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## **CLIENT REGISTRATION**

Place of service: 808 Mathews St. Fort Collins, CO 80524

Please fill out this form and bring it to your first session. Please note that the information you provide here is protected as confidential information.

Client Name:	Date:
Address:	Zip code
Birth Date: Age:	Gender:   Male  Female
Home Phone: ()	_ May I leave a message?
Cell/Other Phone: ()	_ May I leave a message?
Work Phone: ()	_ May I leave a message?
E-mail: considered to be a confidential medium of comm	May I email you? *Please note: Email correspondence is not nunication.
Medicaid ID /Insurance Name and ID # K 100 3	351
Social Security Number	(Required for Medicaid billing)
Marital Status:   Never Married   Domestic Part School Status:   Full Time   Part Time   High S	tnership    Married    Separated    Divorced    Widowed  Chool    College    Trade School    Other
Please list children/age	
Religious/spiritual affiliation or support:	
(mild, moderate, severe), and when the problem	the problem you are experiencing, and the degree of any symptoms ns/symptoms began.
Have you previously received any type of menta No_Yes, previous therapist/practitioner:	al health services (psychotherapy, psychiatric services, etc.)?
Last Physical Exam (Date)// Not intake, or if the client is a minor and they have n contact: Associates in Family Medicine 970-204	te: If you have not had a physical exam more than 1 year prior to this not had a recent Well Child exam, I am recommending that you -0300 for an appointment. Initial

Client:
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ICD 10:
Name of PCP
Please list any prescription medication and dosage you are currently taking?
Medications, continued:
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Have you ever been prescribed psychiatric medications   Yes   No Please list and provide dates:
General Consent for Child, or Dependent, Treatment Name of parent (if client is under 18 years old):  Birth Date://
Age: Gender:   Male  Female
I am the legal guardian or legal representative of the client, and on the client's behalf I Legally authorize Joseph Librizzi, LCSW to deliver mental health care services to the client. I also understand that all policies described in this statement apply to the client I represent.  Signature of parent/ guardian/legal representative:
Birth Date:/
If a Child is under Conjoint Legal Custody then both Parents need to consent to treatment: Name of guardian/legal representative: Age: Gender: □ Male □ Female Phone #: Address:
Signature of Guardian/Legal Representative
GENERAL HEALTH AND MENTAL HEALTH INFORMATION  1. How would you rate your current physical health? (Please circle) Poor Unsatisfactory Satisfactory GoodVery good  Please list any specific health problems you are currently experiencing:
2. How would you rate your current sleeping habits? (please circle)
Poor Unsatisfactory Satisfactory Good Very good Please list any specific sleep problems you are currently experiencing:
3. What types of exercise do you participate in and how many times per week:
4. Please list any difficulties you experience with your appetite or eating patterns.
5. Are you currently experiencing sadness, grief, or depression? • No • Yes If yes, for approximately how long?
6. Are you currently experiencing anxiety, panic attacks or have any phobias?   No  Yes If yes, when did this begin?
7. Are you currently experiencing any chronic pain?   No  Yes If yes, please describe:

I.D. ICD 10:
7. Do you drink alcohol more than once a week?   No Yes, About how much?
8. How often do you engage recreational drug use?   Daily Monthly Infrequently Never
9. Are you currently in a romantic relationship?   No  Yes  If yes, for how long?
10. On a scale of 1-10, how would you rate your relationship?
11. What significant life changes or stressful events have you experienced recently:
12. Do you have special transportation needs? Do you need a referral for transportation assistance?
FAMILY MENTAL HEALTH HISTORY
In the section identify if there is a family history of any of the following. Please indicate if you or a family member:
Alcohol/Substance AbuseAnxietyADD or ADHDBipolarDepressionDomestic ViolenceEating DisorderObsessive Compulsive DisorderSchizophrenia
Suicide Attempt/completed suicideSuicidal thoughts/planOther_Other_Ot
Laid Off   Medical Leave (Stress or Injured)  Other (explain):
Do you enjoy your work?   No Yes Is there anything stressful about your current work?
What would you like to accomplish in therapy? My Goals are:
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#### PSYCHOTHERAPIST-CLIENT SERVICES AGREEMENT

