

PROGRAM ONE

A brief history of Human Services to People with impairments

Questionnaire

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1. **What happens if the quality of a service slips?**
 - a. We make more money
 - b. The future of the service will be in doubt
 - c. The emotional level of people being supported will likely become heightened
 - d. Staff will be happier because things will be easier
 - e. B & C

2. **Historical perspective of people with intellectual impairments included**
 - a. Protecting “feeble minded” people from society
 - b. Protecting society from the “feeble-minded”
 - c. Ensuring they were kept together and away from others
 - d. Could be prevented from reproducing
 - e. Involved “measuring” people
 - f. All of the above

3. **What two events occurred at the turn of the Twentieth Century that enlarged the sense of societal danger**
 - a. WW1 and the Spanish Flu Epidemic
 - b. Invention of the IQ test
 - c. “Social Darwinism” and the rise of the Eugenics movement
 - d. Prohibition of alcohol in the USA & the rise of crime
 - e. Fascism and Communism

4. **Because of these historical ideas**
 - a. People were isolated from the rest of society
 - b. They were seen as lacking value
 - c. Were seen as menaces, endangering the rest of society
 - d. It led to dehumanization and high death rates
 - e. Conditions improved after the 1970’s towards what we have today
 - f. All of the above

5. **Three Reformers introduced new ideas to replace the poor historical ideas of how best support people. This was based on:**
 - a. Doing weird and strange things because people choose that
 - b. Autonomy and rights will deliver the best results
 - c. Listening to people and doing what they want
 - d. Treating people in ways consistent with how valued people are treated

6. **Some of the common stereotyped ideas of people that still exist include:**
- All are alike
 - That people occupy one or more “deviancy roles” (menace, eternal child, sick etc)
 - People are sweet and affectionate
 - They are good candidates for the armed service
 - They are super human for putting up with the rest of society treating them that way
7. **If people are first seen and then treated a certain way the person will likely:**
- Feel great in being affirmed
 - Hate everyone for being controlled
 - Perform according to the expectations of others and even begin to see themselves the way others do...”self-fulfilling prophecy”
 - None of the above.
8. **The ‘Dignity of Risk’ is**
- Being protected from harm
 - Following OH&S guidelines
 - The agency insurance that protects them from being sued
 - Facing an appropriate level of risk and growth
9. **How are the expectations from others communicated to people? (Finish writing the 6 role communicators starting with:**
- Settings,
 - _____
 - _____
 - _____
 - _____
 - _____
10. **If people descend into negative roles**
- They get to know who they really are
 - They enjoy themselves and make lots of friends
 - Are on the pension
 - Spend the rest of their lives trying to get out of these role
 - A,B & C.
11. **Hospital settings can be dangerous places for devalued people because**
- Hospitals are evil environments filled with awful staff
 - Death can occur there
 - They deal with matters of life and death and can see people as not worth treating
 - The drugs are powerful and the treatments dangerous