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(passing score is 80%)

**Substituted Consent/ Decision Making Policy Test for DSPs**

1. When a person receives services from DDA, that person should also have a guardian for decision-making. True \_\_\_ False \_\_\_
2. The definition of \_\_\_\_\_ is: the mental ability to understand the nature and consequences of a decision and the ability to communicate that decision clearly.  
(a) an advance health care directive, (b) durable power of attorney, (c) capacity or (d) a petition.
3. Information about a person's capacity can be found in the psychological assessment, healthcare passport, and ISP. True \_\_\_ False \_\_\_
4. A guardian is appointed by court order and should have a copy of the appointment order to show to provider or hospital staff to access records or visit the individual. True \_\_\_ False \_\_\_
5. The least restrictive decision making alternatives include full and limited guardianship. True \_\_\_ False \_\_\_
6. The law allows a \_\_\_\_\_ to help an individual with medical decision-making without being a guardian. (a) family member/relative, (b) close friend, (c) advocate, (d) all of the above.
7. All information regarding substitute consent/ decision-making for persons served by DDA should be documented in the ISP and MCIS. True \_\_\_ False \_\_\_
8. If a person has the capacity to select someone that he/ she would like to ask to help with substitute decision making, the team should try to honor that person's wishes as much as possible. True \_\_\_ False \_\_\_
9. The team should review and determine the person's needs for decision-making during:  
(a) Initial/ new ISP, (b) annual ISP, (c) immediately for emergencies or (d) all of the above.
10. Team members, including DSPs, should contribute to information about a person's daily decision-making abilities and based on that information, the team should consider whether the psychological assessment needs to be updated. True \_\_\_ False \_\_\_