

Critical Thinking Assignment

Identify and briefly summarize the case you have selected.

Identify the ethical issues raised in the case.

Explain in detail how you would apply each step of the ethical decision-making process to if you were handling the case as a human services professional.

Instructions:

Write a 3-4 page paper or about 1500 words, not including the title and reference pages, which are required.

The paper must be formatted correctly using APA style. Remember, all research material used in your paper must be paraphrased and include an in-text citation.

Your paper must be properly cited and formatted according to the CSU-Global Guide to Writing and APA.

Be sure you utilize your text appropriately as a reference and cite at least one other credible external reference such as a website or journal article to support your proposed resolution of the case.

Steps in Making Ethical Decisions

1. Identify the problem or dilemma
2. Identify the potential issues involved
3. Review the relevant ethics codes
4. Know the applicable laws and regulations
5. Obtain consultation
6. Consider possible and probable courses of action
7. Enumerate the consequences of various decisions
8. Choose what appears to be the best course of action

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