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Quiz: Save Lives, Sell Organs

Directions: Select the answer that best completes the sentence.

1) The number of people waiting for kidneys exceeds 100,000 because ______.

- A) it is illegal to donate organs to family members
- B) there are not enough doctors to perform surgeries
- C) people in need of transplants don't put themselves on the list to receive a new kidney
- D) not enough people have signed up as organ donors
- 2) Philosophy Professor Sam Kerstein said that poor people from other countries are the most likely to sell their organs and will be hurt by the U. S. legalizing organ sales because
 - A) they will not be able to afford organs
 - B) they usually don't have the best doctors
 - C) selling their organs will shorten their lives and cause psychological problems
 - D) people might try to kill them and sell their organs

3) The only country that currently allows organ sales is ______.

- A) Afghanistan
- B) Iran
- C) Iraq
- D) Ukraine
- 4) Law Professor Lloyd Cohen, who advocates legalizing organ sales, said that the only reason that organ sales are not legal is that ______.

A) there is no way to regulate it

- B) there are not enough doctors to perform transplants
- C) there are not enough people who support legalizing it because they see it as immoral
- D) hospitals make too much money on services such as dialysis
- 5) "Organs that could restore people to health and extend life are instead being buried and burned." This quote suggests that ______.
 - A) one option is to allow the sale of a person's organs upon his or her death
 - B) it is better to bury or cremate a person intact than to remove body parts first
 - C) doctors are not doing enough to help people who need organ transplants

D) people don't care about anyone other than themselves

Save Lives, Sell Organs – Answer Key:

- 1. D
- 2. C
- 3. B
- 4. C
- 5. A