

Reading 10A: *Living Longer*

Choose the best answer for each question.

GIST

1. The passage focuses mainly on the effect of _____ on the length of lifespan.
 - a. diet
 - b. exercise
 - c. stature
 - d. genes

DETAIL

2. A year or so after this passage was written, there might be as many as _____ centenarians living in Molochio.
 - a. four
 - b. six
 - c. eight
 - d. ten

DETAIL

3. What does the author say about the Laron people mentioned in the passage?
 - a. They all live in Ecuador.
 - b. None of them have ever developed cancer.
 - c. They often live to an advanced age.
 - d. They appear to be older than their age.

DETAIL

4. Which person has done research with healthy elderly people?
 - a. Victor Rivera
 - b. Eric Topol
 - c. Domenico Romeo
 - d. Salvatore Caruso

DETAIL

5. The oldest person mentioned in the passage was _____.
 - a. from Calabria
 - b. one of the Laron people
 - c. one of the "welllderly"
 - d. a Japanese-American from Oahu