following is NOT true regarding the program work breakdown structure (WBS)?

- A. It defines a program and groups the program's discrete work elements in a way that helps organize and define the total work scope of the program.
- B. It subdivides the program deliverables to work packages that are linked to the activities within the program.
- C. It defines all the work and only the required work for the program.
- D. It subdivides the program deliverables to work packages that are linked to the activities within the program.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 132

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization and are coaching Bonnie, a project manager, who would like to be a program manager wants to know what a program is. Which one of the following statements best defines what a program is for Bonnie?

- A. A program is a collection of projects that work together to create one deliverable for the organization
- B. A program is a collection of projects managed to gain benefits for the organization; the organization could not realize the benefits of the project if they were managed independently.
- C. A program is a uniform set of goals that are too large to be managed as one independent project so the project is subdivided into multiple objectives led by multiple project managers and orchestrated by one program manager.
- D. A program is a large collection of projects lead by a single project manager.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 133

- (Topic 2)

Which of the following types of floats are available? Each correct answer represents a complete solution. Choose two.

- A. Half float
- B. Full float
- C. Total float
- D. Free float

Answer: CD

NEW QUESTION 138

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager of the NHQ Program. You will need to initiate six projects for your program. When should project initiating happen within a program?

- A. Whenever the program needs to initiate projects, it may, as long as the program has not entered the closing processes of the program.
- B. With program execution
- C. With program initiation
- D. With program planning

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 139

- (Topic 2)

Your program has a budget at completion of \$1,550,000 and is expected to last one year.

Currently your program is 45 percent complete and has spent \$725,000. According to the program schedule you are actually to be fifty percent complete at this, but due to some vendor delays your program is running just a bit late. Management is concerned that your program will not be able to recoup the costs of the expenses. They've asked you to determine the cost variance for the program. What is the cost variance based on this information?

- A. -\$27,500
- B. -\$77,500
- C. -\$61,111
- D. .90

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 144

- (Topic 2)

Hal is the program manager for his organization. He would like your organization to provide his program with 4 tons of pea gravel for a construction project in his program. Hal send you a statement of work and an IFB. What document should you provide to Hal?

- A. Invoice
- B. Proposal
- C. Bid
- D. Quote

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 147

- (Topic 2)

Gary is program manager for his organization. His current program is over budget and is slipping on the program schedule. Management has demanded a change to the program scope. What is the most likely type of change management would make to this program scope?

- A. A change to add additional funds to the program scope
- B. A change to reduce the program scope
- C. Anything that management demands
- D. A change to add additional time to the program schedule

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 151

- (Topic 2)

What quality control chart compares two or more variables over time to determine how closely the variables may be related to one another?

- A. Run chart
- B. Scatter diagram
- C. Control chart
- D. Pareto diagram

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 155

- (Topic 2)

Your program has just been chartered during the program initiation process. Your program also needs to create three program statements. Which program statement defines how your program will manage tradeoffs, competing objectives, and program and organization decisions?

- A. Value
- B. Vision
- C. Scope
- D. Mission

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 158

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager of the YHT Program. You have been working with a vendor in the program but have decided that the contract between your program and the vendor needs to be terminated. What two things must be documented if you wish to terminate a vendor's contract?

- A. Contract and the quality measurements for the vendor's work

- B. The scope verification document and the termination notice
- C. Contract and scope verification process documents
- D. Work that has been completed and uncompleted work

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 163

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization. As your program is being initiated there is some initial concern from the management about the utilization of resources in your program and the need for resources in their day-to-day roles in operations. Management has set a limit on your program that resources may only work 20 hours per week on the program. What is this limit of resource hours in a time period known as?

- A. Resource leveling heuristic
- B. Resource requirements
- C. Program risk
- D. Resource utilization

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 167

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization. You have proposed a program that will cost \$750,000 and will last for four years. Management is concerned with the cost of the program in relation to the return your program will bring. If the rate of return is six percent what is the minimum value your project should return in four years based on the investment of the program?

- A. \$750,000
- B. \$795,000
- C. \$750,001
- D. \$946,857

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 171

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization. One of the projects within your program is to install 15,000 light fixtures throughout your organization's corporate campus. The new fixtures will save on electrical costs. Which one of the following choices is an ideal approach to quality assurance and the installation of the light fixtures for this project team?

- A. The cost and time of each installation should go down because of the learning curve.
- B. The project manager should work with the project team to understand how each fixture is to be installed.
- C. The project team members should develop their own system for installation of the fixtures.
- D. Use a checklist for the installation because it is repeatable work.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 172

- (Topic 2)

Wanda is the program manager for her organization. Her program team consists of resources from across the organization - many of whom have not worked together before. Wanda thinks that she'll need to complete some team development but would like to focus the development on the materials and activities that the program team will need to complete in the program. What plan should Wanda reference and update to complete her team development process?

