



Disability Awareness Quiz

1. *Mental retardation, a developmental disability, is legally defined as a condition that appears before age 18 in which intelligence is significantly below average.*
 - a. True
 - b. False

2. *Developmental disabilities include children who have an IQ...*
 - a. Between 76-80
 - b. Below 70
 - c. Between 81-85
 - d. Below 80

3. *Most causes related to developmental disabilities are categorized under...*
 - a. Genetic conditions
 - b. Substance abuse
 - c. Early childhood diseases
 - d. All of the above

4. *Community programs in which adults with developmental disabilities live are usually called supported living or small group home programs.*
 - a. True
 - b. False

5. *The appointment of a guardian is a legal proceeding designed to...*
 - a. Protect individuals from abuse and neglect
 - b. Protect individuals from exploitation
 - c. Provide for individual's care and the appropriate management of their property
 - d. All of the above

6. *How many people living in the state of Alabama have developmental disabilities?*

- a. 3,000
- b. 6,000
- c. 9,000
- d. 12,000

7. *People with developmental disabilities are productive, contributing citizens when provided with necessary supports.*

- a. True
- b. False

8. *How much training in the area of developmental disabilities do law enforcement officers often receive?*

- a. 20 hours of training in basic academy
- b. 10 hours of training on the job
- c. little or no training
- d. 1 week of intensive training

9. *How long will a person with developmental disabilities need support and services?*

- a. Never, their family will care for them.
- b. Until they are 18
- c. Until they are 21
- d. Throughout the individual's life.

10. *When a program like The Arc of the Shoals assists persons with developmental disabilities, the person gains....*

- a. Self-sufficiency
- b. Greater self-esteem
- c. Inclusion within their community
- d. All of the above

Answers: 1) **a** 2) **b** 3) **d** 4) **a** 5) **d** 6) **d** 7) **a** 8) **c** 9) **d** 10) **d**

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