RBT ETHICS CODE

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The RBT Ethics Code

Mastering the BACB[®] Ethical Requirements for Registered Behavior Technicians[™]

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- Doing No Harm
 - Practicing within their area of expertise
 - Do you have the training for what you are being asked to do?
 - Does your supervisor have the proper training?
- Respecting Autonomy
 - Promoting independence
 - Are you teaching in a manner that will allow the client to eventually contact reinforcement in the natural environment?
- Benefiting Others
 - Understanding "who is the client"
- Being Just
 - Treating others fairly
 - Are you treating your client in a manner that you would want to be treated in time of need?
- Being Faithful
 - Being truthful, loyal, and ethical earns respect
 - Are you happy with the reputation you have as an RBT?
 - · With families? Colleagues? Agencies?

- According Dignity
 - Treating clients with respect and dignity
 - Are you giving your client choices, and allowing them to exercise their preferences when appropriate?
- Treating Others With Caring and Compassion
 - Respecting autonomy and working to benefit them
 - Do you care about your client's wellbeing?
- Pursuit of Excellence
 - Staying up-to-date with developments in the field
 - Are you keeping up to date with the new requirements for RBT's?
- Accepting Accountability
 - Treatment fidelity
 - Do you follow the treatment plans/programs as written and trained?

1.04 Integrity

 Your supervisor is obligated to tell you the truth about the quality of you work

1.07 No Exploitation

- Your supervisor should not create power differentials or ask you to do work that is not within your scope of practice
- 4.06 and 4.07 Limiting Conditions for Effective Treatment
 - You do not have to tolerate abuse or inappropriate treatment conditions
- 5.0 Supervision Rights
 - You are required to receive and document a monthly minimum of 5% quality supervision of the hours spent providing ABA services.
- 5.01 Supervisory Competence
 - You are entitled to a supervisor that is competent; ask questions when presented with treatment interventions
- 5.02 Supervisory Volume
 - You are entitled to a supervisor that can provide effective supervision and provides quality training, feedback and supervision.
- 5.03 Supervisor Delegations

- You should only take on tasks that are feasible and within your scope of training, knowledge and level of competence
- 5.04 Designing Effective Supervision and Training
 - You should receive supervision that is effective and produces competence and confidence during service delivery
- 5.05 Communication of Supervision Conditions
 - You should receive a supervision contract and understand all the terms of it; including the purpose, evaluation criteria and conditions of work, and terms of supervision
- 5.06 Providing Feedback to Supervisees
 - You should be receiving feedback on a regular basis in order to improve performance
- 7.01 Right to Work in an Ethical Environment

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