- A. Training plan
- B. Communications management plan
- C. Staffing management plan
- D. Requirements management plan

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 176

- (Topic 2)

Alice is the project manager of the NHQ Project and is entering the project's closing processes. The project, she has managed, has been for another organization in a contractual relationship. Her organization requires Alice to complete performance reviews of the project team, review the deliverables with the project customer, and to obtain formal signoff of the project deliverables. There may be other conditions and activities that Alice likely will need to do in this final project phase. Where can Alice check regarding this project?

- A. Project Integration Plan
- B. Project Contract
- C. Project Quality Control procedures
- D. Project Communications Management Plan

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 180

- (Topic 2)

What cost estimating approach uses the work breakdown structure to create a cost estimate?

- A. Analogous

- B. Definitive
- C. Top down
- D. Parametric

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 185

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization and your team has reported on a new issue among your program stakeholders. You want to address this issue as soon as possible, but it will need to be studied and reviewed. You recommend that Shirley, one of your program team members, study the issue and present a few solutions in a week's time. What else should you do with the issue?

- A. Determine the time and cost of researching the issue for resolution.
- B. Record the issue in the issue log.
- C. Document the issue in the lessons learned.
- D. Communicate with the stakeholders that you are addressing the issue.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 186

- (Topic 2)

Wan is the program manager for his organization. He has been hearing reports that some project team members are complaining about the number of hours they're required to work on the program's projects and that some scheduling of team assignments are conflicting with their regular operational duties. You investigate the problem and agree that many team members are being assigned too much work within a given time period. You decide to enforce resource leveling heuristics to thirty hours of project work per week maximum. What will likely happen to the program and projects?

- A. The schedule to complete the work will take longer.
- B. The cost of the program and project will increase.
- C. The risks of failure will increase.
- D. The morale of the project managers will decline.

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 189

- (Topic 2)

Mary has just completed a large program for her organization. What should Mary now do with the program records that she has created throughout the program?

- A. The program records should be archived with the program customer.
- B. The program records should be archived with the program sponsor.
- C. The program records should be archived as part of organizational process assets.
- D. The program records should be archived as part of enterprise environmental factors.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 192

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager of the NQA Program. In this program you're planning which contract types you'll allow into the program and which ones you will not. One contract type you won't accept is the cost plus percentage of cost contract. Which of the following is a valid reason you would not allow this contract type into your program?

- A. The contract type requires the vendor to provide a fee for the time invested and the materials used.
- B. The contract type allows the vendor to change the price of the work he's completed.
- C. The contract type allows is the most dangerous for the buyer.
- D. The contract type requires the vendor to provide a fixed price for the work.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 194

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization. You are planning a new program that will construct a new warehouse facility for your company. As you look forward to the conclusion of the program you need an official document that will signify the program has ended. What document should you specify in your program management plan for the conclusion of the program?

- A. Final program audit report
- B. Audit of program financials
- C. Lessons learned documentation
- D. Certificate of program completion

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 195

- (Topic 2)

You have identified several issues in your program and have assigned issue owners. What component of program management oversees issue resolution?

- A. Program governance
- B. Program risk management

- C. Quality assurance
- D. Issue owner management

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 196

- (Topic 2)

Mary Anne is the program manager for her organization. In her program there are six projects. One of the projects in her program has been performing well. It is on schedule and has no cost or schedule variances. Mary Anne has decided, however, that her program needs to be terminated. Which one of the following is a likely reason why the project should be terminated?

- A. The program scope has changed.
- B. The scope is not being met as planned due to scope creep.
- C. The project resources are not completing their project tasks as assigned.
- D. The project scope has changed from the original intent of the project

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 197

- (Topic 2)

All of the following are resources that need to be monitored and controlled except for which one?

- A. Equipment
- B. Staff
- C. Quality
- D. Facilities

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 199

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager of the NHQ Program. The program has reached its final deliverable and the certificate of completion has been created for the program. What else should you, the program manager, create at this time?

- A. Life cycle costing estimates
- B. Lessons learned documentation
- C. Operational transfer plan
- D. Program closure reports

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 201

- (Topic 2)

You need to create a document that will define the costs, resources, and characteristics of each deliverable the program will create. What document should you create?

- A. Program work breakdown structure
- B. Program work breakdown structure dictionary
- C. Program charter
- D. Program scope statement

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 203

- (Topic 2)

In your program you must adhere to Six Sigma as part of your organization's enterprise environmental factors. There is terminology, reports, and measurements that you are expected to use as part of your program. Six Sigma is an example of what program management process?

