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#### **Personal Information:**

Today's Date			
Name:	Age:	Date of Birth:	:
Social Security Number:			
Driver's License or State ID number and s	tate issued:		
Are you able to self-pay?			
Ethnicity City/Sta	te/Country of Bi	rth	
Gender: ☐ Male ☐ Female ☐ Interse	ex 🛘 Transgend	der (F to M) 🛮 Tra	ansgender (M to F)
Current home address where you physica	•		
Email: No			
Personal Phone: ()at your Phone Number?			
Work Number: ()with at your Work Number? ☐ Yes		_ May your counse	lor leave a message
What is your preferred contact method?	□ Email □	Personal Phone	☐ Work Phone
Emergency Contact Person 1: Name Relationship Email	_ Phone Numbe	r ()	
Emergency Contact Person 2: Name Relationship Email	Phone Numbe	r ()	<del></del>

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Who is your Primary Care Physician? (Clinic, Name and Phone Number) How long have you been a patient? (N/A if not applicable)
Who is your Psychiatrist? (Clinic, Name and Phone Number) How long have you been a patient? (N/A if not applicable)
Education Level:
Personal Interests or Hobbies:
Are you active in any community or social groups, if yes please describe?
Are you currently religious or spiritual? If yes please briefly describe your personal beliefs and/or affiliation.
What is your current relationship status? □ Single □ Married □ Partnered □ Separated □ Divorced □ Widowed  How satisfied are you with your current relationship status?  Not Satisfied 1 2 3 4 5 Very Satisfied  Have you ever been convicted of a crime? If yes, please list the conviction(s) and when you were convicted? (Please include DWI or DUI if applicable)
Do you have any disabilities? If yes, please describe.

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What is your current employment status?  ☐ Full-Time employed ☐ Part-Time employed ☐ Self employed ☐ Unemployed ☐ Retired ☐ Disabled from being employed ☐ Full-Time Student ☐ Part-Time Student	
Are you satisfied with your current employment status?  Not Satisfied 1 2 3 4 5 Very Satisfied	
If employed or a student, where are you employed and/or where do you attend school? (N/A if applicable)	not
What is your current military status?  ☐ No Military Service ☐ Active Duty ☐ Active Reserve ☐ Inactive Reserve ☐ Combat Veteran ☐ Veteran	
Currently, what problems or concerns would you like to address?  ☐ Personal Mental Health Concerns ☐ Legal Concerns ☐ Parenting Concerns ☐ Intimate Relationship Concerns ☐ Financial Concerns ☐ Career/School Concerns ☐ Grief/Loss/Death ☐ Medical or Health Concerns ☐ Other	
How difficult has it been for you to deal with these concerns?  Not Difficult 1 2 3 4 5 Extremely Difficult  What counseling goals would you like to work towards with your counselor?	

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#### **Childhood Relationship History:**

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Were you adopted? If yes, when? Was your adoptive parent(s)/guardian(s) a family member? If yes, please describe the relationship between your adoptive parent(s)/guardian(s) and your biological parent(s)?
Who were you raised with?
Were your parents/guardians: single, married, divorced, and/or remarried?
What was the relationships like with your parents/guardians, siblings and/or other persons in the home?
What was your childhood like?  Not Difficult 1 2 3 4 5 Extremely Difficult  Who were the most influential persons for you during your childhood?
Did you have any supportive persons for you in your childhood? If yes, who?
Have you ever experienced any painful losses of relationships or breakups? (If yes, please describe what relationship(s) ended, how long each lasted and when each ended.)

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#### Health, Stressor, and Trauma History:

Has anyone in your family had a mental illness, mood/behavioral problem or addiction problem? Please list who and what problems briefly, even if that person was never diagnosed or didn't receive any treatment or support that you were aware of.
Have you ever received any type of counseling, mental health or psychiatric services? If yes, please list where, clinician/provider name, and when you received those services.
Have you ever been hospitalized for mental health problems or behaviors? If yes, what facilities and when were you hospitalized?
If you have received mental health services in the past, what were your previous diagnoses or what issues were you working on?
Are you currently taking any medications for any medical or health conditions? If yes, please list all current medications and dosage.
Have you ever taken or are you currently taking any mental health medications? If yes, please list all of those medications including dosage and whether they are current or past.
Have you ever committed an act of violence or abuse on someone else? If yes, please describe: type of violence or abuse, who was hurt or abused and when it happened.

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Have you ever harmed pets or animals outside of hunting? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Do you own or have easy access to firearms? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Have you ever experienced abuse, harassment, bullying or assault? If yes, when and by who?
Have you ever experienced sexual abuse, rape or sexual assault? If yes, when and by who?
Have you ever experienced a traumatic injury or been diagnosed with a life changing illness? If yes, please briefly describe the injury or illness and when this happened.
Have you ever witnessed or experienced a traumatic event, accident or incident that sticks with you or that you remember very vividly? If yes, please briefly describe.
Has anyone important to you died? Who, when and how did they die?
Has anyone in your friend or family circles ever killed themselves? If yes, please state the person's name and your relationship with the person?
Have you ever experienced thoughts of killing yourself or wishing you were dead? If yes, please state if this was in the past and when or if you are currently experiencing these thoughts?
Have you ever hurt yourself intentionally? (Examples: cutting yourself, burning yourself, hitting yourself, pulling out hair on your body, etc.) If yes, please describe.

