**HUMAN SEXUALITY & GENDER**

Gender consists of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The development of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is influenced by androgens and estrogens. Prenatal hormones may exert a biological biasing effect that combines with social factors to influence psychosexual development.

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\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Social factors are especially apparent in learned gender identity and the effects of sex roles. Sex role socialization accounts for most \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Psychological androgyny is related to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

"Normal" sexual behavior is defined differently by various cultures. There is little difference in male and female sexual responsiveness. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ refers to whether a person is heterosexual, homosexual, or bisexual. A combination of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, and psychological influences combine to produce one's sexual orientation.

Attitudes toward sexual behavior have grown more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, but actual changes in behavior have been more \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. During the last 20 years there has been a steady increase in the incidence of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, which has altered patterns of sexual behavior.

**QUIZ**

1. Physical differences between males and females can be divided into … and … sexual characteristics.

2. The development of sexual characteristics is influenced by androgens ( … sex hormones) and estrogens ( … sex hormones).

3. On most psychological dimensions, men and women are more … than they are … .

4. Evidence suggests that females tend to be more oriented toward … and males tend to be more oriented towards … .

a) people, feelings b) feelings, people

c) objects, people d) people, objects

5. Greater personal adaptability is related to:

a) femininity b) masculinity c) androgyny