Assessment Bites and Stings

Name Key

TRUE OR FALSE

1. Insect bites can be very serious.	T
2. People can have severe allergic reactions to bites.	T
3. Swelling and closing of the throat happens with minor bites.	F
4. People who experience nausea or vomiting after an insect bite should drink lots of water.	F
5. Remove an insect stinger by pulling it out with your fingers.	F
6. Wash insect bite areas with soap and water.	T
7. Calamine lotion of hydrocortisone are helpful when bitten.	T
8. To treat a snake bite, cut the skin of the area bitten.	F
9. It is OK to scratch bitten areas if they itch.	F
10. You should not cover a bitten area so it will heal quickly.	F