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MONTANA CHIROPRACTIC JURISPRUDENCE EXAMINATION

This is an open book exam. A passing score of 75% is required for licensure.

Section 1 contains 20 true/false questions.

Section 2 contains 20 questions each that describe actions that are in violation of the Montana Code Annotated (Statutes) and Administrative Rules of Montana (Rules). Any of these violations can lead to **SUSPENSION, REVOCATION or other sanction of the chiropractor's license**. From the set of answers provided for each question, mark the answer of the most applicable statute or rule.

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SECTION 1 - Each question is worth 2 points

Mark each question True or False

1. TRUE FALSE An applicant for licensure must submit a completed application. A complete application does not require exam scores from the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners (NBCE).
2. TRUE FALSE Licensees can sign birth and death certificates.
3. TRUE FALSE A temporary permit is granted to all applicants upon application.
4. TRUE FALSE Complaints filed against a licensee for violation of a statute or rule must be filed with the Montana Chiropractic Association.
5. TRUE FALSE Licensees must be renewed annually by date of birth.
6. TRUE FALSE The Montana Chiropractic Association appoints the members to serve on the Board of Chiropractors (Board).
7. TRUE FALSE The Board requires 15 hours of continuing education annually to qualify for license renewal.
8. TRUE FALSE Six continuing education credits can be accumulated and carried over from one renewal year to the next.
9. TRUE FALSE To qualify as an impairment evaluator, the licensed chiropractor must have been in active practice in Montana for five years.
10. TRUE FALSE Applicants for licensure must have graduated from a chiropractic college approved by the Board.
11. TRUE FALSE Chiropractors may diagnose, palpate and treat the human body by the application of manipulative, manual, mechanical, dietetic methods, including chiropractic physiotherapy, the use of supportive appliances, diagnostic x-ray, minor surgery, and analytical instruments.
12. TRUE FALSE The board will issue a license to a person licensed in another state without requiring passage of the license examination upon determining the other state's current license standards are substantially equivalent to or greater than Montana's.
13. TRUE FALSE Chiropractic in Montana does not include surgery, the prescription or use of drugs, or needle acupuncture.
14. TRUE FALSE It is unprofessional conduct for a chiropractor to engage in verbal or physical sexual harassment against anyone in the chiropractic clinic.
15. TRUE FALSE A lapsed license that is not renewed within one year of the most recent renewal date automatically terminates.
16. TRUE FALSE A licensee having an impairment evaluator endorsement is required to take six hours of specialized CE every four years in addition to the CE required for the underlying chiropractic license.
17. TRUE FALSE Having a physical or mental disability that renders the licensee unable to practice chiropractic with reasonable skill and safety is considered unprofessional conduct and could lead to license revocation.
18. TRUE FALSE A chaperone must be present at all times a patient is examined and treated intra-rectally.
19. TRUE FALSE A license must be renewed annually. All applicants for renewal who have not paid the renewal fee on or before the renewal date shall pay a late fee.
20. TRUE FALSE An impairment rating must be based on the current edition of the Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders.

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**SECTION 2 - Each question is worth 3 points (please mark only one answer)
Section 2 contains 20 questions each that describe actions that are in violation of the Montana Code Annotated (Statutes) and Administrative Rules of Montana (Rules). Any of these violations can lead to SUSPENSION, REVOCATION or other sanction of the chiropractor's license. From the set of answers provided for each question, mark the answer of the most applicable statute or rule.**

1. A chiropractor recommends 35 treatments for a simple cervical strain/sprain, clearly more than warranted by the patient's condition.

<input type="checkbox"/> a. 24.126.2301(1)(f)	<input type="checkbox"/> b. 24.126.2301(1)(g)
<input type="checkbox"/> c. 24.126.2301(1)(o)	<input type="checkbox"/> d. 37-1-317(3)

2. A licensed chiropractor is advertising a permanent cure for any condition.

<input type="checkbox"/> a. 37-1-316(13)	<input type="checkbox"/> b. 24.126.2301(1)(g)
<input type="checkbox"/> c. 37-1-316(5)	<input type="checkbox"/> d. 24.126.2301(1)(o)

3. A licensee performing emergency chiropractic services discovered that a patient exposed him to an infectious disease.

<input type="checkbox"/> a. 50-16-702	<input type="checkbox"/> b. 50-16-1004
<input type="checkbox"/> c. 50-16-525	<input type="checkbox"/> d. 37-12-322

4. A chiropractic doctor refers patients to other health care providers or facilities in exchange for a referral fee.

<input type="checkbox"/> a. 24.126.2301(1)(a)(ii)	<input type="checkbox"/> b. 24.126.2301(1)(c)
<input type="checkbox"/> c. 24.126.2301(1)(e)	<input type="checkbox"/> d. 24.126.2301(1)(d)

5. When randomly audited for yearly continuing education requirements, a chiropractor submits only 10 hours of CE for that year, believing a licensee could carry over 2 extra hours from the previous renewal period.