- A. Quality control
- B. Process improvement
- C. Scope verification
- D. Quality assurance

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 206

- (Topic 2)

Which one of the following is the best example of transference?

- A. Your program has some very dangerous activities so you hire a training company to train your program team.
- B. Your program creates an opportunity that your company can realize on its own so it brings in a competitor to help seize the opportunity.
- C. Your program must be completed by a given deadline as government inspectors are scheduled to review the work to determine its accuracy.
- D. Your program is dealing with a new technology that you and your program team are not familiar with so you hire a consulting company to complete this work for you.

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 207

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for the JQN Program in your organization. There have been some delays in your schedule and you're about to perform some schedule control activities. Which one of the following will not help you as you perform schedule control?

- A. Change requests
- B. Performance reports
- C. Forecasts
- D. Earned value management

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 211

- (Topic 2)

Holly is the program manager for her program. She is creating with her team a plan that will address how the program team will achieve program goals based on who the program will need to interact with in the program. This plan should define all of the people, groups, and other entities the program needs to interact with in order to move the program forward. On what plan is Holly working?

- A. Stakeholder management plan
- B. Communications management plan
- C. Human resource management plan
- D. Interface management plan

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 214

CORRECT TEXT - (Topic 2)

What schedule analysis simulation tool allows you, the project manager, to review possible combinations of events such as optimistic, most likely and pessimistic outcomes for your project?

- A. pert
- B. gert
- C. pmis
- D. Monte Carlo

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 219

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization and are working with Tracy, one of the project managers in your program. Tracy is having some trouble understanding the concept of the critical path in her project's network diagram. Which one of the following is the best definition of the critical path?

- A. It is the path that carries the most risk of project failure.
- B. It is the path that reveals the earliest date the project can finish.
- C. It is the path with the most important activities in the project.
- D. It is the duration of all the project activities if the labor is summed.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 221

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your program will create a new condominium in your community. There are several concerns about the condos including the timing, the local economy, the environment, and the proposed schedule. You and your team are creating the program management plan to address these concerns along with identifying the constituent projects that will build the structures and deliverables. What group will need to review your program plan to approve the plan before you may proceed in the work?

- A. The local government
- B. The change control board
- C. The stakeholders
- D. The program board

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 223

- (Topic 2)

You are hosting a meeting with all of the vendors that have received a copy of your statement of work. In this meeting, you'll be discussing the statement of work, clarifying the details, and answering any questions nos the vendors may have about the project. What is this meeting called?

- A. Sales meeting
- B. Select sellers process
- C. Bidder conference
- D. Negotiations

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 228

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization and you're coaching Tom, an aspiring program manager, on program management. Tom is curious about controlling communications. Which one of the following is an output of the communications control process?

- A. Approved change requests
- B. Communications management plan
- C. Stakeholder analysis charts
- D. Performance reports

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 232

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager of the BHG Program. One of the projects in your program will be using new materials that are somewhat untested. You are worried that there may be delays and waste because the project team is unaware of how to accurately use these materials. You elect to send the people that will be using the new materials through training on how to complete their project work. You also allow them to purchase some of the materials to experiment on their use before the actual project work is to be done. You want to ensure that mistakes don't enter the project. What type of action have you provided in this scenario?

- A. This is an example of a corrective action.
- B. This is an example of quality assurance.
- C. This is an example of a preventive action.
- D. This is an example of team development.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 237

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager of a new program in your organization. This program will last for one year and your program team will work full-time on the effort. The nature of the work requires that the program team work closely together for the next year, but many of the program team members have never met one another. You decide to take the team on an outing where they can work together through challenges, learn teamwork, and get to know one another. This is an example of what process?

- A. Cost of quality
- B. Storming
- C. Forming
- D. Team development

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 238

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for a construction program. In this program you are requiring that all workers adhere to the identified safety requirements. Some of the work in the program you've decided is too risky for the program team members so you've hired specialists to manage the dangerous work. The outsourcing of the dangerous work to a specialist is what type of risk response?

- A. Avoidance
- B. Mitigation
- C. Transference
- D. Enhancing

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 242

- (Topic 2)

Which one of the following is not an output of the direct and manage program execution process?

- A. Results of program work
- B. Program budget
- C. Change requests
- D. Request to terminate the program

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 245

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for a large program in your matrix organization. You need to define when the resources in your program will be brought into the program and then released from the program so that the project managers, operational managers, and your program team can plan accordingly. What program management plan defines when resources are needed, how the resources will be obtained, and how the resources may be released from the program?

