

Koala Smiles Counseling, PLLC

Helping You Find Your Smile Again!

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Child, Adolescent, Adult & Family Therapist

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ADULT INITIAL ASSESSMENT QUESTIONNAIRE

Today's Date _____

First Name _____ MI _____ Last Name _____ M _____ F _____

Home Phone # _____ Cellular Phone # _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Mailing address if different from above: _____

Date of Birth (DOB) _____ Employer _____

Client E-mail _____

Preferred Contact Method _____ Is it okay to leave a detailed message? (Y / N)

Ethnicity _____

Would you like to include aspects of faith and spirituality into our time together (Y / N)

What faith do you identify with? _____

Spiritual / Cultural Beliefs or Activities ☐ None ☐ yes -specify _____

PERSONS TO NOTIFY IF EMERGENCY:

Name: _____ Relation: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Name: _____ Relation: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Name of person, organization, or ad that referred you: _____

Family Members (those living in household or regularly involved in your life)

Names	Age	Gender		Lives		Quality of Relationship w/ Client		
		M	F	Home	Away	Poor	Average	Good
_____	____	____	____	____	____	____	____	____
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1. What is your main concern that you want to address in counseling? _____

How long have you had these concerns? ☐ less than 6 months ☐ 6 months or more

2. List several goals for what you would like to achieve from counseling.

- a. _____
b. _____
c. _____

3. Please describe any significant problems or stresses you are experiencing in the following areas. Also list how long you've been bothered by each one.

a. Mental or Emotional: _____

b. Family Relationships: _____

c. Work or School: _____

d. Health: _____

e. Legal Concerns: _____

f. Financial Pressures: _____

4. How would you rate your use of alcohol or drugs? List substances used and how often.

5. Are you concerned about your physical safety? Explain.

6. Please rate the support or adequacy you feel in the following areas: (On a scale of 1 to 5, 1 being "terrific" and 5 being "lousy.")

____ Housing	____ Employment/work situation	____ Education
____ Family support	____ Spouse/Partner support	____ Relationships w/friends
____ Ability to care for yourself		

7. Family History: Please check the following problems you know have occurred either with yourself or with your immediate family, the family you grew up in or other relatives.

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Substance Abuse | <input type="checkbox"/> Depression |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other addictions | <input type="checkbox"/> Suicide or attempted suicide |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual abuse (molestation, rape, incest) | <input type="checkbox"/> Infidelity |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Physical abuse (hitting, beating, excess force) | <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic lying |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mental illness | <input type="checkbox"/> Children out of wedlock |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family "Secrets" | <input type="checkbox"/> Divorce |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mental or emotional abuse | <input type="checkbox"/> Other family dysfunction |

8. List all medications you are taking, the dosages and what condition they are treating

Medication	Condition	Dosage	How Often	When Started

9. Are you currently seeing a physician for an ongoing medical condition such as diabetes, thyroid disorder, cancer treatment etc.? If yes, then please explain/describe.

10. Any medical/relational patterns in your family (i.e., history of obesity, domestic violence, infidelity, hoarding, etc.) _____

11. Have you been in therapy before? ____ (Y/N)

If yes, when was the last time you saw a therapist? _____ (date)

12. Have you found therapy to be helpful in the past? What worked and what didn't?

13. How would you describe your sleep? _____

14. What physical or mental or emotional symptoms are you experiencing recently? Please check any symptoms that you have noticed or others have noticed about you.

