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Thirsty World: The Global Challenge of Access to Clean Water

Multiple Choice Questions

1. Approximately how many people worldwide lack access to clean and safe drinking water?
 - a) 500 million
 - b) 1 billion
 - c) 2 billion
 - d) 5 billion

2. What is a significant challenge for people who lack access to clean water sources?
 - a) Distance to water sources
 - b) Lack of education
 - c) Overuse of clean water
 - d) Excessive rainfall

3. Which of the following is NOT a factor contributing to water scarcity and contamination?
 - a) Inadequate infrastructure
 - b) Climate change
 - c) Access to financial resources
 - d) Contaminated water sources

4. What is one consequence of consuming contaminated water?
 - a) Increased physical fitness
 - b) Improved immune system
 - c) Waterborne diseases
 - d) Stronger bones

5. What role do educational programs play in improving access to clean water?
 - a) They teach people how to waste water
 - b) They promote the importance of proper sanitation and hygiene practices
 - c) They encourage water pollution
 - d) They discourage water conservation

