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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

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

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

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

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

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

7. Which type of codes represent services provided by physical therapists?

- A. ICD 10 Codes
- B. HIPAA Codes
- C. CPT Codes
- D. APTA Codes

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

15. Which of the following is not a core biomedical ethical obligation?

- A. Beneficence
- B. Autonomy
- C. Non-Maleficence
- D. Competence

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

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.

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

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

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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