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Fungal Foes: Exploring Examples of Pathogenic Fungi

Multiple Choice Questions

1. What type of infection can result from an overgrowth of *Candida albicans*?
 - A) Respiratory infection
 - B) Urinary tract infection
 - C) Skin infection
 - D) Gastrointestinal infection

2. Which genus of mold can cause allergic bronchopulmonary aspergillosis?
 - A) *Candida*
 - B) *Aspergillus*
 - C) *Cryptococcus*
 - D) *Histoplasma*

3. How is *Cryptococcus neoformans* typically transmitted to humans?
 - A) Through mosquito bites
 - B) Through contaminated food or water
 - C) Inhalation of spores
 - D) Direct contact with infected individuals

4. What condition is commonly known as ringworm?
 - A) Histoplasmosis
 - B) Aspergillosis
 - C) Candidiasis
 - D) Tinea infection

5. Where is *Histoplasma capsulatum* commonly found?
 - A) In soil contaminated with bird or bat droppings
 - B) On the skin and mucous membranes
 - C) In the gastrointestinal tract
 - D) In water sources

