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**DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Specializations: Children/ Adolescents, Adults

The Colorado Department of Regulatory Agencies has the general responsibility of regulating the practice of licensed psychologists, licensed clinical social workers, licensed professional counselors, and unlicensed individuals that practice psychotherapy.

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Clients Rights and Information

- 1). You are entitled to receive information from me about my methods of therapy, the techniques I use, the duration of your therapy (if I can determine it), and my fee structure. Please ask if you would like to receive this information.
- 2). You may seek a second opinion from another therapist or terminate therapy at any time.
- 3). In a professional relationship, sexual intimacy between client and therapist is never appropriate. If sexual intimacy occurs, it should be reported to the State Grievance Board.
- 4). The information provided by and to a client during therapy sessions is legally confidential if the therapist is a certified school psychologist, licensed clinical social worker, a licensed psychologist, a licensed marriage and family therapist, a licensed professional counselor, or an unlicensed psychotherapist practicing under the supervision of a licensed psychotherapist. If the information is legally confidential, the therapist cannot be forced to disclose the information without the client's consent. Concepts Counseling, LLC follows the Colorado Revised Statutes and Division of Alcohol and Drug Abuse code of Federal Regulations, which increases the privacy of substance abuse records.

None of your health information can be shared without your written approval, except in some cases. There are exceptions to the general rule of legal confidentiality. These exceptions are listed in the Colorado statutes (see section CRS 12-245-220 in particular). They include but are not limited to situations in which you or others are at serious risk; examples include: \*Risk of harm yourself (suicidality), harm to others (homicidality); reports of child abuse and/ or neglect, reports of domestic violence or grave disability. \*medical emergencies, under a court order, in response to any legal action taken by you against this agency. \*You should be aware that, except in the case of information given to a licensed psychologist, legal confidentiality does not apply in a criminal or delinquency proceeding. There are other exceptions that I will identify to you as the situations arise during therapy. \*Your records may not be maintained after seven years pursuant to section 12-245-226(1)(a)(II)a

5). If you have any questions or would like additional information, please feel free to ask. By initialing and signing below I indicate:

\_\_\_\_\_ I have read the preceding information and understand my rights as a client and I have asked all questions I have.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Client Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Client Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Date