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Germ Matching

Match the answers from the right column with the clues in the left column.

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| 1. This is the best way to prevent the spread of germs. | A. Antibiotics |
| 2. You need to get this vaccination every year. | B. <i>Candida auris</i> |
| 3. These are the minimum infection prevention practices that should be used in the care of all patients | C. <i>Clostridium difficile</i> |
| 4. This is a yeast that can lead to invasive infections. | D. Hand Hygiene |
| 5. This is sometimes referred to as the “stomach flu” even though it isn’t a flu. | E. Hepatitis C |
| 6. This “ancient” disease has seen a recent comeback. | F. Influenza |
| 7. Antibiotics can cause this gut germ to grow out of control. | G. Measles |
| 8. Adults born between 1945 and 1956 should get screened for this disease. | H. Norovirus |
| 9. Using these improperly may cause superbugs to grow. | I. Standard Precautions |
| 10. This vaccine-preventable disease has seen upticks in recent years. | J. Tuberculosis |

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Answer Key

1. D, 2. F, 3. I, 4. B, 5. H, 6. J, 7. C, 8. E, 9. A, 10. G