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(passing score is 80%)

Alternatives to Guardianship Test

I. True or False: Answer whether 'True' or 'False' (5 points each = 25 points)

1. **T or F:** People with developmental disabilities can make and give input to daily and life changing decisions. _____
2. **T or F:** You must have capacity to choose a Durable Power of Attorney (including Durable Power of Attorney for Healthcare). _____
3. **T or F:** Parents automatically maintain the designation as legal guardian when their child turns 18 years old. _____
4. **T or F:** You should always explore the most restrictive options first. _____
5. **T or F:** There are several options to consider before requesting the Court to appoint a general guardian. _____

II. Multiple Choice: Answer the question with the correct choice (10 points each = 50 points)

6. If an individual is found "incapacitated" in one or more areas of decision-making:
 - a. Decisions will be made for them by the provider agency.
 - b. An alternative should be found to help with decision making.
 - c. The parents are always responsible for making all decisions.
 - d. None of the above.

Answer: _____

7. Someone appointed by the courts to make decisions on the behalf of another person is called a(n):
 - a. Accountant
 - b. Direct Support Professional
 - c. Guardian
 - d. Advocate

Answer: _____

8. Alternatives to full guardianship include getting support to:

- a. Provide healthcare, food, shelter, clothing, and personal hygiene
- b. Manage financial resources
- c. Both (a) and (b)
- d. None of the above

Answer: _____

9. Options for a substitute decision maker include?

- a. Spouse or domestic partner
- b. Close friend
- c. Adult child
- d. All of the above

Answer: _____

10. A conservator helps by:

- a. Appearing in court as an individual's legal counsel.
- b. Helping with the cooking and cleaning of an individual's supervised apartment.
- c. Taking care of individual's money.
- d. All of the above

Answer: _____