Ethics in the context of conduct norms the ethical principles described below as a basic guide to ethical conduct. Emphasis is on the pursuit of excellence, trustworthiness, honesty, integrity, professionalism, citizenship, respect, dignity, communication, collaboration, accountability, and social responsibility.

2. Act in a respectful manner and do not refuse to treat a client who is unable to pay for services; and use all available to the best of their knowledge and skills, and at the same time employ the appropriate intervention.

3. Be professionally and morally responsible for their own health and well-being.

4. Recognize the responsibility to share information in a useful and ethical manner.

5. Contribute to the development of the profession.

6. Refrain from harassment, abuse or exploitation.

7. Attend to their own health and well-being.

8. Respect the authority of the client's personal physician or other health care provider.

9. Provide adequate time to discuss with the client the nature and possible benefits and risks of the treatment and is not contraindicated.

10. Recognize the responsibility to inform the client of all possible intervention or treatment that may be required.

11. Use electronic communication and social media in a responsible, accountable, professional manner.

12. Use electronic communication and social media in a responsible, accountable, professional manner.

13. Take all reasonable steps to prevent harm to the body and mind of the client.

14. Take responsibility for the client care planning and management of the client's care.

15. Provide adequate time to discuss with the client the nature and possible benefits and risks of the treatment and is not contraindicated.

16. Practice collaboratively with colleagues, other health care providers, and others as required for the benefit of the clients.

17. Enhance their expertise through lifelong learning, the acquisition and refinement of knowledge, skills, abilities and professional behaviors.

18. Develop the adherence to ethical principles, guidelines, regulatory requirements that reflect the professional of physiotherapy.

A. RESPONSIBILITIES TO THE CLIENT

Members of the physiotherapy profession have an ethical responsibility to:

1. Demonstrate sensitivity toward individual clients, respecting and being sensitive to their values, beliefs, culture, goals, and environmental context.

2. Respect diversity and provide care that is culturally sensitive and respectful.

3. Act honestly, transparently and with integrity in decision-making that is in the best interests of the client, the public, the individual (self) and the profession.

4. Work effectively within the health care system and the health care system.

5. Communicate openly, honestly and respectfully with clients at all times.

6. Refrain from harassment, abuse or exploitation.

7. Assist with the development of the profession through research, teaching, and professional and business practices including client and other health care professionals.

8. Be professionally and morally responsible for their own health and well-being.

9. Respect the authority of the client's personal physician or other health care provider.

10. Respect confidentiality, privacy, and security of client information in all forms.

11. Use electronic communication and social media in a responsible, accountable, professional manner.

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B. RESPONSIBILITIES TO THE PUBLIC

Members of the physiotherapy profession have an ethical responsibility to:

1. Conduct and present themselves with integrity and professionalism.

2. Respect diversity and provide care that is culturally sensitive and respectful.

3. Assist with the development of the profession through research, teaching, and professional and business practices including client and other health care professionals.

4. Be professionally and morally responsible for their own health and well-being.

5. Respect the authority of the client's personal physician or other health care provider.

6. Respect confidentiality, privacy, and security of client information in all forms.

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C. RESPONSIBILITIES TO SELF AND THE PROFESSION

Members of the physiotherapy profession have an ethical responsibility to:

1. Conduct and present themselves with integrity and professionalism.

2. Respect diversity and provide care that is culturally sensitive and respectful.

3. Assist with the development of the profession through research, teaching, and professional and business practices including client and other health care professionals.

4. Be professionally and morally responsible for their own health and well-being.

5. Respect the authority of the client's personal physician or other health care provider.

6. Respect confidentiality, privacy, and security of client information in all forms.

7. Use electronic communication and social media in a responsible, accountable, professional manner.

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