Washington State Department of Health
Animal Massage Practitioner
Credentialing
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Washington State Jurisprudence Examination for Animal Massage Practitioner Certification

1. Which of the following techniques is not within the scope of practice of a certified animal massage practitioner?
   a. Compressions.
   b. Acupuncture involving the use of needles.
   c. Swedish gymnastics or movements.
   d. Connective tissue stretching.

2. Washington State certified animal massage practitioners are required to maintain records of animal massage services for a minimum of:
   a. Seven years.
   b. Ten years.
   c. Three years.
   d. Eight years.

3. A certification to practice as an animal massage practitioner must:
   a. Be kept on the licensee's person at all times.
   b. Be certified and kept on file at the licensee's county courthouse.
   c. Be conspicuously displayed in the primary place of practice and a copy available when providing animal massage services at locations other than their primary place of practice.
   d. Be on file with the licensee's employer.

4. Which of the following is considered unprofessional conduct?
   a. Providing false information when applying for a license.
   b. Misrepresentation or fraud in any aspect of the conduct of the business or profession.
   c. False or misleading advertising.
   d. All of the above.

5. When does a certified animal massage practitioner renew their license?
   a. Annually on the birth anniversary.
   b. Every 2 years.
   c. Every 3 years.
   d. Every 5 years.

6. Unprofessional conduct by a certified animal massage practitioner may result in:
   a. Revocation or suspension of registration.
   b. Remedial education.
   c. Censure or reprimand.
   d. All of the above.

7. If the certified animal massage practitioner suspects that an animal has an injury or condition that may require veterinary care, the practitioner must:
   a. Examine the animal to determine the nature of the condition.
   b. Recommend a course of treatment to the client.
   c. Do nothing.
   d. Advise the client of the suspected injury or condition and make a notation in the animal's record.

8. Records of animal massage services must include:
   a. Name, address, and telephone number of the owner or authorized agent.
   b. Name or other identification of the animal.
   c. Description of the animal's condition and the nature of the massage services provided.
   d. All of the above.

9. Which of the following is not required to be furnished to the client in the Client Information Form?
   a. The animal massage practitioner's qualification.
   b. A description of the animal being treated.
   c. A statement that the certified animal massage practitioner is limited to providing massage solely for purposes of animal well being.
   d. A statement that clarifies the services that may not be performed by a certified animal massage practitioner.

10. Where is the Client Information Form maintained?
    a. It is released to the client following animal massage services.
    b. It is posted in the primary place of business.
    c. A copy of the signed information form must be maintained in the animal's record.
    d. There is no requirement to maintain the Client Information Form.

11. If the animal massage practitioner certification has expired for more than five years, in addition to other standard requirements for reinstatement, a practitioner must also:
    a. Complete an additional 100 hours of training.
    b. Submit verification of active practice in any other state or jurisdiction, or retake and successfully pass the examination required for original certification.
    c. Complete six months of supervised experience under a currently certified animal massage practitioner.
    d. Complete an additional 25 hours of training.

12. Dishonest or unethical treatment of patients is deemed unprofessional conduct:
    a. Depending on the license holders intent.
    b. Whether or not a crime has been committed.
    c. Only after harm or injury to patients has been demonstrated.
    d. Only after criminal behavior has been established in a court of law.
13. Applicants for license must reveal:
    a. All material facts.
    b. Any past, current or future criminal charges or convictions.
    c. Only violations of professional misconduct.
    d. All information two years prior to application.
14. When the disciplinary authority requests information regarding a complaint, the license holder must:
    a. Respond in person.
    b. Obtain legal counsel.
    c. Respond within five working days.
    d. Furnish in writing a complete explanation.
15. An individual who in good faith files a complaint against an animal massage practitioner charging unprofessional conduct is:
    a. Immune from any civil or criminal action suit related to the complaint.
    b. Required to appear in person at every hearing related to the complaint.
    c. Entitled to the full refund of any payment for animal massage services rendered.
    d. Entitled to compensation in the amount of the designated civil penalties.
16. A person may not practice as a certified animal massage practitioner until:
    a. They have completed 300 hours of training.
    b. They have submitted an application to the Department for certification.
    c. They are registered with the Department of Revenue.
    d. They are issued an animal massage practitioner certification by the secretary.
17. Once certified, an animal massage practitioner may delegate any animal massage practitioner service to another person as long as:
    a. That person is located in the same office.
    b. The person is under the immediate supervision of the certified animal massage practitioner.
    c. A certified animal massage practitioner may not delegate services.
    d. That person has completed 300 hours of training.

18. It is the responsibility of each practitioner to maintain his or her correct name on file with the department. To change the name on file with the department, an individual must:
    a. Submit requests in writing along with acceptable documentation, including a copy of a marriage certificate, divorce decree or court order of legal name change.
    b. Send an email or fax to the department requesting a name change.
    c. Write the name change on the renewal card when completing the annual credential renewal.
    d. Telephone the department in person and advise of the name change.
19. Which of the following is considered unprofessional conduct:
    a. Current misuse of alcohol.
    b. Current misuse of controlled substances.
    c. Current misuse of legend drugs.
    d. All of the above.
20. Animal massage does not include which of the following:
    a. Stroking.
    b. Diagnosis of diseases.
    c. Swedish gymnastics or movements.
    d. Percussions.