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One Hour of General CLE Credit Test 86

Powers of Attorney in Elder Law

- **1.** The principal is always considered the client when an agent seeks legal advice under a power of attorney.
 - A. True
 - **B.** False
- 2. Under NRS 49.045, who is defined as a client?
 - **A.** A person who pays for legal services.
 - **B.** A person who is rendered professional legal services by a lawyer.
 - **C.** A person who consults a lawyer with a view to obtaining professional legal services.
 - **D.** Both B and C.
- **3.** An attorney has a duty to report suspected financial abuse by an agent if the attorney believes the agent is breaching its fiduciary duty.
 - A. True
 - **B.** False
- **4.** If an agent is financially exploiting a vulnerable principal, what action can an attorney take according to NRPC 1.14?
 - **A.** Report the agent to the police.
 - **B.** Withdraw from representation.
 - **C.** Take protective action, including seeking the appointment of a guardian.
 - **D.** All of the above.
- **5.** What must an attorney ascertain when presented with a power of attorney?
 - **A.** The validity of the power of attorney.
 - **B.** The extent of the agent's authority.
 - **C.** Both A and B.
 - **D.** Neither A nor B.

- **6.** NRPC 1.14 allows an attorney to take protective action if a client with diminished capacity is at risk of substantial harm.
 - A. True
 - B. False
- 7. When can an attorney reveal information about a client with diminished capacity under NRPC 1.14?
 - **A.** With the client's informed consent.
 - **B.** To prevent reasonably certain death or bodily harm
 - **C.** When the lawyer's services were used to commit a criminal act.
 - **D.** All of the above.
- **8.** An attorney can rely on the agent's assertions regarding the validity of the power of attorney provided they lack actual knowledge of its nullity.
 - A. True
 - **B.** False
- **9.** Nevada law criminalizes the abuse, neglect, or exploitation of individuals aged 60 or older.
 - A. True
 - B. False
- **10.** What duty does NRPC 1.14 impose on lawyers regarding clients with diminished capacity?
 - **A.** To withdraw representation immediately.
 - **B.** To maintain a normal client-lawyer relationship as far as reasonably possible.
 - **C.** To report all activities to the authorities.
 - **D.** To disclose all information to family members.

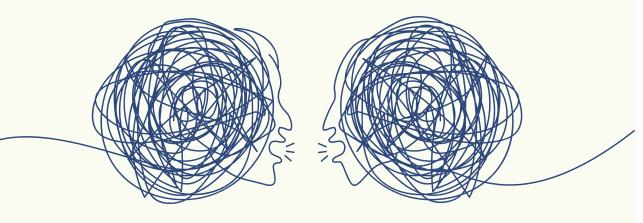
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