

National Association of Social Workers (NASW) Post-Test

Ethical Considerations in Brain Injury Rehabilitation

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1. Which of the following statements is false in regard to positive ethics?
 - a. Positive ethics is simply doing the minimum that is necessary to avoid accusations of ethical misconduct.
 - b. A positive ethics approach emphasizes the importance of aspiring to the highest ethical principles of ethical practice.
 - c. Positive ethics represents a shift away from remedial ethics to a voluntary commitment to pursuing ethical ideals, motivated by deeply held moral principles.

2. With regard to positive ethics, what is the primary responsibility and obligation of all practitioners?
 - a. Take steps to promote exemplary behavior throughout professional activities & careers, not just when faced with ethical challenges.
 - b. Integrate personal ideals with professional lives.
 - c. Both a. and b.

3. Remedial ethics is the term used for the ethical approach that is in contrast to _____ ethics.
 - a. Negative
 - b. Positive
 - c. Popular
 - d. Stratified

4. Ethics are not divorced from the rest of life, but are integral to professional and personal living – _____, _____ and _____ are all involved in ethical practice.

- a. Decision making, list making, reasoning
- b. Thinking, feeling, acting
- c. Professionalism, work ethic, business attire
- d. Family, friends, co-workers

5. Clinicians should use _____ professional, ethical and legal resources, including ethics committees and colleagues in the decision-making process.

- a. Multiple
- b. No more than two
- c. No more than three
- d. Exactly two

6. Consequentialism and _____ are two key frameworks of clinical decision making. True/False

- a. Diversion
- b. Deontology
- c. Ecology
- d. Dosology

7. Compassion, _____ and _____ are three cardinal virtues in the health care practice that set the conditions for our ethical work. True/False

- a. Decision making, wisdom
- b. Hope, training
- c. Wisdom, hope
- d. Hope, decision making

8. It is important to document the ethical decision-making process for the following reasons:

- a. To clarify options.
- b. To facilitate reasoning.
- c. To provide evidence if these efforts are later requested during an investigation.
- d. All of the above.

9. Ethical challenges _____ involve(s) just one principle or standard.

- a. Usually
- b. Always
- c. Can't
- d. Never

10. Clinical ethical concerns are essentially concerns to 'do the right thing with respect to other people'.

True False

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