

**Module 5**  
**Ethics of Preceptorship and Supervision**  
Chapter 8  
(.1 CEUs)

**Learner Outcomes**

Participants will be able to:

- a. Recognize legal and ethical considerations in serving as a clinical preceptor
- b. Recognizes the legal and ethical considerations in serving as an employee supervisor

**Learner Assessment tool**

Please circle the correct answer

1. An affiliation agreement between the university and preceptor serves to provide information about expectations, responsibilities, and methods of terminating the relationship.
  - a. True
  - b. False
2. The academy supports the use of the term “AuD candidate” as it reflects a first-professional degree better than the term “graduate student.”
  - a. True
  - b. False
3. Medicare law does not allow for reimbursement for services that students provide unless there has been 100% direct, over the shoulder supervision of the student.
  - a. True
  - b. False
4. Payment of preceptors by a university is disallowed in our code of ethics.
  - a. True
  - b. False
5. Preceptors accepting student gifts is ethical so long as the gift is valued at less than \$100
  - a. True
  - b. False
6. Dual-relationships with patients (e.g. dating a patient) is disallowed; however, as long as facility personnel rules are followed, close personal relationships with students is considered acceptable so long as it is within the confines of mutual respect.
  - a. True
  - b. False
7. Chapter 8 takes which view?
  - a. Audiology assistant’s title and role must be clear to patients in all cases
  - b. So long as the audiologist maintains direct responsibility for the services provided, the title of the service provider is of minimal importance

8. An audiologist is ethically responsible for ensuring that a replacement is found before leaving a job, so that no patients go untreated.
  - a. True - Patient needs must be of paramount importance
  - b. False - While it is professional to give adequate notice, one need not stay until a replacement is hired
  
9. Professional recommendations, for either students or for employees, are routinely given on request from a prospective employer, regardless of whether the student/employee authorizes that reference. It is the professional responsibility of the preceptor/supervisor to provide this recommendation honestly and candidly, regardless of the wishes of the student/employee.
  - a. True - Concerns for the welfare of patients who would potentially be seen in the new employment setting is the overriding concern
  - b. False - Privacy rights of the student / employee take precedence. The candid recommendation should only be given if the student/employee has authorized that information release
  
10. Why is ASHA CCC retention advantageous for preceptors?
  - a. Because students who wish to become certified after graduation must demonstrate to ASHA that they had 1820 clock hours of supervised practicum under a preceptor who maintains ASHA CCC
  - b. Because it is unethical to practice unless one possesses all possible credentials, and unethical to demonstrate unethical behavior to students
  - c. Because the CCC-A ensures that the preceptor has kept current in all areas of audiology continuing education
  - d. All of the above