- A. Procurement management plan
- B. Resource management plan
- C. Team management plan
- D. Schedule management plan

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 247

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your program and are creating a communications management plan. Management wants you to address the type of communications based on the number of communication channels you'll have within the program. Currently there are 345 stakeholders in your program but next week you'll have 387 stakeholders. How many more communication channels will you have next week in your program?

- A. 59,340
- B. 15,351
- C. 861
- D. 74,691

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 249

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization. You are examining the order of the activities in your program schedule and would like to change some of the ordering to alleviate scheduling conflicts, risks, and based on your experience with the discipline the program uses. Some of the activities you can rearrange while some of the activities must be completed in a particular order. What term describes the activities that must happen in a particular order?

- A. Mandatory dependencies
- B. Finish on constraints
- C. Benefits management dependencies
- D. Discretionary dependencies

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 254

- (Topic 2)

Performing quality assurance in a program can result in which one of the following?

- A. Quality control execution
- B. Scope fulfillment
- C. Quality management plan
- D. Change requests

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 256

- (Topic 2)

What is a stakeholder analysis chart?

- A. It is a matrix that identifies who must communicate with whom.
- B. It is a matrix that documents the stakeholders' requirements, when the requirements were created, and when the fulfillment of the requirements took place..
- C. It is a matrix that documents stakeholders' threats, perceived threats, and communication needs.
- D. It is a matrix that identifies all of the stakeholders and to whom they must report to.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 259

- (Topic 2)

Which of the following is not a phase of program life cycle?

- A. Program Initiation
- B. Program Closure
- C. Program Setup
- D. Program Planning
- E. Delivery of Program Benefits
- F. Pre-program Preparation

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 261

- (Topic 2)

You are the program manager for your organization and are working with your program team to create the program scope. Based on the program requirements you have identified the major deliverables of each phase in your program scope. Management has requested that you plan for cost estimating to happen at each phase of the program before continuing the work. Management may elect to cancel the program at the end of each phase based on past performance of the program. What are the reviews of management called at each phase?

- A. Phase gate estimates
- B. Murder board
- C. Portfolio review sessions
- D. Kill points

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 263

- (Topic 2)

Robert is the program manager for his organization which operates in a matrix structure.

Resources in Robert's program will be utilized on several projects in and out of his program. He wants to be certain that all of the resources will be planned

accordingly and that the project managers communicate with one another about when the resources will be needed and utilized in the projects. What plan should Robert create along with the project managers to ensure that the resources are scheduled and managed effectively?

- A. Resource management plan
- B. Program management calendar
- C. Schedule management plan
- D. Resource calendar

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 268

- (Topic 3)

You are the project manager for the GGG Project and are about to close the project kick off meeting. All of the project team members and the key stakeholders are in attendance. What final item should you talk about before closing the meeting?

- A. Discuss the importance of the project scope.
- B. Thank everyone for attending.
- C. Discuss the action items and the importance of the items being completed as planned.
- D. Remind everyone that you're the project manager if they have QUESTION NOS.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 269

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your program is about to being initiated and management is asking you for a document that will define all of the required resources, skills, and competencies you'll need in your program. What document defines the skills and competencies for a program?

- A. Staffing management plan
- B. Staffing pool description
- C. Program resources requirements plan
- D. Human resources management plan

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 273

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for the JQN Program in your organization. There have been some delays in your schedule and you're about to perform some schedule control activities. Which one of the following will not help you as you perform schedule control?

- A. Change requests
- B. Forecasts
- C. Earned value management
- D. Performance reports

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 275

- (Topic 3)

In a program, management would like to consider the present value for each year a program creates a return on investment. What program selection method is management using?

- A. Net present value
- B. Present value
- C. Internal rate of return
- D. Time value of money

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 280

- (Topic 3)

What document should you provide to the vendors if you're only interested for a set fee for their materials?

- A. IFB
- B. RFP
- C. RFI
- D. SOW

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 281

- (Topic 3)

A new program is being initiated for the HNQ Organization. The program manager is working with the business analyst and management to define several attributes of the program. All of the following are identified during program initiation except for which one?

- A. Program benefits
- B. Program risk
- C. Program scope

D. Link to organizational strategy

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 286

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for the HNY Corporation and you complete programs for other companies in your role. You have just been assigned a new program that is very similar to a recently completed program you did for your company. Management has asked you to create a cost estimate for the program so you base your current cost estimate on the recently finished program. What type of estimating technique have you used in this instance?

- A. Rough order of magnitude
- B. Parametric
- C. Analogous
- D. Bottom-up

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 289

- (Topic 3)

Who owns the program?

- A. Program manager
- B. Project manager
- C. Program director
- D. Program sponsor

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 293

- (Topic 3)

What does CPI value less than 1.0 indicates?

