

77. The following favour ulcerative colitis over Crohn's disease

- A. Smoking is protective
- B. More common in women than in men
- C. Has two peaks, between 25-40 and around 70 years
- D. In the UK is more common than ulcerative colitis
- E. Present with transmural inflammation

78. The following are causes of adynamic intestinal obstruction except

- A. Paralytic ileus ✓
- B. Pseudo-obstruction ✓
- C. Mesenteric vascular occlusion
- D. Uraemia
- E. Bezoar ✗

79. The following are symptoms of anal fissure except

- A. Pain on defecation ✓
- B. Bright red bleeding ✓
- C. Mucus discharge ✓
- D. Constipation ✓
- E. Tenderness on rectal examination ✗ *sign not symptom*

80. Regarding colonic polyps

- A. Metaplastic polyps are pre-malignant
- B. Adenomatous polyps are pre-malignant
- C. Villous adenomas are more common than tubular adenomas ✗
- D. Genetic mutations can result in epithelial metaplasia
- E. Most carcinomas are not associated with polyps ✗

81. Regarding colorectal carcinomas

- A. About 40% present as surgical emergencies ✗ *slow growing*
- B. Right sided tumours often present with a change in bowel habits ✗ *20% em. I/O/rectorif*
- C. 10% of the tumours can be reached with a flexible sigmoidoscope.
- D. Duke's B tumour has lymph node metastases ✗
- E. Duke's B tumour has liver metastases ✗

A - Bowel wall
B - pain, weight
C - L.H.
D - metast.