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HIPAA QUIZ

To be completed and returned by the end of orientation

1. Which of these does **NOT** describe HIPAA?
 - a. It is a federal law that provides for improved employee health plan access
 - b. It sets boundaries on the use and release of health records.
 - c. It creates national requirements for protecting and safeguarding patient medical and other related records.
 - d. It describes the proper method for CPT coding
2. Protected Health Information (PHI) is anything that connects a patient identifier to his or her health information.
 - a. True
 - b. False
3. Which of the following are examples of PHI?
 - a. Resident record
 - b. Date of birth
 - c. Employer
 - d. All of the above are examples of PHI
4. Federal penalties can be taken against BCS or an individual for PHI breaches.
 - a. True
 - b. False
5. When emailing information about a resident, staff should _____.
 - a. Make sure to send to the correct email address and to an encrypted email (not a gmail, Hotmail, yahoo, or AOL account)
 - b. Use a computer that many visitors can see and access
 - c. Use casual language and abbreviations wherever possible
 - d. Refer to the resident by his or her full name
6. Are members of the workforce who are not involved in a patient's care allowed to view the patient's chart out of curiosity?
 - a. Yes, the PHI may be viewed as long as the contents are not discussed publicly.
 - b. No, PHI should only be handled by healthcare providers directly involved in the patient's care.
7. Which of the following is an **INAPPROPRIATE** setting to discuss PHI with another authorized provider or patient's family member?
 - a. Alone in a private room
 - b. At a restaurant
 - c. Inside a patient's room
 - d. Between encrypted employee email accounts clearly stating expected confidentiality
8. Public Wi-Fi accessible at public places such as the local library or Panera Bread, is considered a secure networking system and therefore use of BCS iPad in those locations acceptable.
 - a. True
 - b. False