

Review Test Submission: Link: Respect for Persons Homework Assessment

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Question 1

2 out of 2 points



Respect for Persons ---

Which of the following statements are consistent with the Principle of Humanity? (Incorrect answers result in negative partial credit)

Selected

✓ A.

Answers:

It is not enough to take for granted that people are worthy of fundamental consideration.

✓ B.

According to Kant, people are worthy of respect because they are rational and autonomous beings who choose their own ends in life

✓ C.

In contrast to Utilitarianism, which maximizes the most good for the most people, even if some persons suffer negative consequences, Respect for Persons implies that it is not permissible to treat one or a few individuals as a mere means to an end.

✓ D.

Under the theory of Respect for Persons, the inviolable status of the individual leads to restrictions on the ethical choices others may make.

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Kant's theory of Respect for Persons could never be extended to sentient animals.

Question 2

2 out of 2 points



Respect for Persons ---

Kant's theory of Respect for Persons has been viewed as problematic because of the following:
(Incorrect answers result in negative partial credit)

Selected
Answers:

☒ C. It completely disregards the consequences of an action.

☒ D.

That persons are worthy of respect by virtue of having a soul which depends on specific beliefs that are not universally shared.

Answers:

A. It places greater emphasis on some duties than others.

B.

There are situations in which producing the best state of affairs may not be the morally correct choice.

☒ C. It completely disregards the consequences of an action.

☒ D.

That persons are worthy of respect by virtue of having a soul which depends on specific beliefs that are not universally shared.

Question 3

2 out of 2 points



Respect for Persons ---

Kant argued that some duties create a very special obligation (identified as Perfect Duties) such as not to lie, break promises, take a life or commit suicide.

Selected Answer: ☒ True

Answers: ☒ True
False

Question 4

2 out of 2 points



Respect for Persons ---

According to Kant there is a perfect duty to avoid causing harm but only an imperfect duty to help others.

Selected Answer: ☒ True

Answers: ☒ True
False

Question 5

2 out of 2 points



Respect for Persons ---

Kant argued that people have a duty to help others, seek their own happiness and develop their own talents. These duties, however, allow some flexibility such as how one helps others. These are called "imperfect duties".

Selected Answer: ☒ True

Answers: ☒ True
☐ False

Question 6

0 out of 0 points



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Selected Answer: ☒ True

Answers: ☒ True
☐ False

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