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Ethics and Law for Psychologists: New York State Specific Regulations

1. What is the minimum number of continuing education (CE) hours required for psychologists in New York State every three years?

- A. 24
 - B. 30
 - C. 36
 - D. 48
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2. According to the Rules of the Board of Regents Part 29, which of the following constitutes unprofessional conduct?

- A. Consulting with peers about a client case
 - B. Practicing outside the scope of competence
 - C. Maintaining accurate and timely records
 - D. Participating in continuing education
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3. What framework is recommended for resolving ethical dilemmas in New York State psychological practice?

- A. Koocher and Keith-Spiegel's 8-Step Model
 - B. HIPAA Standards Model
 - C. DSM-5 Checklist
 - D. APA Membership Guide
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4. Which law in New York State mandates psychologists to report suspected child abuse?

- A. Education Law Article 153
 - B. Rules of the Board of Regents Part 29
 - C. Social Services Law §413
 - D. Mental Hygiene Law §33.13
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5. What is the legal status of dual relationships in New York psychological practice?

- A. They are always permitted
 - B. They are permitted if documented
 - C. They are ethical if consent is obtained
 - D. They are prohibited when harmful or exploitative
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6. Which regulation outlines the curriculum standards for psychology doctoral programs in New York?

- A. Part 52.10 of the Commissioner's Regulations
 - B. Mental Hygiene Law §33.13
 - C. APA Practice Guidelines
 - D. Education Law §7605
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7. What legal standard protects client confidentiality specifically in New York State?

- A. HIPAA
 - B. Mental Hygiene Law §33.13
 - C. Part 29.2 of Regents Rules
 - D. FERPA
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8. In New York, psychologists are prohibited from:

- A. Practicing with a limited permit
 - B. Using telehealth services
 - C. Providing supervision to interns
 - D. Prescribing medications
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9. What is one of the primary purposes of maintaining ethical boundaries in clinical settings?

- A. To improve billing efficiency
 - B. To protect the psychologist's privacy
 - C. To foster trust and client safety
 - D. To limit clinical creativity
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10. Which document defines what constitutes psychological practice in New York State?

- A. Mental Hygiene Law §9.45
 - B. Education Law Article 153
 - C. HIPAA regulations
 - D. Part 72 of the Commissioner's Regulations
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11. What must psychologists in NYS document for CE compliance?

- A. Client consent forms
 - B. Consultation logs
 - C. Proof of completed CE hours from NYSED-approved providers
 - D. All therapy session videos
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12. What term best describes engaging in a personal or financial relationship with a client?

- A. Boundary maintenance
 - B. Dual relationship
 - C. Peer consultation
 - D. Informed consent
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13. Which regulation mandates documentation be retained for six years or until a minor turns 22?

- A. Commissioner's Regulation §72.2(c)
 - B. HIPAA
 - C. APA Code of Ethics
 - D. Education Law §6506
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14. A psychologist providing teletherapy must ensure what?

- A. No CE credit is offered
 - B. Clients are seen in person once a month
 - C. Use of HIPAA-compliant digital platforms
 - D. Sessions are not documented
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15. According to the APA, what is a foundational ethical principle?

- A. Profitability
 - B. Deference to insurance policies
 - C. Administrative efficiency
 - D. Beneficence and Nonmaleficence
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16. What does Part 29 of the Regents Rules specifically address?

- A. Graduate school admissions
 - B. Continuing education topics
 - C. Unprofessional conduct by licensed psychologists
 - D. Statewide health insurance policy
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17. Psychologists in NY must avoid _____ when posting clinical stories online.

- A. Citations
 - B. Confidentiality breaches
 - C. Advertisements
 - D. Hashtags
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18. If a client expresses suicidal ideation, what is an immediate ethical action?

- A. End the session
 - B. Call the client's employer
 - C. Perform a risk assessment and safety plan
 - D. Ignore the statement until next session
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19. Which standard is most related to accurate recordkeeping?

- A. Standard 6.01
 - B. Standard 3.05
 - C. Standard 2.01
 - D. Standard 9.08
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20. Ethical frameworks like Rest's model emphasize what?

- A. Legal licensing
 - B. Moral sensitivity and character
 - C. Technological fluency
 - D. Insurance negotiation
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21. Psychologists practicing while impaired may be disciplined under which provision?

- A. Part 29.2(a)(11)
 - B. Education Law §6507
 - C. Title VIII, Article 153
 - D. Part 29.1(b)(10)
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22. Koocher & Keith-Spiegel's model emphasizes what final step?

- A. Confront the client
 - B. Avoid documentation
 - C. Reflect and document
 - D. Call legal services
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23. Who regulates psychology licensure in New York?

- A. Board of Regents and NYSED
 - B. American Medical Association
 - C. NYS Health Department
 - D. US Department of Labor
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24. In what situation can psychologists disclose client information without consent?

- A. If the client fails to pay
 - B. When required by law or to prevent serious harm
 - C. To family members on request
 - D. To colleagues for curiosity
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25. The minimum age to apply for NY psychologist licensure is:

- A. 18
 - B. 30
 - C. 25
 - D. 21
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26. When treating minors, psychologists must consider:

- A. Only parental preferences
 - B. Cultural stereotypes
 - C. The minor's autonomy and parental rights
 - D. School district priorities
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27. A psychologist's use of culturally inappropriate assessments may violate:

- A. Standard 9.06
 - B. Standard 1.02
 - C. Standard 2.03
 - D. Standard 4.04
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28. Which law defines the role and requirements for limited permits?

- A. §7605 of Education Law
 - B. Part 29 of Regents Rules
 - C. Mental Hygiene Law §33.13
 - D. Title VI of Civil Rights Act
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29. Sexual relationships with current clients are:

- A. Acceptable with written consent
 - B. Encouraged after six sessions
 - C. Prohibited as unprofessional conduct
 - D. Allowed if the client initiates
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30. Under what law are psychologists mandated reporters?

- A. FERPA
 - B. Social Services Law §413
 - C. ADA
 - D. Education Law §6507
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