



# Quiz Answers

## Module 2: Oral Assessment of Long Term care Residents

1. A white coating on the tongue or roof of the mouth is probably caused by what?

**Candida/yeast**

2. Name two common places for cancer to occur in the mouth.

**Floor of the mouth      Tongue**

3. Name three signs that the mouth is too dry.

**Dry, cracked lips (esp. corners)**

**Fissured tongue**

**Red inflamed gums**

**Thick, ropey saliva**

**Tongue blade sticks to tongue**

4. Residents with dementia should be encouraged to do as much of their own mouth care as possible.                      **True**      **False**

5. What if a resident is angry and refuses care?

**Don't force it. Try again later when the resident may feel better.**