Listening Practice 2.3

Listen carefully to the audio recording. You will hear a monologue related to a real-life pharmaceutical context. After listening, answer all 7 multiple-choice questions (MCQs) based on what you heard.

1. Why is a medication substitution being requested for Siti Amina?

- A. She is allergic to her usual medication
- B. Her usual inhaler is out of stock
- C. She requested a cheaper brand

2. What medication is being recommended as a substitute?

- A. Ventolin Inhaler
- B. Beclometasone Inhaler
- C. Symbicort Turbuhaler

3. What are the two active ingredients in Symbicort?

- A. Budesonide and formoterol
- B. Salbutamol and ipratropium
- C. Fluticasone and salmeterol

4. What specific difficulty does the doctor mention Siti might face with the new inhaler?

- A. Managing the taste of the medication
- B. Understanding the dosage timing
- C. Inhaling quickly and forcefully due to coordination issues

5. What is the prescribed dosage for the substituted medication?

- A. One inhalation twice daily
- B. Two inhalations twice daily
- C. Two inhalations once daily

6. What is a possible side effect mentioned that requires patient counselling?

- A. Chest pain
- B. Oral thrush
- C. High blood pressure

7. What should the pharmacist do if the patient struggles with the Turbuhaler?

- A. Change the medication immediately
- B. Inform the doctor for reassessment
- C. Ask the patient to try harder

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