- A. Cost overrun for work completed
- B. Scheduled performance is great
- C. Cost underrun of performance to date
- D. Cost for completed work is as per estimate

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 294

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following tools and techniques are parts of the Administer Program Procurements process? Each correct answer represents a complete solution. Choose all that apply.

- A. Inspection and audits
- B. Budget management system
- C. Supplier performance review
- D. Contract performance review

Answer: ABD

NEW QUESTION 296

- (Topic 3)

There are 1,500 doors to be installed in Tom's program. Each of the 1,500 doors is required by the building code to swing into the room rather than swing out into the hallways. It has come to Tom's attention that part of the team installing the doors has installed nearly 200 doors to swing into the hallway rather than into the rooms. Tom instructs the team to fix the problem. What type of action has Tom taken in this instance?

- A. Scope control
- B. Defect repair validation
- C. Team development
- D. Defect repair

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 299

- (Topic 3)

If a risk has a probability of 60 percent and an impact of -\$57,000 what will the expected monetary value of the risk event be?

- A. -\$34,200
- B. -\$57,000
- C. -9,500
- D. You will need to know the utility function of the organization to determine this.

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 304

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager of the JNH Program. Tom, a project manager in your program, has just completed his project and is ready to officially close his project. You agree that Tom's project is completed. What role do you play in Tom's project closure?

- A. You must close the project before operations closes the project.
- B. You must ensure that that the projects within the program have been closed at the project level.
- C. You must ensure that the program management team closes the project for the project manager.
- D. You must ensure that the project sponsor closes the project.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 308

- (Topic 3)

A wild life protection organization opposes your program, which involves the cutting of around 200 trees to make way for the construction of a building. Which of the following correctly defines the organization in program management terminology?

- A. Negative stakeholder
- B. Positive stakeholder
- C. Key stakeholder
- D. Hurdle stakeholder

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 313

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following risk response planning techniques is associated with threats and seeks to reduce the probability of occurrence, or impact of risk below an acceptable threshold?

- A. Risk avoidance
- B. Risk transference
- C. Risk mitigation
- D. Risk acceptance

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 317

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager of the YHT Program. You have been working with a vendor in the program but have decided that the contract between your program and the vendor needs to be terminated. What two things must be documented if you wish to terminate a vendor's contract?

- A. Contract and the quality measurements for the vendor's work
- B. The scope verification document and the termination notice
- C. Contract and scope verification process documents
- D. Work that has been completed and uncompleted work

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 322

- (Topic 3)

_____ is the degree to which a set of inherent characteristics fulfills requirements.

- A. Scope
- B. Project phase
- C. Regulation
- D. Quality

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 327

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization. Management has assigned you to a new program that has been chartered. Your team is in the process of the Manage Program Issues process. One of the two outputs of this process is change requests. Which one of the following is the other one?

- A. Audit reports
- B. Program management plan
- C. Program performance reports
- D. Program issues register updates

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 331

- (Topic 3)

Which one of the following is not considered one of the three components of the Iron Triangle?

- A. Time
- B. Cost

- C. Scope
- D. Quality

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 335

- (Topic 3)

Your program is to construct a new condo building in Chicago. You and the project managers are working together to define the project assumptions about the program. Which one of the following is an example of an assumption for this program?

- A. Deadlines for project milestones
- B. Building codes
- C. A predetermined program budget
- D. Weather

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 337

- (Topic 3)

After program closure, the lessons learned document becomes the part of ?

- A. The risk register
- B. The company's organizational process assets
- C. The program's performance record
- D. The program charter

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 338

- (Topic 3)

Program management has several themes that the program manager must be aware of. Which one of the following is not a program management theme?

- A. Program governance
- B. Organizational planning
- C. Benefit management
- D. Stakeholder management

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 341

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization and you are preparing to launch several constituent projects within your program. You need to ensure that each project manager is authorized to utilize the appropriate project and program resources in order to complete the project requirements. What document do you need to create for each constituent project in your program to ensure that each project manager can use the appropriate resources?

- A. Project scope statement
- B. Roles and responsibilities chart
- C. Project resource requirements document
- D. Project charter

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 345

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization and are reviewing several proposed change requests for your program. Mary, a stakeholder, who has made a change request is asking why it is taking you so long to review the change. You tell her that you must perform integrated change control to review each change request. What is integrated change control?

- A. It is the review of the impact of the change on the time, cost, scope, and quality baselines.
- B. It is the review of the impact of the change on the program's triple constraints.
- C. It is the review of the impact of the change on the program's knowledge areas.
- D. It is the review of the impact of the change on the program's Iron Triangle.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 348

- (Topic 3)

What percentage of communication is nonverbal?

