# **CLIENT INTAKE FORM**

Please provide the following information for our records. Leave blank any question you would rather not answer. Information you provide here is held to the same standards of confidentiality as our therapy. Please print out this form and bring it to your first session or allow yourself thirty minutes prior to your appointment to complete the form in the office.

Name:		
(Last) (First) (Middle Initial)		
Name of parent/guardian (if you are a minor):		
(Last) (First) (Middle Initial)		
Birth Date: / Age: Gender: Male Female		
Marital Status: Never Married Partnered Married Separated Divorced Widowed		
Number of Children:		
Local Address:		
(Street and Number)		
(City) (State) (Zip)		
Home Phone: ( ) May we leave a message? Yes No		
Cell/Other Phone: () May we leave a message? Yes No		
E-mail: May we email you? Yes No		
*Please be aware that email might not be confidential.		
Referred by:		
Are you currently receiving psychiatric services, professional counseling or psychotherapy elsewhere? Yes No		
Have you had previous psychotherapy? No Yes, at Previous therapist's name		
Are you currently taking prescribed psychiatric medication (antidepressants or others)?		

If no, have you been previously prescribed psychiatric medication? Yes No If Yes, please list: \_\_\_\_\_

## HEALTH AND SOCIAL INFORMATION

1. How is your physical health at present? (please circle)

Poor Unsatisfactory Satisfactory Good Very good

2. Please list any persistent physical symptoms or health concerns (e.g. chronic pain, headaches, hypertension, diabetes, etc:

3. Are you having any problems with your sleep habits? No Yes
If yes, check where applicable: Sleeping too little Sleeping too much Poor quality sleep Disturbing dreams Other
4. How many times per week do you exercise?
Approximately how long each time?
5. Are you having any difficulty with appetite or eating habits? No Yes
If yes, check where applicable: Eating less Eating more Binging Restricting
Have you experienced significant weight change in the last 2 months? No Yes
6. Do you regularly use alcohol? No Yes In a typical month, how often do you have 4 or more drinks in a 24-hour period?
7. How often do you engage in recreational drug use?
Daily Weekly Monthly Rarely Never
8. Have you had suicidal thoughts recently? Frequently Sometimes Rarely Never
Have you had them in the past? Frequently Sometimes Rarely Never
9. Are you currently in a romantic relationship? No Yes If yes, how long have you been in this relationship? On a scale of 1-10, how would you rate the quality of your current relationship?

#### 10. In the last year, have you experienced any significant life changes or stressors:

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#### Have you ever experienced:

Extreme depressed mood: No Yes Wild Mood Swings: No Yes Rapid Speech: No Yes Extreme Anxiety: No Yes Panic Attacks: No Yes Phobias: No Yes Sleep Disturbances: No Yes Hallucinations: No Yes Unexplained losses of time: No Yes Unexplained memory lapses: No Yes Alcohol/Substance Abuse: No Yes Frequent Body Complaints: No Yes Eating Disorder: No Yes Body Image Problems: No Yes Repetitive Thoughts (e.g., Obsessions): No Yes Repetitive Behaviors (e.g., Frequent Checking, Hand-Washing): No Yes Homicidal Thoughts: No Yes Suicide Attempt: No Yes Life Works Counseling Intake Form page 4 of 5

## **OCCUPATIONAL INFORMATION:**

Are you currently employed? No Yes
If yes, who is your current employer/position?
If yes, are you happy at your current position?
Please list any work-related stressors, if any:
RELIGIOUS/SPIRITUAL INFORMATION:
Do you consider yourself to be religious? No Yes
If yes, what is your faith?

## FAMILY MENTAL HEALTH HISTORY:

If no, do you consider yourself to be spiritual?

Has anyone in your family (either immediate family members or relatives) experienced difficulties with the following? (circle any that apply and list family member, e.g., Sibling, Parent, Uncle, etc.):

No Yes

# **Difficulty Family Member**

Depression: No Yes	
Bipolar Disorder: No Yes	
Anxiety Disorders: No Yes	
Panic Attacks: No Yes	
Schizophrenia: No Yes	
Alcohol/Substance Abuse: No Yes	
Eating Disorders: No Yes	
Learning Disabilities: No Yes	
Trauma History: No Yes	
Suicide Attempts: No Yes	-

#### **OTHER INFORMATION:**

What do you consider to be your strengths?

What do you like most about yourself?

What are effective coping strategies that you've learned?

What are your goals for therapy?