|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 1. Beneficence means:   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Altruism that is inherent in the professional role. | |  | b. | The moral imperative to enhance clients’ well-being. | |  | c. | The receiving of benefits from social programs. | |  | d. | Going beyond the typical policy advocate role. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | b | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 2. Policy-sensitive practice occurs:   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | When social workers make professional recommendations with sensitivity to their clients’ economic, social, and policy realities. | |  | b. | When social workers directly intercede, as advocates, with other agencies on behalf of a client. | |  | c. | When social workers act as case managers. | |  | d. | When professional advocates consult directly with legislators. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | a | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 3. Which of the following is a type of policy-related service?   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Case advocacy. | |  | b. | All of the choices are policy-related services. | |  | c. | Brokerage. | |  | d. | Liaison. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | b | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 4. Which of the following is necessary when performing a policy-related activity?   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Helping a client to overcome feelings of insecurity. | |  | b. | Identifying policies that exacerbate the suffering of a client. | |  | c. | Connecting a client with an agency or network. | |  | d. | Empowering a client to assert his or her rights. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | c | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 5. How is policy advocacy justified from an ethical standpoint?   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Social workers are more moral than the average population. | |  | b. | Social workers are obliged to ensure that some clients receive more opportunities than others. | |  | c. | Inequalities within society are morally objectionable. | |  | d. | Intellectual challenges should not play a part in social policy. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | c | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 6. In A Theory of Justice, John Rawls argues that by imagining internal arrangements through the “veil of ignorance,” we conclude that:   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Society should allow only those inequalities that will preserve or further the common good of society. | |  | b. | Members of society should perpetuate their own personal economic well-being, even if others do not share in it. | |  | c. | Most people would take a chance on being stuck in the lower reaches of a relatively in-egalitarian society. | |  | d. | If we do not want to live in inner-city areas without adequate health care and other amenities, we should pick up and move elsewhere. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | a | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 7. A social worker should liaison with an advocacy group in order to:   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Implement affirmative action policies. | |  | b. | Initiate a project. | |  | c. | Assist a specific vulnerable population. | |  | d. | Join the NASW. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | c | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 8. Traditional social work values, such as social justice and fairness:   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Require social workers to become policy advocates. | |  | b. | Create effective clinicians. | |  | c. | Help determine treatment planning for direct service clients. | |  | d. | Promote agency involvement in client difficulties. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | a | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 9. An eclectic approach to ethical reasoning argues that moral and ethic principles, practical considerations, cultural norms, and the results of empirical data should ALL be considered.   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | True | |  | b. | False |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | True | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 10. Liberals are more likely than conservatives to want to:   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Support roles for state and local governments. | |  | b. | Support free-market approaches, such as vouchers. | |  | c. | Support additional taxes for social programs. | |  | d. | Use the economic regulatory powers of the government to address problems in the workings of the private markets. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | d | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 11. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ believe in the effectiveness of the private markets.   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Conservatives | |  | b. | Radicals | |  | c. | Liberals | |  | d. | All of the choices are correct. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | a | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 12. The NASW Code of Ethics:   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Makes policy advocacy an optional activity. | |  | b. | Focuses only on such issues as confidentiality. | |  | c. | Requires all social workers to engage in policy advocacy. | |  | d. | Limits policy advocacy to macro practitioners in social work. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | c | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 13. Utilitarians believe that:   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Scientific data has no connection to social policy making. | |  | b. | When creating social policy, ethical and moral choices are more important than economic factors. | |  | c. | It is important to be objective and not let personal circumstance influence decision making. | |  | d. | Policies should be supported by research and social science. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | d | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 14. Social workers need to engage in policy practice because:   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | The Code of Ethics strongly encourages it. | |  | b. | They often bring distinctive viewpoints to the process. | |  | c. | They have to advocate for their self interests. | |  | d. | All of the choices are correct. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | b | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 15. Empirical research:   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Is concrete and dependable. | |  | b. | Should be scrutinized as it can sometimes be misleading. | |  | c. | Is based on applied theory. | |  | d. | Is considered a dated tool no longer used in policy practice. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | b | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 16. Which of the following is NOT one of the four rationales for policy advocacy?   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | The political rationale. | |  | b. | The analytic rationale. | |  | c. | The liberal rationale. | |  | d. | The electoral rationale. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | c | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 17. Nonparticipation in the voting process:   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Is a vote for the values of those who do participate. | |  | b. | Provides more affluent members of society with more power. | |  | c. | Can put low-income persons at a disadvantage in the voting process. | |  | d. | All of the choices are correct. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | d | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 18. Which strategies are social workers more likely to suggest?   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Competitive strategies. | |  | b. | Cooperative strategies. | |  | c. | Power strategies. | |  | d. | Economic strategies. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | b | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 19. It is important to vote so that:   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | Sympathetic legislators are part of government. | |  | b. | Social workers will be part of the legislative chamber. | |  | c. | The president will make social policy a priority. | |  | d. | The media will publicize favorable policies. |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | a | |

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 20. Social policy advocates must concentrate their efforts on one rationale that they feel most strongly about.   |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | |  | a. | True | |  | b. | False |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | *ANSWER:* | False | |