- A. 45 percent
- B. 55 percent
- C. 50 percent
- D. 90 percent

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 349

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization and are working with your team to identify stakeholders in the program. Where should the identified stakeholders and their information be recorded?

- A. Stakeholder matrix
- B. Communications management plan
- C. Requirements traceability matrix
- D. Stakeholder registry

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 354

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following can be used to help you or other project managers on future projects?

- A. Sponsor
- B. Charter
- C. Stakeholder
- D. Documentation

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 355

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following statements are true regarding the Monitoring and Controlling Program Risks process? Each correct answer represents a complete solution. Choose all that apply.

- A. Risk Monitoring and Control is an ongoing process for the life of the program.
- B. Planned risk responses should be continuously monitored for new and changing risks.
- C. Monitoring reduces the impact of risk by identifying, analyzing, reporting, and managing risks on a continuous basis.
- D. It is the process of selecting the most suitable response to reduce the threats to the program objectives.

Answer: ABC

NEW QUESTION 356

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following documents contain a list of all problems, unfavorable events, or situations that occurred so far in the program?

- A. Program charter
- B. Program risk register
- C. Program issue register
- D. Program scope statement

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 361

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager of the NHQ Program. The program has reached its final deliverable and the certificate of completion has been created for the program. What else should you, the program manager, create at this time?

- A. Operational transfer plan
- B. Program closure reports
- C. Life cycle costing estimates
- D. Lessons learned documentation

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 365

- (Topic 3)

All of the following information is defined in the program statement of work except for which one?

- A. Structure of the program management team
- B. Program requirements for resource competency levels
- C. Metrics and qualifications for program acceptance
- D. Location of the program work

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 368

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following statements is the most accurate when it comes to program change requests for the program scope?

- A. The change request must not affect the overall cost.
- B. The change request must be documented.
- C. The change request must not affect the schedule.
- D. The quality of the program must not be affected by the change request.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 373

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization and you're coaching Tom, an aspiring program manager, on program management. Tom is curious about controlling communications. Which one of the following is an output of the communications control process?

- A. Approved change requests
- B. Performance reports
- C. Stakeholder analysis charts
- D. Communications management plan

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 376

- (Topic 3)

During the selection of source process, you assign certain points towards various categories to judge the vendors. Which type of source selection process is it?

- A. Benefit-cost analysis
- B. Screening system
- C. Weighting system
- D. Preferred vendor list

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 378

- (Topic 3)

Which of the following tools/techniques keep program managers and executives informed of the program's progress?

- A. Component analysis
- B. Expert judgment
- C. Review meetings
- D. Capacity planning

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 383

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for a new software development program. One of the developers has been adding extra fields for information in the software that was not part of the original program scope. While the fields are a good idea, the customer did not ask for the information and some time has been wasted on this work that was not in the program scope. This is an example of which one of the following terms?

- A. Preventive action
- B. Corrective action
- C. Gold plating
- D. Program scope change

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 387

- (Topic 3)

You are a program manager for a large construction program. You need to ensure that the projects in the program are in accordance with the schedule. You are tracking start and finish dates for them. Which of the following processes are you on?

- A. Report Program Performance
- B. Monitor and Control Program Scope
- C. Monitor and Control Program Schedule
- D. Monitor and Control Program Performance

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 391

- (Topic 3)

According to Standard for Program Management, Second Edition, how many knowledge areas are involved for program management?

- A. 7
- B. 5
- C. 9
- D. 11

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 393

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager of the NHQ Program for your organization. Your program is nearing the completion of one of its major phases and there are several resources that should be released at this time. What program management plan will guide you to release of the program resources and transfer the resources and benefits to operations within the organization?

- A. Resource management plan
- B. Transition plan
- C. Communications management plan
- D. Benefits management plan

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 396

- (Topic 3)

Paul is the program manager for his company. He along with his team is working on the Monitor and Control Program Changes process. The process will need several inputs. Which one of the following items is NOT an input to the Monitor and Control Program Changes process in the program management?

- A. Change request log
- B. Approved change requests
- C. Change requests
- D. Program management plan

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 400

- (Topic 3)

You are a program manager for a large construction program. You need to ensure that the projects in the program are in accordance with the schedule. You are tracking start and finish dates for them. Which of the following processes are you on?

- A. Monitor and Control Program Schedule
- B. Monitor and Control Program Scope
- C. Report Program Performance
- D. Monitor and Control Program Performance

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 402

- (Topic 3)

What does RACI stand for?

