**Competency 16.** Discuss any ethical considerations related to your behavioral intervention

A. Refer to BACB Guidelines and write a brief summary, indicating the ethical code and principle involved, with your case (e.g., Code 7.04 informed consent, 4.07 least restrictive procedures), and indicate what steps you took given the ethical guidelines.

 a. Consider confidentiality and consent

 b. Consider reliance on scientific knowledge

 c. Consider professional relationships

 d. Consider treatment efficacy

e. Consider environmental conditions that preclude or hamper

 implementation

 f. Consider use of reinforcers and avoiding harmful reinforcers.

g. Consider using least restrictive procedures

Some relevant sources:

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