

Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh

EXAMINATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

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TROPICAL MEDICINE

1. What are the characteristics of the virus of rabies? What action would you take in the case of a person bitten by an animal in a country where rabies is present?
2. Discuss the aetiology and distribution of relapsing fever. How would you treat a patient suffering from this disease?
3. What instructions would you give to a person visiting a tropical country for the first time to aid him in avoiding the risk of incurring malaria, paying particular attention to personal and domestic measures?
4. What diseases are caused by the 'Brucella group' of organisms? What are the symptoms and diagnosis of these fevers?