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Do you find that your mood fluctuates quickly and	strongly on a regular basis? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Have you noticed or has someone else ever commo problem? If yes, please describe the problem and/o	•
Have you ever blacked out from taking pills, doing	drugs or drinking alcohol?
How much caffeine would you say you consume, cl tea, soda, energy drinks, etc.)  ☐ None ☐ Daily ☐ Not every day but frequen	
Have you ever used or been prescribed any of the sapply to you.  ☐ Nicotine ☐ Alcohol ☐ Marijuana ☐ Stimulants (Adderall, Cocaine, Meth, etc)	Substances listed below? Please check all that  ☐ Opiods (Hydrocodone, Oxycontin, etc.)  ☐ Benzodiazapines (Xanax, Valium, etc)  ☐ Hallucinogens (LSD, Mushrooms, MDMA)  ☐ Other
Have you ever felt uncontrollably angry towards you all the time? ☐ Yes ☐ No	ourself or others; or do you feel angry almost
Do you often feel like you can't do anything right?	☐ Yes ☐ No
Do you feel uncomfortably isolated or alone? (Not	including peaceful solitude) ☐ Yes ☐ No
Have you ever felt like you go through periods of ti feel rested? ☐ Yes ☐ No	me when you sleep too much and still don't
Have you gained or lost more than 20 pounds with noticing in the past 3 month?  ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ My weight has always fluctuated	out medical reason, your trying or without ☐ Lost 20 pounds + ☐ Gained 20 pounds +
Have you ever felt very tearful or sad for no obviou	ıs reason? □ Yes □ No
When you feel sad or down, how long does this fee ☐ Minutes ☐ Hours ☐ Days	eling last?  Months  Years  It seems like I've always felt this way
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Do you exercise excessively? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\square$ Sometimes
Do you restrict your diet without medical or health professional advisement? $\ \square$ Yes $\ \square$ No
Do you binge and over eat to extremes? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Do you ever intentionally throw up after eating? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No $\square$ Sometimes
Do you feel upset or stressed when plans or circumstances change or situations or persons behave in ways that are out of your control? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No
Do you often find yourself feeling stressed in social situations? $\square$ Yes $\square$ No
Do you find yourself feeling highly stressed in certain situations? If yes, please describe when this happens.
Do you ever feel like life pressures are too overwhelming and too much for you to handle? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Do you have any paralyzing fears or phobias that disrupt your life or relationships? If yes, please describe.
How many hours do you typically sleep per day?
Do you have trouble sleeping? Please check all that apply to you over the last 6 months.  ☐ Trouble falling asleep (takes more than 30min)  ☐ Trouble staying asleep (wakes more than once per night)  ☐ Nightmares
☐ I have to take something to get to sleep, What do you take?
Is there anything else that you can think of that is important for your counselor to know?

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#### Informed Consent for Counseling, Confidentiality & Financial Disclosure:

#### Confidentiality:

- Your confidentiality is carefully guarded by your counselor and protected by Arkansas law under Privileged Information and professional ethical codes or practice as defined by the American Counseling Association (ACA) and the Arkansas Board of Examiners in Counseling. No information about your appointments or sessions will be released without your specific written authorization and consent. Confidentiality is legally limited. Those limitations include: if it becomes apparent in your counselor's professional opinion that you may do serious and foreseeable harm to yourself or to others, if information is subpoenaed by a court of law and in the case of mandatory reporting of child or vulnerable adult abuse/neglect.
- All counselor clinical notes compiled during the counseling relationship are for the counselor's professional use only. You are welcome to review your records at any time, as counseling is a collaborative process.
- As I am only accepting self pay clients, no third party billing parties or insurance companies will have access to your counseling records.

#### Client Rights:

- You are entitled to professional, compassionate and respectful counseling services. Your counselor will meet with you in a timely manner and for the agreed upon time frame.
- If your counselor needs to reschedule the counseling session, your counselor will make all
  efforts allowed by you to contact you for rescheduling at a time that works best for both of
  your schedules.
- If you are delayed or need to reschedule your session, please do so with as much notice as possible via email or phone call/message. If you are delayed, it may not be possible to give you the full scheduled time frame that day.
- Your initial appointment will be your intake interview and you and your counselor will go
  through your intake form to gather any important background information to be able to
  better address your concerns and goal setting. You and your counselor will determine what
  strategies are needed to best assist you in achieving your goals. Should your counselor
  determine that your concerns require resources or competencies beyond what your
  counselor can provide, you will be assisted with referrals and resources to appropriate
  sources.
- During the counseling process, you may encounter difficult memories or issues that you do
  not wish to discuss at that time. You are entitled to tell your counselor that you do not wish
  to discuss this information at this time and your counselor will respect your limits and
  boundaries.
- If for any you or your counselor decides to terminate the counseling relationship, you are entitled to a refund of any unused pre-paid counseling fees.

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#### Client Responsibilities:

- Your active, open and honest participation in the counseling process is essential for positive progress to be made. Change is not easy and can sometimes be uncomfortable, and counseling is for people who wish to make positive change in their lives. You will work with your counselor as a partner. This will require you to provide your counselor with feedback regarding the services and discuss what goals you would like to accomplish and integrate in between sessions.
- Payment for services is due the day of service or before. You will be charged any collection fees on missed payments and checks that are found to be insufficiently funded.
- If you miss an appointment without notifying your counselor via email/phone message in advance of your scheduled appointment, you will be charged for the scheduled time. (In cases of emergency, you must proactively communicate and provide adequate documentation to be exempt from being charged for the missed appointment.)

If you have any questions, please discuss them with your counselor.

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