

## MONTANA BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY EXAMINERS JURISPRUDENCE EXAMINATION

(To pass this examination you must score at least 90%) **\$25.00 RETAKE FEE**

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Taken: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE SELECT EITHER "T" FOR TRUE OR "F" FOR FALSE FOR EACH QUESTION.**

- T  F  1. Topical medications obtained from one patient may not be used in treatment of another patient.
- T  F  2. If an examination candidate fails the NPTE (National Physical Therapy Examination), a temporary license will not be extended while the applicant is waiting to retake the exam.
- T  F  3. Twenty hours of continuing education is required biennially for the renewal of the physical therapy and physical therapist assistant license.
- T  F  4. As provided by rule, unprofessional conduct includes sexual misconduct, failing to adequately supervise staff and violating child abuse reporting requirements.
- T  F  5. All applicants for licensure or renewal must report any legal or disciplinary actions against them.
- T  F  6. A written complaint of suspected violation of the Physical Therapy statutes or rules specifying the grounds for the complaint may be filed with the Board.
- T  F  7. A supervising physical therapist must make an onsite visit to patients at least once for every 10 visits made by a physical therapy assistant.
- T  F  8. A maximum of 10 credits from online or correspondence course is allowed per reporting period.
- T  F  9. A physical therapy student or physical therapy assistant student may practice without the onsite supervision of a licensed physical therapist.
- T  F  10. If a foreign-trained physical therapist has a valid unrestricted license in the United States jurisdiction in which he or she is currently practicing, he or she is not required to have his or her educational credentials evaluated by a board-approved credentialing agency to become licensed in Montana.
- T  F  11. All continuing education credits/hours may be obtained online as long as the courses meet the current rule requirements.
- T  F  12. "Direct supervision" means the supervising physical therapist or physical therapist assistant is onsite (on the premises physically) and immediately available for direction and supervision when a physical therapy aide is performing specified patient-supportive tasks.
- T  F  13. Physical therapy evaluation includes the administration, interpretation and evaluation of tests and measurement of bodily functions and structures.
- T  F  14. A licensed physical therapist may not concurrently supervise more than four aides or the equivalent or two assistants and two aides or the equivalent.

- T  F  15. Unauthorized representation of oneself, orally or in writing, as a licensed physical therapist may result in a misdemeanor charge.
- T  F  16. Failure to receive a renewal notice shall release the licensee from the obligation to make a timely renewal.
- T  F  17. Continuing education coursework may be live, by correspondence, video conferencing, internet, or be satellite-based.
- T  F  18. The Montana Chapter of the APTA governs, controls the functions of, and elects members to the Montana Board of Physical Therapy Examiners.
- T  F  19. The ultimate responsibility for physical therapy care rendered by a physical therapist assistant rests with the supervising physical therapist.
- T  F  20. A copy of the written prescription from an authorized licensed medical provider specifying the topical medication to be applied and the method of application must be retained in the patient's physical therapy medical records.
- T  F  21. The Board of Physical Therapy may establish a screening panel to determine whether there is reasonable cause to believe that a licensee has violated a particular statute or rule.
- T  F  22. The Board may refuse to license any applicant who is, in the judgment of the Board, guilty of practicing physical therapy or practicing as an assistant beyond the scope and limitation of the person's training and education.
- T  F  23. A physical therapist may not evaluate and treat a patient without a referral in Montana.
- T  F  24. A licensee may reactivate a lapsed license within 45 days after the April 1 renewal date.
- T  F  25. The licensee shall display their current license in a conspicuous place in the principal office where they practice physical therapy.