- A. Responsible, Account, Confirm, Inform
- B. Responsible, Accountable, Consult, Inform
- C. Roles, Accountable, Confirm, Inform
- D. Roles, Action, Consult, Inform

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 405

- (Topic 3)

Who makes Go/No-Go decisions during phase gate reviews?

- A. Program Governance board
- B. Program Manager
- C. Board of Project Managers
- D. Stakeholders

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 409

- (Topic 3)

All of the following are benefits of a program except for which one?

- A. Projects can operate independently of one another.
- B. Resource management in a program allows resources to be shared across all projects in the program.
- C. The program manager can use the same approach in stakeholder management for all projects in the program.
- D. All projects follow the policies of the program and organization.

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 413

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization and you are dealing with your program stakeholders. You are explaining to them, along with your program team, how certain activities in the program may cause delays in the schedule if the associated risk events come into play. The cost of impact of the risk events are minimal, but the schedule impacts could be bigger. The stakeholders are concerned about delaying the schedule beyond a given due date for the program. They would like you to determine if it is possible to add more labor, use a higher grade of material, or hire some consultants to ensure the risks do not occur in the program. They are not much concerned about the cost of the solution as long as the solution or identified risks do not delay the program completion. What type of risk response are your program stakeholders recommending in this situation?

- A. Avoidance
- B. Mitigation
- C. Transference
- D. Workaround

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 415

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for your organization. Your current program has fourteen projects and one project manager in your program is about to close her project. She will need all of the following inputs to the close project process except for which one?

- A. Project management plan
- B. Organizational process assets
- C. Project deliverables
- D. Quality control measurements

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 419

- (Topic 3)

Communication is large percentage of program execution as the program manager must communicate with the appropriate stakeholders. In larger programs face-to-face communication is not always possible. When emails are used what verbal aspect of communication is lost?

- A. Barriers
- B. Noise
- C. Nonverbal
- D. Paralingual

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 423

- (Topic 3)

You are the program manager for the HGQ Program in your organization. Your program has eight constituent projects including a small project which you've assigned to Beth a new project manager in your organization. Part of your assignment is to coach Beth on project management in your program. You are telling Beth about the five process groups of project management and how they map to the progression of the project. Which process group would you tell Beth is where she'll likely spend the bulk of the project time and the project budget?

- A. Monitoring and Controlling
- B. Planning
- C. Executing
- D. Procurement

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 424

- (Topic 4)

A new program is being initiated for the HNQ Organization. The program manager is working with the business analyst and management to define several attributes of the program. All of the following are identified during program initiation except for which one?

- A. Program benefits
- B. Link to organizational strategy
- C. Program scope
- D. Program risk

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 425

- (Topic 4)

You are the program manager for your organization. You have created a statement of work, request for proposal, and an invitation to a bidder's conference for 17 possible vendors. During the conference there were questions about your request for proposal and statement of work that led to clarifications. After the vendor conference you should update what information to send back to the vendors?

- A. Proposals
- B. Statement of work
- C. Program management plan
- D. Request for bid documents

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 426

- (Topic 4)

Robert is the program manager of the NHQ Program. His team has never worked with one another before this program and he is worried about their abilities to become a team in very short order. He would like to create a team development exercise to facilitate this process. Robert will need all of the following information except for which one to facilitate team development?

- A. Training records

- B. Program management plan
- C. Risk management plan
- D. Personnel records

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 429

- (Topic 4)

Kelly's program is slipping on its schedule. Management is worried that the program will be late and this will cost the organization several thousand dollars in fines and penalties. They've asked Kelly to use a schedule duration compression technique that will help the program finish on time. The technique that Kelly can use, however, should not add costs to the program. What duration compression technique should Kelly use in this instance?

- A. Crash the program
- B. Add lead time to the program
- C. Trim the program scope
- D. Fast track the program

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 431

- (Topic 4)

According to Standard for Program Management, Second Edition, how many knowledge areas are involved for program management?

- A. 7
- B. 11
- C. 9
- D. 5

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 434

- (Topic 4)

All of the following are benefits of a program except for which one?

- A. The program manager can use the same approach in stakeholder management for all projects in the program.
- B. Resource management in a program allows resources to be shared across all projects in the program.
- C. Projects can operate independently of one another.
- D. All projects follow the policies of the program and organization.

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 437

- (Topic 4)

Which of the following individual should respond to the risk with the preplanned risk response?

- A. Key stakeholder
- B. Project manager
- C. Risk owner
- D. Project sponsor

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 442

- (Topic 4)

Joan is the program manager for her organization. Throughout the program life cycle there will be several elements, resources, and benefits that can be transitioned from her program to the organization. What document defines how these things can be transferred from the program to the organization?

