

ServSafe Alcohol Exam

T/F You may be charged with a crime simply for serving a guest who appears to be intoxicated. - True

T/F It is illegal to serve alcohol to a pregnant woman. - False

T/F Dram shop laws protect the server from being sued in the event that an intoxicated guest injures another individual. - False

T/F The state liquor authority can suspend an establishment's liquor license for allowing a minor to enter the establishment with a fake ID. - True

T/F All guests must be 21 years old to purchase alcohol. - True

What is the difference between Criminal Law and Civil Law? - Criminal Law - May face criminal charges if you break state, county, or municipal alcohol laws. (Criminal court)

Civil Law - Can be sued to pay damages to an injured guest if you contributed to the guest's injury or did nothing to prevent it. (Civil court)

Dram Shop Laws - - Allow a third party to sue for injuries caused by a guest who was drinking there.

- Allow third parties to sue business, employees, etc.
- Provide limits on money damages that can be awarded to third parties.

What are the three types of damages awarded? - Actual Damages
Compensatory Damages
Punitive Damages

How old do you need to be to purchase alcohol in all 50 states? - 21 years old

Who is alcohol authority? - State or municipal agency that enforces alcohol regulations and licensing laws.
- Often called ABC (Alcohol Beverage Control)

When are you allowed to serve alcohol? - 9AM - 2AM

How old do you have to be to serve alcohol? - 18 Years Old

State or municipal liquor authorities can issue citations for
a) drunk driving
b) serving a pregnant woman
c) serving alcohol to a minor
d) fighting in the establishment - C

Which is a role of the liquor authority?

- a) issue liquor licenses
- b) initiate law suits against drunk drivers
- c) issue citations to minors for presenting fake IDs
- d) initiate criminal charges against establishments who serve minors - A

Which is a criminal violation related to the sale and service of alcohol?

- a) serving alcohol to a minor
- b) failing to fill out an incident report
- c) firing a server who over-served a guest
- d) refusing to serve a guest who arrived intoxicated - A

Which situation best describes dram shop liability?

- a) a manager is fined for allowing the sale of drugs on the premises
- b) a server is fined by the liquor authority for serving alcohol to a minor
- c) a bartender is given jail time for serving a guest who appeared intoxicated
- d) a person sues the bartender who served the intoxicated guest who injured him - D

Which is a possible consequence for violating the liquor code?

- a) jail time
- b) probation
- c) misdemeanor
- d) liquor - license suspension - D

List three alcohol-law violations that most states will hold you criminally liable for. - 1.
Serving alcohol to a minor

2. Serving a guest who is or appears to be intoxicated
3. Possessing, selling, or allowing the sale of drugs on the premises

T/F Drink for drink, a lean guest will have a higher BAC than a guest with a large amount of body fat. - False

T/F A 12-ounce beer contains less alcohol than 1 1/2 ounces of 80-proof vodka. - False

T/F The liver can break down alcohol at the rate of two drinks per hour. - False

T/F Carbohydrates are the best type of food to serve with alcohol to help prevent intoxication. - False

T/F A guest who switches to larger or stronger drinks may be intoxicated. - True

Where is alcohol absorbed into the bloodstream? How long it takes to absorb alcohol? - The small intestine; the Liver is responsible for breaking down alcohol at a rate of one drink per hour.