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Clinical Supervision for Social Workers

- 1. According to the Association of Social Work Boards and National Association of Social Workers Best Practices in Clinical Supervision publication, which of the following is not a domain that describes the activities of supervision?
- A. Educational
- B. Supportive
- C. Informational
- D. Administrative
- 2. Clinical supervision provides all of the following except:
- A. Protection for clients
- B. Assurance for organizations and agencies
- C. Support for practitioners
- D. Ensuring social workers are competent and uphold their standards
- 3. What agency determines the amount of hours a supervisee needs for their advanced license?
- A. The National Association of Social Workers
- B. The State Social Work Licensing Board
- C. The Association of Social Work Boards
- D. The Department of Public Health
- 4. The common techniques used in individual clinical supervision include all of the following except:
- A. Group processing
- B. Verbal self-report
- C. Audio and/or video recording
- D. Live observation
- 5. What is one limitation of verbal self-reporting in individual clinical supervision?
- A. It should not be used with direct observation methods.
- B. The supervisor may receive incomplete information from the supervisee.
- C. Role-playing is always used, which can make supervisee's uncomfortable.
- D. The supervisee shares complete information and accurately desribes their skills.

6. Which of the following is not a risk management strategy for liability?

- A. Screening a supervisee before agreeing to start the supervision relationship.
- B. Having a mutually agreed upon contract that outlines all aspects of the supervision process.
- C. Documenting the supervision session separate from the supervisee.
- D. Providing regular updates to the social work board about what you are discussing in supervision.

7. In what situation can a supervisor ethically share personal information with a supervisee?

- A. When they have a difficult case and need to process how they feel about it.
- B. When it supports the goals supervision.
- C. When their manager gives them permission.
- D. When it is most beneficial for the supervisor.

8. What type of platform should be used if a supervisor is conducting clinical supervision virtually?

- A. A platform that works well with their internet connection.
- B. A social media platform.
- C. An online education and training platform.
- D. A HIPAA compliant platform.

9. Which of the following is not a strength of psychotherapy-based models?

- A. They promote growth and change.
- B. They can model therapeutic approaches.
- C. They are standardized and easy to use.
- D. They help supervisee's better understand their client's experience in therapy.

10. One limitation of developmental models of supervision is:

- A. They can be specialized to one type of clinical practice.
- B. They do not consider the learning style of the supervisee.
- C. They have the potential to blur boundaries between the supervisor and supervisee.
- D. They do not consider social work practice laws and regulations.

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