Client:

This document provides important information about my professional services and business policies. It also contains summary information about the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA), a new federal law that provides increased privacy protections and expanded patient rights with regard to the use and disclosure of your Protected Health Information (PHI). HIPAA requires that I provide you with a Notice of Privacy Practices for use and disclosure of personal health information for treatment, payment and health care operations. The Notice, which is attached to this document explains HIPPA and its application to you personal health information in greater detail. The law requires that I obtain your signature acknowledging that I have provided you with this information at the end of this session.

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You may find more detailed information on HIPAA and the privacy of your health information than is contained below by visiting the following website:

http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/privacy/hipaa/understanding/index.html

Please read and sign at the bottom to indicate that you reviewed and understand this information.

#### COUNSELING SERVICES

Services provided include clinical assessments, psychotherapy, consultation, education and crisis intervention. Psychotherapy is not easily described in general statements. It varies considerably depending on presenting concerns and individual styles. One of the primary goals of therapy is to help a person achieve a more fulfilling life. The process of psychotherapy involves talking about ongoing problems with a professionally trained, licensed provider in an attempt to better understand and respond to all that contributes to ongoing difficulties.

Psychotherapy can have benefits and risks. Since therapy often involves discussing unpleasant aspects of your life, you may experience uncomfortable feelings like sadness, guilt, anger, frustration, loneliness, and helplessness. On the other hand, psychotherapy has also been shown to have significant benefits. Therapy often leads to better relationships, solutions to specific problems, and noticeable reductions in feelings of distress. But there are no guarantees of what you will experience. The first few sessions will consist of collecting information from you in an attempt to assess various needs and concerns. During this assessment period, we will both decide if I am the best person to provide the services you need in order to meet your treatment goals. If you have any questions about the process, guidelines, or anything we talk about we can discuss them at any point. It is important to emphasize that you may withdraw from treatment at any time.

#### CONFIDENTIALITY

Psychotherapy necessarily involves the sharing of sensitive, personal, and private information with your therapist. As a result, the information you share is kept strictly confidential, and is not disclosed without your written permission. There are, however, a few carefully agreed upon exceptions to the protection of confidentiality which you should know about prior to beginning therapy. These exceptions are listed as follows:

- 1. Supervision or Consultation: At times, I find it helpful to consult or receive supervision from other health and mental health professionals about a case. During consultation or supervision, I make every effort to avoid revealing a patient's identity. The other professionals are legally bound to keep the information confidential. I will note all consultations in your Clinical Record (which is called PHI in my notice of therapist's policies and practices to protect the Privacy of your health information). 2. Abuse of a Child or Elderly or Disabled Person: If I have reason to believe that a child under the age of eighteen (18), an elderly, or disabled person is being abused or neglected, I am obligated by law to report this situation to the appropriate state agency.
- 2. Imminent Harm to Self: If I have reason to believe that you are threatening immediate physical harm to yourself, and if you are unwilling or unable to follow treatment recommendations, I may have to contact a family member or another person who may be able to help to ensure your safety.
- 3. Imminent harm to others: If I have reason to believe that you are actually threatening physical violence against another person, or if you are an actual threat to the safety of another person, I am required by law to take some action to ensure that the other person is protected (such as contacting the police, notifying the other person, seeking hospitalization, or a combination of these alternatives).
- 4. Court Related Proceedings: In most legal proceedings, you have the right to prevent me from providing any information about your treatment. In some proceedings involving child custody and those in which your emotional condition is an important issue, a judge may order my testimony if he/she determines that the issues demand it.
- 5. Lawsuit: If a patient files a complaint or lawsuit against me, I may disclose relevant information regarding the case in order to defend myself. The above situations have rarely occurred in my practice. If an event does occur which may necessitate breaching confidentiality, I will make every effort to fully discuss it with you before taking any action.

This written summary of exceptions to confidentiality should help to inform you about potential problems. If at any time you have questions or concerns regarding confidentiality and exceptions to it, please raise them with me. I will be happy to discuss these issues with you if you need specific advice, but formal legal advice may be needed because the laws governing confidentiality are quite complex, and I am not an attorney.

### **SESSIONS**

Therapy sessions are 1 hour, once a week, but may vary according to your needs and situation. Once an appointment is scheduled you are responsible for payment of that session unless you provide 24 hours advance notice of cancellation excluding circumstances beyond your control.

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#### PROFESSIONAL FEES

My hourly fee is \$110.00. (The initial intake session is billed at a rate of \$130. Many health insurance policies cover all or part of the initial intake, please check your coverage).

In addition to weekly appointments, I charge this amount for other professional services you may need, though I will prorate the hourly cost if I work for periods of less than one hour. Other services include report writing, telephone conversations lasting longer than 15 minutes, attendance at meetings with other professionals you have authorized, preparation of records or treatment summaries, and the time spent performing any other service you may request of me. If you become involved in legal proceedings that require my participation, you will be expected to pay for my professional time even if I am called to testify by another party.

#### **BILLING AND PAYMENTS**

You will be expected to pay for each session at the time it is held. Payment schedules for other professional services will be agreed to when they are requested. In circumstances of unusual financial hardship, I may be willing to negotiate a fee adjustment. If your account has not been paid for more than 30 days and arrangements for payment have not been agreed upon, I have the option of using legal means to secure the payment. This may involve hiring a collection agency or going through small claims court. In most collection situations, the only information I release regarding a patient's treatment is his/her name, the nature of services provided, and the amount due. Please note: 1. that insurance companies do not reimburse for missed or cancelled sessions. 2. You are responsible for your health insurance being current, i.e., active; if it lapses during psychotherapy treatment you will be responsible for payment of sessions that are not covered by your health insurance.

#### **INSURANCE REIMBURSEMENT**

I participate on some insurance panels, and am in the process of joining others. If you use your health coverage to help pay for your treatment you will be expected to pay for treatment first, and then submit a claim directly to your insurance company for reimbursement. I will be happy to provide you with an insurance form at the end of each month in an attempt to help in this process.

In order for us to set realistic treatment goals and priorities, it is important to evaluate what resources you have available to pay for your treatment. If you have a health insurance policy, it will usually provide some coverage for mental health treatment. I will fill out forms and provide you with whatever assistance I can in helping you receive the benefits to which you are entitled; however, you (not your insurance company) are responsible for full payment of my fees. It is very important that you find out exactly what mental health services your insurance policy covers. To help determine your mental health coverage I will be willing to call the company on your behalf.

Due to the rising costs of health care, insurance benefits have increasingly become more complex. It is sometimes difficult to determine exactly how much mental health coverage is available. "Managed Health Care" plans such as HMOs and PPOs often require authorization before they provide reimbursement for mental health services. These plans are often limited to short-term treatment approaches designed to work out specific problems that interfere with a person's usual level of functioning. It may be necessary to seek approval for more therapy after a certain number of sessions. While much can be accomplished in short-term therapy, some clients feel that they need more services after insurance benefits end.

You should also be aware that your contract with your health insurance company requires that I provide it with information relevant to the services that I provide to you. I am required to provide a clinical diagnosis. Sometimes I am required to provide additional clinical information such as treatment plans or summaries, or copies of your entire Clinical Record. In such situations, I will make every effort to release only the minimum information about you that is necessary for the purpose requested. This information will become part of the insurance company files and will probably be stored in a computer. Though all insurance companies claim to keep such information confidential, I have no control over what they do with it once it is in their hands. In some cases, they may share the information with a national medical information databank.

Once we have all of the information about your insurance coverage, we will discuss what we can expect to accomplish with the benefits that are available and what will happen if they run out before you feel ready to end your sessions.

It is important to remember that you always have the right to pay for my services yourself to avoid the problems described above [unless prohibited by contract.]

#### **CONTACTING ME**

I am often not immediately available by telephone. When I am unavailable, my office cell phone is answered by voice mail that I monitor frequently. I will make every effort to return your call on the same day you make it, with the exception of weekends and holidays. If you are difficult to reach, please inform me of some times when you will be available. If you are unable to reach me and feel that you can't wait for me to return your call, contact your family physician or the nearest emergency room and ask for the mental health counselor on call. If I will be unavailable for an extended time, I will provide you with the name of a colleague to contact, if necessary.

#### PROFESSIONAL RECORDS

You should be aware that, pursuant to HIPAA, (Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act of 1996) I keep Protect Health Information about you in two sets of professional records. One set constitutes your Clinical Record. It includes information about your reasons for seeking therapy, a description of the ways in which your problem impacts your life, your diagnosis, the goals we set

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for treatment, your progress towards these goals, your medical and social history, your treatment history, any past treatment records that I receive from other providers, reports of any professional consultations or supervision, your billing records, and any reports that have been sent to anyone, including reports to your insurance carrier. Except in unusual circumstances that involve danger to yourself and others (for which I will provide you with an accurate and representative summary of your Record), you may examine and/or receive a copy of your Clinical Record, if you request it in writing.

Because these are professional records, they can be misinterpreted and/ or upsetting to untrained readers. For this reason, I recommend that you initially review them in my presence, or have them forwarded to another mental health professional so you can discuss the contents.

In addition, I also keep a set of Psychotherapy Notes. These notes are for my own use and are designed to assist me in providing you with the best treatment. While the contents of Psychotherapy Notes vary from client to client, they can include the contents of our conversations, my analysis of those conversations, and how they impact on your therapy. They also contain particularly sensitive information that you may reveal to me that is not required to be included in your Clinical Record. These Psychotherapy Notes are kept separate from your Clinical Record. While insurance companies can request and receive a copy of your Psychotherapy Notes without your signed, written Authorization. Insurance companies cannot require your Authorization as a condition of coverage nor penalize you in any way for your refusal. You may examine and/or receive a copy of your Psychotherapy Notes unless I determine that such disclosure would be injurious to you.

Patient Rights. HIPAA provides you with several new or expanded rights with regard to your Clinical Record and disclosures of protected health information. These rights include requesting that I amend your record; requesting restrictions on what information from your Clinical Record is disclosed to others; requesting an accounting of most disclosures of protected health information that you have neither consented to nor authorized; determining the location to which protected information disclosures are sent; having any complaints you make about my policies and procedures recorded in your records; and the right to a paper copy of this Agreement, the attached Notice form, and my privacy policies and procedures. I am happy to discuss any of these rights with you.

#### MINORS

Client Name:

If you are under eighteen years of age, please be aware that the law may provide your parents the right to examine your treatment records. It is my policy to request an agreement from parents that they agree to give up access to your records. If they agree, I will provide them only with general information about our work together, unless I feel there is a high risk that you will seriously harm yourself or someone else. In this case, I will notify them of my concern. I will also provide them with a summary of your treatment when it is complete. Before giving them any information, I will discuss the matter with you, if possible, and do my best to handle any objections you may have with what I am prepared to discuss.

#### **CLIENT REGISTRATION FORM**

Your signature below indicates that you have read the information in this document and agree to abide by its terms during our professional relationship.

Client Signature:	Date:				
Witness Signature:	_Date:				
Your signature below serves as an acknowledgment that you have 1. received the HIPPA notice form described above, 2. that I have asked if you have an 'Advanced Medical Directive' and 3. have offered you an educational brochure or information for online resources.					
Client Name:					
Client Signature:	Date:				
Witness Signature:	_Date:				
If the patient is a minor, have they had a 'Well-Child Exam' within the past year?; if they haven't, please schedule this exam with your family physician.					
Cancellation policy: An appointments made is time set aside for you. I cannot bill your insurance for missed or cancelled appointments. Except for emergencies, missed appointments, or appointments not cancelled with 24hr. prior notice, will be billed at a rate of \$50.00, or a rate agreed to by us.					
By signing you agree to this cancellation policy:		Date:			

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#### DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

### To Prospective Clients:

I am a licensed clinical social worker, CO license #1519. I hold a masters in Social, completed at Marywood University, 2300 Adams Ave, Scranton, PA 18509, in 1989. I have background training as a clinical psychiatric social worker and received psychotherapy and substance abuse training as part of my education. I have practiced in outpatient mental health clinics, I formed and participated in a group psychotherapy practice in Upstate NY from 1990 to 2004 and have also conducted a private practice since 1990.

The practice of licensed or registered persons in the field of psychotherapy is regulated by the Mental Health Licensing Section of the Division of Professions and Occupations. The Social Work Examiners Board, which regulates social work practice, can be reached at 1560 Broadway, Suite 1350, Denver, Colorado 80202, (303) 894-7800.

As to the regulatory requirements applicable to mental health professionals:

Licensed Social Worker must hold a master's degree in social work.

Licensed Clinical Social Worker, a Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist, and a Licensed Professional Counselor must hold a master's degree in their profession and have two years of post-masters supervision.

- 1. You are entitled to receive information from your therapist about the methods of therapy, the techniques used, the duration of your therapy (if known), and the fee structure. You can seek a second opinion from another therapist or terminate therapy at any time.
- 2. In a professional relationship, sexual intimacy is never appropriate and should be reported to the board that licenses, registers, or certifies the licensee, registrant or certificate holder.
- 3. Generally speaking, the information provided by and to the client during therapy sessions is legally confidential and cannot be released without the client's consent. There are exceptions to this confidentiality, some of which are listed in section 12-43-218 of the Colorado Revised Statutes, and the HIPAA Notice of Privacy Rights you were provided, as well as other exceptions in Colorado and Federal law. For example, mental health professionals are required to report suspected child abuse to authorities. If a legal exception arises during therapy, if feasible, you will be informed accordingly.

I have read the preceding information, it has also been provided verbally, and I understand my rights as a client or as the client's responsible party.

Print Client's Name	_
Client's or Responsible Party's Signature	Date
If signed by Responsible Party, please state relationship to client and authorit	y to consent:

I hereby revoke this consent to Release/Authorization for Information.

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## RELEASE OF INFORMATION OR AUTHORIZATION FORM

I authorize Joseph Librizzi LCSW to release \_X\_ or receive\_X\_ the in formation indicated to/from the agency or persons listed below for purposes of service coordination, continuity of care and case management.

Case ma The authoriz (Please prin	anagement. zation pertains to: tt)	
Client Name	e Date of Birth	
Information to	be released or requested: (Check every box applicable.)	
` ´	All medical and mental health treatment records which includes mental health condition and treatment, for all dates of treatment: Incharts, office notes, test reports, test data, physician notes, notes of Progress-to-Date, consultation reports and notes, outpatient records, an matters.	
	erbal Communications: Including communication either verbally or in writing with the person(s) or entity(ies) listed below, regarding all the including information contained in treatment records as described above, and is to give opinions and answer questions.	released information available,
	rug abuse or alcohol abuse, which includes, if any, alcohol and substance abuse condition and treatment information. Includes all infordiagnosis, referral, history, or discussion of drug abuse or alcohol abuse.	nation regarding any assessment,
( ) <b>O</b>	ther: Department of Social Services records, including information regarding the pending dependency and neglect action and	atment plan compliance.
( ) <b>O</b> t	ther: Attendance, progress, participation, and recommendations	
Other:	Name of agency or person Address/Telephone: Information to be re	leased to or received from:
• I understand t	that my records and/or those of any individual(s) listed above are protected under federal and state confidentiality regulations. I understand that drug abuse and/or alcohol abuse information that the confidentiality of this information is protected by Federal Law [42 CFR, Part 2]. This inf my written consent, unless otherwise specifically provided for in the regulations. I understand that I may revoke this consent at any time. Copi the original. I understand and agree that this release form may be sent to the agencies and persons identified above.	t if I have authorized the release of ormation cannot be disclosed without es of this form may be used in lieu of
	• This disclosure is at the request of the individual or legal authority or	IPAA compliant Authorization.
I understand tregulations.	that there is a potential for information disclosed as a result of this release/authorization to be re-disclosed by the recipient and therefore no lon	ger protected by the HIPAA Privacy
• This consent of	expires and cannot be used past the following date (Not to exceed one (1) year):	
Signature / Da	te	
If not the client	t, please print and state your legal authority to sign for client / Date	
Witness Signa	ture Date	-

# **Mental Status Exam**

Client Name					Date		
OBSERVATION	ONS						
Appearance	□ Neat	□ Di	□ Disheveled		propriate	□ Bizarre	□ Other
Speech	□ Norma	al 🗆 Ta	ingential	□ Pres	ssured	□ Impoverish	ed   Other
Eye Contact	□ Norma	al 🗆 Int	tense	□ Avoi	dant	□ Other	
Motor Activity	□ Norma	al □ Re	estless	□ Tics		□ Slowed	□ Other
Affect	□ Full	□ Co	onstricted	□ Flat		□ Labile	
Comments:							
MOOD							
□ Euthymic □	Anxious	□ Angry	□ Dep	ressed	□ Euphor	ric 🛮 Irritable	□ Other
Comments:							
COGNITION							
Orientation Impa	irment	□ None	□ Place	)	□ Object	□ Person	ı □ Time
Memory Impairm	ent	□ None	□ Short	t-Term	□ Long-Te	rm 🗆 Other	
Attention		□ Normal	□ Distra	acted	□ Other		
Comments:							
PERCEPTION	N						
Hallucinations	□ None	□ Audit	ory	□ Visu	al	□ Other	
Other	□ None □		□ Derealization □ D		Depersonalization		
Comments:							
THOUGHTS							
Suicidality	□ None	□ Idea	ation	□ Plan		ı Intent	□ Self-Harm
Homicidality	□ None	□ Agg	gressive	/e □ Intent □ Pla		□ Plan	
Delusions	□ None	□ Gra	andiose	□ Para	noid 🗆	Religious	□ Other
Comments:							
BEHAVIOR							
□ Cooperative □ Guarded □ Hyperactive			□ Agitated	□ Para	anoid		
□ Stereotyped □ Aggressive □ Bizarre				<u> </u>	□ Withdra	wn 🗆 Othe	er
Comments:							
INSIGHT	□ Go	od □ Fa	ir 🗆 Po	or Co	mments:		
JUDGMENT	□ Go	od □ Fa	ir □ Po	or Co	mments:		

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Treatment Plan	
Place of service: 808 Mathews St. Fort Collins, CO 80524	
-Target problem or symptom :	
Planned interventions: CBT, Inquiry, Problem Solving Therapy, Community and other resources, 1-4 to a month.	mes
Strengths and supportive resources:	
60% problem or symptom reduction sought by	
-Target problem or symptom:	
Planned interventions: CBT, Inquiry, Problem Solving Therapy, Community and other resources, 1-4 ties a month. 60% problem or symptom reduction sought by 5/1/2020	mes
Strengths and supportive resources:	
Agencies / other providers involved in client care and type of intervention:	
Pt.will be referred to other providers/other health care professionals as needed.	
This treatment plan is designed to address your problems/concerns through the achieving of objective measurable goals within specified period of time. Goals may be modified in the course of treatment as progress occurs. Treatment plan will refer to a 'Cli Resources List' that will be reviewed in session. Discharge criteria may be modified as a Member's circumstances change; modifications will be documented in the Member's treatment plan.	
Client Name:	
Client signature: Date: 2/24/20	
Therapist: Date: 2/24/20	

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## HISTORY / ASSESSMENT

CHIEF COMPLAINT:	
HISTORY:	
PREVIOUS PSYCHIATRIC HISTORY:	
ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE HISTORY:	
DEVELOPMENTAL HISTORY:	
MEDICAL HISTORY:	
MENTAL STATUS:	
RISK ASSESSMENT:	
DSM-IV DIAGNOSIS:	
AXIS I:	AXIS IV:
AXIS II:	AXIS IV: AXIS V:
AXIS III:	
PLAN:	