- A. Program transition agreement
- B. Program scope statement
- C. Operational transfer alliance plan
- D. Program milestone list

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 446

CORRECT TEXT - (Topic 4)

You are the program manager for your organization and you are trying to determine the possible outcomes of a risk event. You're analyzing the risk event's worst case scenario, most likely scenario, and optimistic scenario to simulate the possible affects of the risk on the program's cost, time, and scope ramifications. What simulation technique are you using in this situation?

- A. Decision tree analysis
- B. Force field analysis
- C. Monte Carlo simulation
- D. Sensitivity analysis

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 447

- (Topic 4)

Which project management meeting allows stakeholders to meet one another and to learn about the project?

- A. Project kick-off meeting
- B. Project authorization meeting
- C. Project status meeting
- D. Project scope review

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 452

- (Topic 4)

Which of the following is described in the statement given below?

"It serves as the primary input for the Plan Program Stakeholder Management process, as well as for the distribution of program reports and other communication."

- A. Governance plan
- B. Organizational chart
- C. Program scope statement
- D. Stakeholder register

Answer: D

NEW QUESTION 454

- (Topic 4)

You are the program manager for your organization and are working on gathering the requirements for a new solution and mission statement. There are several instances in the stakeholder pool where the stakeholders and their manager are being queried on possible requirements. You worry that the subordinates may have requirements, ideas, and suggestions to offer but they may be not submitting their thoughts because they do not want to contradict their managers. You believe you need a method to gather all requirements without the stakeholders having any fear of retribution. Which one of the following allows you to anonymously gather iterations requirements and still allow for all stakeholders to review what has been submitted in an attempt to find consensus?

- A. Focus groups
- B. Web surveys
- C. Delphi Technique
- D. Workshops

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 456

- (Topic 4)

As a Program Manager, you decide to take the team on an outing where they can work together through challenges, learn teamwork, and get to know one another. This is an example of what process?

- A. Storming
- B. Forming
- C. Team development
- D. Cost of quality

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 459

- (Topic 4)

Who owns the program?

- A. Project manager
- B. Program director
- C. Program sponsor
- D. Program manager

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 462

- (Topic 4)

You are the program manager for your organization. You have proposed a program that will cost \$750,000 and will last for four years. Management is concerned with the cost of the program in relation to the return your program will bring. If the rate of return is six percent what is the minimum value your project should return in four years based on the investment of the program?

- A. \$750,001
- B. \$946,857
- C. \$795,000
- D. \$750,000

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 466

- (Topic 4)

Part of program management is to identify what motivates your program team members. If you subscribe to Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs which need is at the top

of the hierarchy?

- A. Esteem
- B. Physiological
- C. Self actualization
- D. Safety

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 471

- (Topic 4)

An organization is considering a new program. The business analyst believes that the benefits to the organization would equate to \$1,550,000 in five years. If the rate of return for this program is six percent what is the maximum amount the organization should invest in this program?

- A. \$1,158,250
- B. It depends on the internal decision making process.
- C. \$1,550,000
- D. \$2,074,249

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 475

- (Topic 4)

You work as a program manager for a large construction program. Your program includes constructing hotels across the country. You collect information on the status of the program. During comparison with the original plan you find the 200 hotels have been completed as against 275 hotels planned as of today. In which program process are you working on?

- A. Monitor and Control Program Scope
- B. Monitor and Control Program Schedule
- C. Monitor and Control Project Performance
- D. Manage Program Issues

Answer: C

NEW QUESTION 479

- (Topic 4)

What is another term that can be assigned to the pre-program analysis and research to determine if a program should be initiated?

- A. Program charter creation
- B. Feasibility study creation
- C. Business case creation
- D. Program scope statement definition

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 483

- (Topic 4)

Which of the following terms is used for a schedule compression technique where two activities that were previously scheduled to start sequentially start at the same time?

- A. Fast tracking
- B. Compressing
- C. Float
- D. Crashing

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 485

- (Topic 4)

You are the program manager for your organization and management has asked you to be certain to finalize the lessons learned documentation for your program. When will the lessons learned documentation be created?

- A. Lessons learned are created at each program deliverable.
- B. Lessons learned are created during the program closure.
- C. Lessons learned are created during the program archive.
- D. Lessons learned are in program execution.

Answer: B

NEW QUESTION 487

- (Topic 4)

Rick is a Program Manager for a large construction program. The program contains four projects. Stakeholders have requested for some changes that will change the scope of the program. Rick needs to monitor and control program scope. He is required to analyze the change request with detailed deliverables, acceptance criterion, and the work of the program. Which of the following documents will help him for this?

- A. Program scope statement
- B. Project charter

- C. Program performance report
- D. Program charter

Answer: A

NEW QUESTION 488

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