<input type="checkbox"/> a. 24.126.511(2)	<input type="checkbox"/> b. 24.126.701(1)
<input type="checkbox"/> c. 24.126.904(1)	<input type="checkbox"/> d. 24.126.2103(4)

6. A licensed chiropractor enters into a written contract with a patient for 12 adjustments over the next 12 months, the balance to be paid in full before the first adjustment. The contract states that if the patient discontinues services with the chiropractor, all funds are forfeited by the patient.

<input type="checkbox"/> a. 24.126.2301(1)(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> b. 24.126.2301(1)(p)
<input type="checkbox"/> c. 24.126.2301(1)(r)	<input type="checkbox"/> d. 24.126.2301(1)(h)

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7. A chiropractor holding a temporary permit treats patients without the supervision of an on-premises licensed chiropractor.
- a. 24.126.507(1) b. 24.126.2301(1)(g)
- c. 24.126.704(1) d. 24.126.704(4)
8. A chiropractor has an advertisement that implies that the chiropractor is a medical doctor.
- a. 37-1-316(4) b. 37-1-316(16)
- c. 24.126.2301(1)(i) d. 37-12-104(1)
9. A chiropractic doctor advertises in the newspaper that the doctor has a certification for a procedure that is not approved by the Board.
- a. 37-1-320 b. 24.126.2301(1)(a)(i)
- c. 24.126.2301(1)(p) d. 24.126.2301(1)(a)(iii)
10. A licensee performs breast examinations on all new female patients as standard procedure.
- a. 24.126.2301(1)(b) b. 24.126.2301(1)(c)
- c. 24.126.2301(1)(j) d. 24.126.2301(1)(o)
11. A license candidate has another person take the jurisprudence exam in the candidate's place.
- a. 24.126.504(1) b. 24.126.901(5)
- c. 37-1-316(2) d. 24.126.2301(1)(m)
12. A licensee, under false pretenses, makes statements against another licensed chiropractor or health professional.
- a. 24.126.2301(1)(a)(ii) b. 50-16-528(2)
- c. 24.126.2301(1)(q) d. 24.126.2301(1)(d)
13. A chiropractic doctor allows an assistant to treat and bill for chiropractic services under the licensee's name and license.
- a. 24.126.411(1) b. 24.126.2301(1)(u)
- c. 37-1-316(15) d. 37-1-316(16)
14. A chiropractor is under the influence of alcohol while adjusting a patient.
- a. 24.126.2301(1)(n) b. 37-1-320
- c. 37-1-316(13) d. 37-2-302

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15. Dr. John Doe has a new patient that was unhappy with the care received from another chiropractor in town. Dr. Doe requested records and x-rays from the colleague who refused to provide copies of the records.
- a. 24.126.411 b. 24.126.511
- c. 50-16-541 d. 24.126.2301(1)(o)
16. A chiropractor has a consensual sexual relationship with a patient a month after the chiropractor-patient relationship was terminated.
- a. 37-12-103 b. 24.126.2304(2)
- c. 24.126.2301(1)(c) d. 37-1-320
17. A licensee sees a new patient who was in a car wreck and suffered a minor whiplash injury to the cervical spine. Knowing that private insurance cases pay well and that he will be billing the offending driver's insurance, the chiropractor decides to bill the highest EM code, then bills a 5 region manipulation, EMS, ultrasound, trigger point therapy and extremities for every visit. The next day, another car wreck case comes in but there is no insurance involved. Considering there will be no insurance payments on the second patient, the chiropractor charges the patient a flat rate of \$30 per visit.
- a. 24.126.2301(1)(b) b. 24.126.2103(1)
- c. 24.126.2301(1)(r) d. 24.126.2301(1)(f)
18. A licensee smokes marijuana while out with friends one night. Later, the police conduct a traffic stop, find a small bag of marijuana in his car, and arrest him. The chiropractor is subsequently convicted of possession of an unlawful substance.
- a. 37-12-103 b. 37-12-101(3)
- c. 37-1-316(1) d. 37-12-104(1)
19. A chiropractor examines a 19 year old woman with low back pain. Before obtaining lumbar x-rays, he asks the woman if she might be pregnant. She confirms that she is 3 months pregnant. The woman's mother comes in for treatment and talks about how she dislikes her daughter's boyfriend and wouldn't be surprised if her daughter was pregnant. Without thinking, the doctor tells her that her daughter is pregnant.
- a. 37-12-104(2) b. 50-16-541(1)
- c. 37-1-316(17) d. 37-1-316(9)
20. When applying for a Montana chiropractic license by endorsement an applicant reports no adverse actions against any previous license. During the application process, another state's license verification discloses the applicant's license was revoked due to sexual misconduct.
- a. 37-1-316(3) b. 37-12-103
- c. 37-1-316(15) d. 37-1-317(b)

END OF EXAMINATION