

**DISCLOSURE**

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**LICENSED CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER**

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The practice of both licensed and unlicensed persons who practice psychotherapy is regulated by the Colorado State Department of Regulatory Agencies (State Grievance Board, 1560 Broadway, Suite 1370, Denver, Colorado, 80202, 303-894-7766). Law requires that you be informed of the following client rights:

- Information about the methods of therapy
- The techniques used
- The duration of therapy
- The fee structure

Please ask if you would like to receive this information. The client may seek a second opinion from another therapist or may terminate therapy at any time.

In a professional relationship such as ours, sexual intimacy between a therapist and a client is never appropriate and should be reported to the State Grievance Board.

The information provided by the client during therapy sessions is legally confidential. A therapist cannot be forced to disclose the information to another party without the client's written consent. There are exceptions to the general rule of legal confidentiality. These are listed in the Colorado Statutes. Exceptions include life-threatening emergencies (threat of harm to self or others), court orders and reporting child abuse. You should be aware that legal confidentiality does not apply in criminal or delinquency proceedings.

The policy of the therapist, Sara Marley, L.C.S.W., is to return phone calls from clients within 24 to 48 hours. In the case of a life threatening clinical emergency, clients should call 911 or go to the nearest hospital emergency room.

If the client is a child, under 18 years of age, whose parent or legal guardian is consenting to mental health services, disclosure shall be made to the parent or legal guardian.

Signing below indicates that you have been informed of this therapist's credentials and that you have read the preceding information and understand your rights as a client.

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Therapist

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Client

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Parent (if client is under age 18)

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Date