

## YOUR RIGHTS AS CLIENT

The state of Colorado requires all mental health professionals to provide you with the following information. The Colorado State Department of Regulatory Agencies regulates the practice of both licensed and unlicensed persons in the field of psychotherapy. Any questions, concerns, or complaints regarding the practice of mental health may be directed to the State Board whose address is: Mental Health Occupations Grievance Board (1560 Broadway, Suite 1340 Denver, CO 80202, 303-894-7766).

## **General Information**

- You are entitled to receive information about methods of therapy, the techniques used, the duration of therapy if known, and the fee structure.
- For evaluations, you are entitled to know what type of assessment is to be done, who will receive the information, and to have a copy of the evaluation or summary of the results. You are also entitled to verbal feedback concerning the results.
- You may seek a second opinion from another Evaluator or may terminate the evaluation or consultation at any time. If your evaluation is court ordered and you terminate, the appropriate representative of the court system will be alerted of your termination.
- In a professional relationship, sexual intimacy is never appropriate.
- You should understand that information provided during evaluations/consultations/any other services is legally confidential in the case of licensed marriage counselors, family therapists, clinical social workers, professional counselors, psychologists, and certified school psychologists. There are certain legal exceptions such as, therapists in Colorado are required by law to report any suspicion or knowledge of abuse or neglect of any type on a child, as provided in section 19-3-304
  - C.R.S. These exceptions can be discussed and will be identified should any such situations arise during
- All evaluations for private and court ordered clients will be based on the guidelines of the treatment standards of the Colorado Sex Offender Management Board (SOMB), Domestic Violence Offender Management Board (DVOMB), or the APA's Ethics code.
- The staff at Dr. Brenna Tindall & Associates are Licensed Psychologist must hold a doctorate degree in psychology, have one year of post-doctoral supervision, and pass the Examination for Professional Practice of Psychology.

## Staff Information

Dr. Brenna Tindall has a Doctorate in Clinical Psychology from the University of Denver, a Masters in Clinical Psychology from the University of Denver and a Bachelor's in Psychology from Colorado State University. She is a licensed clinical psychologist and a Certified Addictions Counselor, Level III (CAC III). Her license numbers are 3709 and 6898 respectively. Dr. Tindall is also listed with the Colorado Sex Offender Management Board (SOMB) as a Full-Operating Treatment Provider and Evaluator for Adults and Juveniles.

I have read the preceding information and understand my rights as a client.				
Client Name (PRINT)		Client Signature	Date	
Staff Signature	Date	Parent/Guardian/Person	Parent/Guardian/Person Authorized to Sign	