**REVIEW 16.3: Schizophrenia**

The Swiss Guards are blocking his way, but Trevor insists that he be let in: “I am the Pope,” he says.

Trevor is experiencing a 1____________________, which is a common symptom of 2____________________.

Other symptoms include the following:

- The voices Trevor hears that tell him he is Pope and that he must “say the Mass this morning” are auditory 3____________________.
- Trevor also laughs hysterically when the Guard points a gun at him, thus exhibiting 4____________________ emotions.

Given the presence of odd behaviors, Trevor’s symptoms are considered 5____________________ (positive/negative), and they seem to indicate that he has 6____________________ schizophrenia.

Trevor has been in and out of psychiatric hospitals since he was a teenager, indicating that he suffers from 7____________________, or process, schizophrenia and that his chances of recovery are 8____________________ (good/poor).

Researchers have proposed several explanations for schizophrenia.

One explanation involves low brain activity in the 9____________________ and a noticeable decline in the brain waves that reflect 10____________________ neural firing.

An alternative explanation suggests that a midpregnancy 11____________________ infection impairs brain development in the fetus.

Schizophrenia is largely influenced by genetic and biochemical factors, but extreme stress often triggers the disorder, which indicates that 12____________________ also plays a role in its onset.

Answers may be found in the Appendix at the end of this booklet.