Empowering Service Providers on Dementia Related Family Issues

1. The “default rule” for health care decision-making says the patient’s spouse makes decisions.
   True:________ False:___ X_______

2. A general durable power of attorney is used to designate a health care decision-maker.
   True:________ False:___ X_______

3. The HIPAA regulations require everyone with Medicaid records to keep them private.
   True:________ False:___ X_______

4. Can a guardian make health decisions?
   Yes:___X_____ No:__________

5. Can a conservator make health decisions?
   Yes:________ No:___ X_______

6. Health decisions are made by the patient or his/her health agent after sufficient information is provided.
   True:___ X______ False:____________

7. The patient’s decision regarding health decisions should be followed even when family members disagree.
   True:___ X______ False:____________

8. A physician determines when someone lacks capacity to make decisions.
   True:________ False:___ X_______

9. If someone lacks capacity to make some decisions, then he or she lacks capacity to make all decisions.
   True:________ False:___ X_______

10. A properly executed Advance Directive for Health Care requires two independent witnesses or a notary.
    True:___ X______ False:__________