## **ORAL HEALTH IN PREGNANCY – answers**

## Substitute underlined word with a synonym or a word with similar meaning from the GLOSSARY section

- 1. <u>Women who want to become pregnant</u> should treat all decayed teeth before their pregnancy. **trying for a baby women**
- 2. Regular dental <u>visits</u> are recommended in pregnant women. check-ups
- <u>Good</u> and well- balanced diet is necessary in pregnancy not only to ensure proper development of the child but also it is <u>important</u> for maintaining good dental health. Proper, crucial
- 4. Proper oral health <u>advising</u> is the first step in preventing gum disease in pregnant women. **counseling**
- 5. Some women have premature labour because of periodontitis. preterm birth
- 6. Women are <u>more likely</u> to develop gum disease during pregnancy. **at higher risk**
- 7. Prostaglandin is known to *initiate* labour. **induce**
- 8. If expecting women do not follow proper oral hygiene, gingivitis may <u>develop</u> into more advanced condition. **progress**

## Connotations. Choose word from the table which may be connected with all words from the bracket.

- 1. (diet, nutrition, oral health): proper
- 2. (change, consequence): irreversible
- 3. (oral cancer, diabetes, hypertension): to be at risk for
- 4. (develop oral cancer, suffer from diabetes): to be likely to
- 5. (labour, pain, labour pains): to induce
- 6. (well-being, development, progress): to endanger
- 7. (problem, decision, way of treatment): to consider

## Match questions with answers

