

Module 5 Ethics of Preceptorship and Supervision

Chapter 8 (.1 CEUs)

Learner Outcomes

Participants will be able to:

- a. Recognize legal and ethical considerations in serving as a clinical preceptor
- b. Recognizes the legal and ethical considerations in serving as an employee supervisor

Learner Assessment tool

Please circle the correct answer

- 1. An affiliation agreement between the university and preceptor serves to provide information about expectations, responsibilities, and methods of terminating the relationship.
 - a. True
 - b. False
- 2. The academy supports the use of the term "AuD candidate" as it reflects a first-professional degree better than the term "graduate student."
 - a. True
 - b. False
- 3. Medicare law does not allow for reimbursement for services that students provide unless there has been 100% direct, over the shoulder supervision of the student.
 - a. True
 - b. False
- 4. Payment of preceptors by a university is disallowed in our code of ethics.
 - a. True
 - b. False
- 5. Preceptors accepting student gifts is ethical so long as the gift is valued at less than \$100
 - a. True
 - b. False
- 6. Dual-relationships with patients (e.g. dating a patient) is disallowed; however, as long as facility personnel rules are followed, close personal relationships with students is considered acceptable so long as it is within the confines of mutual respect.
 - a. True
 - b. False
- 7. Chapter 8 takes which view?
 - a. Audiology assistant's title and role must be clear to patients in all cases
 - b. So long as the audiologist maintains direct responsibility for the services provided, the title of the service provider is of minimal importance

- 8. An audiologist is ethically responsible for ensuring that a replacement is found before leaving a job, so that no patients go untreated.
 - a. True Patient needs must be of paramount importance
 - b. False While it is professional to give adequate notice, one need not stay until a replacement is hired
- Professional recommendations, for either students or for employees, are routinely given on request from a prospective employer, regardless of whether the student/employee authorizes that reference. It is the professional responsibility of the preceptor/supervisor to provide this recommendation honestly and candidly, regardless of the wishes of the student/employee.
 - a. True Concerns for the welfare of patients who would potentially be seen in the new employment setting is the overriding concern
 - b. False Privacy rights of the student / employee take precedence. The candid recommendation should only be given if the student/employee has authorized that information release
- 10. Why is ASHA CCC retention advantageous for preceptors?
 - Because students who wish to become certified after graduation must demonstrate to ASHA that they had 1820 clock hours of supervised practicum under a preceptor who maintains ASHA CCC
 - b. Because it is unethical to practice unless one possesses all possible credentials, and unethical to demonstrate unethical behavior to students
 - c. Because the CCC-A ensures that the preceptor has kept current in all areas of audiology continuing education
 - d. All of the above