

# Flex Therapist CEUs

## Alabama Jurisprudence: A Guide for Physical Therapists and Assistants

**1. What concept refers to respecting and promoting the right of patients to make informed decisions about their own healthcare?**

- A. Beneficence
  - B. Autonomy
  - C. Non-Maleficence
  - D. Justice
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**2. Which concept illustrates a physical therapist providing patients with comprehensive information about their condition and treatment options ?**

- A. Informed Consent
  - B. Patient Individuality
  - C. Non-Maleficence
  - D. Justice
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**3. Which ethical principle is related to promoting the well-being and best interests of the patient?**

- A. Beneficence
  - B. Autonomy
  - C. Non-Maleficence
  - D. Justice
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**4. Which of the following is not included in the concept of non-maleficence?**

- A. Do No Harm
  - B. Monitoring for Adverse Effects
  - C. Creating Individualized Treatment
  - D. Providing Equitable Care
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**5. Which ethical principle involves providing fair and equitable distribution of resources, opportunities, and access to healthcare services?**

- A. Beneficence
  - B. Autonomy
  - C. Non-Maleficence
  - D. Justice
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**6. Compliance with what act is essential for maintaining patient confidentiality?**

- A. Confidentiality Act
  - B. HIPAA
  - C. AL Physical Therapy Practice Act
  - D. APTA Guidelines
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**7. Which type of codes represent services provided by physical therapists?**

- A. ICD 10 Codes
  - B. HIPAA Codes
  - C. CPT Codes
  - D. APTA Codes
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**8. This act prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, or national origin.**

- A. Americans with Disabilities Act
  - B. Rehabilitation Act of 1973
  - C. Civil Rights Act of 1964
  - D. Affordable Care Act of 1967
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**9. Physical therapists are not mandated to report suspected abuse or neglect in which of the following populations?**

- A. Children
  - B. Elders
  - C. Individuals with Disabilities
  - D. Women
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**10. Which type of law deals with disputes between individuals or entities, often involving claims for compensation?**

- A. Civil Law
  - B. Criminal Law
  - C. Mixed Law
  - D. Physical Therapy Law
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**11. What type of law is involved when a physical therapist is given penalties like probation or imprisonment?**

- A. Civil Law
  - B. Criminal Law
  - C. Mixed Law
  - D. Physical Therapy Law
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**12. The principle of the Code of Ethics that states "Physical therapists shall be accountable for making sound professional judgments" is backed by which of the following concepts?**

- A. Professional Duty
  - B. Altruism
  - C. Compassion
  - D. Caring
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**13. Which of the following concepts from the Guide for Professional Conduct is defined as the act of putting your own needs behind the needs of another?**

- A. Autonomy
  - B. Altruism
  - C. Professional Duty
  - D. Compassion
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**14. Which of the following would be grounds for a PTA to report a colleague to management?**

- A. Explained Absences
  - B. Missing a Continuing Education Course
  - C. Colleague Impairment
  - D. High Caseload
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**15. Which of the following is not a core biomedical ethical obligation?**

- A. Beneficence
  - B. Autonomy
  - C. Non-Maleficence
  - D. Competence
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**16. Which of the following is grounds to report a licensee in the state of Alabama?**

- A. Alcohol Consumption
  - B. Excessive Drug Use
  - C. Prolonged Absence with Reason
  - D. Use of Prescribed Drugs
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**17. Which is not an aspect of the professional scope of practice of a PTA in Alabama?**

- A. Operating solely under the guidance of a physical therapist licensed to practice in the State of Alabama.
- B. Assisting with patient disability evaluations but refraining from independently conducting them.
- C. Conducting discharge visits at the discretion of a physical therapist.

D. Overseeing other supportive personnel as directed by the physical therapist.

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**18. When is a physical therapist allowed to perform an evaluation without a referral?**

- A. To a child with a diagnosed developmental disability pursuant to the plan of care for the child.
  - B. To a patient of a home health care agency pursuant to the plan of care for the patient.
  - C. To a patient in a nursing home pursuant to the plan of care for the patient.
  - D. At the discretion of the physical therapist
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**19. What document outlines the regulations and guidelines governing the practice of PT in Alabama?**

- A. Alabama Board of Physical Therapy Administrative Code
  - B. Alabama Physical Therapy Practice Act
  - C. APTA Practice Act
  - D. Alabama Code of Conduct
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**20. In response to a physical therapist who repeatedly makes inappropriate comments to patients, which of the following actions would the Alabama Board not take?**

- A. License Probation
  - B. Ethics Education
  - C. Inquiring for Factual Evidence
  - D. Practice Monitoring
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