

LIMITS OF CONFIDENTIALITY

Information discussed in the therapy setting is held confidential and will not be shared without written permission except under the following conditions:

1. The client threatens clear and immediate danger of suicide under 201 KAR 32:050 Sec Z.
2. The client threatens clear and immediate danger of harm to another person(s), including murder, assault, or other physical harm under 201 KAR 32:050 Sec Z.
3. The client is a minor (under 18) and reports suspected child abuse, including but not limited to, physical beatings, and sexual abuse.
4. The client reports abuse of the elderly.
5. The client reports domestic violence as defined by Kentucky State Laws.
6. The client reports sexual exploitation by a therapist.
7. The client's records are court ordered by a judge to be released.
8. The client's insurance company or managed care company requires clinical information in order to authorize treatment or to consider medical necessity for the continuation of treatment. CCC operates with the written understanding that the information shared is considered confidential by these organizations. It is your right to know what information is shared.

State law and/or professional ethics mandates that mental health professionals may need to report these situations to the appropriate persons and/or agencies.

Communications between the clinician and client will otherwise be deemed confidential as stated under the laws of this state.

I have read and understand the above limits of confidentiality.

Name of Client or Guardian

Signature of Client or Guardian

Date

Signature of Clinician

Date