

Client Consent for Counselling Services

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Client Information

Name: _____ If client is a minor, parent’s or guardian name: _____

Mobile Telephone: _____ Another phone: _____ Message Ok? Y / N

Address (optional) _____ Email: _____

Main Concern(s): (e.g., personal, mood, motivation, relationships, family, educational/vocational)

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I HEREBY AGREE to receive counselling services provided by Daphne Gelbart, MA, RCC, relating to the concerns stated above and/or mutually agreed upon. Ms. Gelbart is a Registered Clinical Counsellor and member of the British Columbia Association of Clinical Counsellors (BCACC, registration number: 3290). I agree to *pay* Ms. Gelbart a fee of _____ per 55 minutes of counselling services. In case of *cancellation* I will provide *one day (24 hours) notice*. *Otherwise*, I will be responsible for *payment* for the session. Services can be *terminated* by either party with *notice*.

All reasonable precautions are employed to protect the *privacy and confidentiality* of clients. The following *exceptions* apply by which information can be disclosed without client’s permission for the following reasons:

1. If there is evidence of child physical abuse, sexual abuse, or neglect.
2. In the event of a subpoena, warrant, or order issued or made by a court, person, or body with jurisdiction to compel disclosure required or authorized by law.
3. If client’s physical safety or the safety of another person is know to be in danger, or there is significant concern that a dangerous act is intended.

Online Video Sessions

I hereby consent to online, remote counselling sessions. Daphne Gelbart endeavours to use secure, encrypted video platforms and to preserve privacy of the sessions. However, I am aware that any internet-based communication may not be 100% secure.

If questions arise between the parties that cannot be resolved directly, they shall not be aired out on social media. They can be handled by calling the BC Association of Clinical Counsellors at 1-800-909-6303.

Client’s Signature: _____ Date: _____

If client is a minor, parent’s or guardian’s Signature: _____ Date: _____