Limits of Confidentiality

Your written and signed authorization is required before information concerning your care can be disclosed to individuals per your therapist.

Below are some of the cases in which the law dictates that your signed authorization may not be required in order for your therapist to release information:

If your therapist believes that you are likely to harm yourself and or another person, he or she may take action necessary to protect you or others by contacting law enforcement officers or a physician.

If your therapist has cause to believe that a child has been or may be abused or neglected, the clinician is required to make a report to the appropriate state agency.

If your therapist has cause to believe that an elderly or disabled person has been or may be abused, neglected, or subject to financial exploitation, the clinician is required to make a report to the appropriate state agency.

If your therapist has cause to believe that Prenatal Exposure to Controlled Substances has occurred.

Client Signature:

Date: