**Identify the fallacies committed in the following passages. Fallacies come from chapter 10 (causal fallacies).**

1. Tagging by graffiti artists has become a terrible problem in recent years. Obviously our schools are stifling the creative spirit of these young people.

2. Today, all of us can look forward to a longer life span than our parents and grandparents. Obviously we owe our thanks to the dedication of our nation’s pharmaceutical companies who spend millions of dollars to develop exciting new drug treatments to sustain our good health.

3. Attempts to outlaw pornography threaten basic civil rights and should be summarily abandoned. If pornography is outlawed, censorship of newspapers and news magazines is only a short step away. After that there will be censorship of textbooks, political speeches, and the content of lectures delivered by university professors. Complete mind control by the government will be the inevitable result.

4. The only policy that effectively reduces public shootings is right-to-carry laws. Allowing citizens to carry concealed handguns reduces violent crime. In the 31 states that have passed right-to-carry laws since the mid-1980s, the number of multiple-victim public shootings and other violent crimes has dropped dramatically. Murders fell by 7.65%, rapes by 5.2%, aggravated assaults by 7%, and robberies by 3%.

5. I believe in the miracle of prayer. My grandfather was diagnosed with cancer and my family prayed for her day and night and a month later her cancer miraculously went into remission.