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Muscle twitches | <input type="checkbox"/> Noticeable mood swings |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease in energy (Fatigue) | <input type="checkbox"/> Tears come easily |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hyperactivity | <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty speaking |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Impulsiveness | <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty thinking or concentrating |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Easily distracted |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Restlessness | <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty making decisions |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Problems at work or school | <input type="checkbox"/> Racing thoughts or speech |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Over-aggressiveness | <input type="checkbox"/> Tendency to go off on tangents |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn from friends or family | <input type="checkbox"/> Unsure of what is real |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Stealing or Dishonesty | <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes feel you are outside your body watching yourself |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Destructiveness | <input type="checkbox"/> Feel unhappy w/ body shape/weight |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disorganization | <input type="checkbox"/> Unrealistic goals or thoughts of self |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty speaking | <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes think you are hallucinating |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Trouble with Authority figures | <input type="checkbox"/> Trouble getting thoughts out of your mind |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Injuring self | <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns that others are spying on/poisoning you |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Breaking rules, pushing limits | <input type="checkbox"/> Excessive fears of |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anxiety | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fears | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jitteriness | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Panic Attacks | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Phobias | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hyperventilating | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Excessive worry | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anger | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Apathy | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Depressed mood or lingering sadness | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Emotional highs | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Guilt struggles | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Helplessness | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hopelessness | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hostility | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Crying spells | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Irritability | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reduced interest/enjoyment in life | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Low self-esteem | |
| | |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Flashbacks of a distressing event |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Sometimes think about suicide |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Medical or health problems |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic pain |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Nervousness |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Binge eating |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Change in appetite |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Below your normal weight |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Trouble getting to sleep or staying asleep |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Too much sleep |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Trouble with drugs or alcohol |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Other symptoms |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Feelings of rejection |

15. What do you see as your greatest strengths that will help you attain your therapy goals? _____

16. What may hold you back? _____

17. How would you describe your relationship with God? _____

18. How do you handle anger? _____

19. How do you handle sadness? _____

20. How do you handle anxiety? _____

21. What do you like most about yourself? _____

22. What do you do to take care of yourself? _____

23. Anything else that would be helpful for me to know? _____

24. What are three changes you hope to see in your self after therapy? _____

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OUTPATIENT SERVICES CONTRACT / INFORMED CONSENT

Welcome to my practice. This document contains important information about my professional services and business policies as well as the rights and responsibilities for our therapeutic relationship. Please read it thoroughly before you sign it and consent to treatment and jot down any questions you might have so that we can discuss them at our next meeting. When you sign this document, it will represent an agreement between us.

PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES

Psychotherapy is not easily described in general statements. It varies depending on the personalities of the therapist and client, and the particular problems you bring forward. There are many different methods I may use to deal with the problems that you hope to address. Psychotherapy is not like a medical doctor visit. Instead, it calls for a very active effort on your part. In order for the therapy to be most successful, you will have to work on things we talk about both during our sessions and at home.

Psychotherapy can have benefits and risks. Since therapy often involves discussing unpleasant aspects of your life, you may experience uncomfortable feelings like sadness, guilt, anger, frustration, loneliness, and helplessness. On the other hand, psychotherapy has also been shown to have benefits for people who go through it. Therapy often leads to better relationships, solutions to specific problems, and significant reductions in feelings of distress. But there are no guarantees of what you will experience.

Our first few sessions will involve an evaluation of your needs. By the end of the evaluation, I will be able to offer you some first impressions of what our work will include and a treatment plan to follow, if you decide to continue with therapy. You should evaluate this information along with your own opinions of whether you feel comfortable working with me. Therapy involves a large commitment of time, money, and energy, so you should be very careful about the therapist you select. If you have questions about my procedures, we should discuss them whenever they arise. If your doubts persist, I will be happy to help you set up a meeting with another mental health professional for a second opinion.

CONSENT FOR TREATMENT

Disclaimer by the State of Washington: "Counselors practicing for a fee must be registered or licensed with the Department of Licensing for the protection of the public health and safety. Registration of an individual with the department does not include recognition of any practice standards, nor necessarily imply the effectiveness of any treatment."

QUALIFICATIONS/EDUCATION/EXPERIENCE

- Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist through the state of Washington, Licensure # LF60462717.
- Clinical Fellow Member of the American Association for Marriage and Family Therapy (AAMFT), Member # 151675.
- Master's Degree in Counseling Psychology with emphasis in Marriage and Family Therapy at Chapman University in 2011.
- Bachelor's Degree in Psychology at Saint Martin's University in 2008.
- Child Mental Health Specialist with experience working with children, adolescents, adults, couples and families with a wide range of issues from mild to severe, as well as previous experience in training and mentoring young adults / college students on job related skills and resume/career development skills.
- Experience working in school systems (Bonney Lake High School, Daffodil Elementary & Orting School District) providing counseling services for children and adolescents while coordinating with school officials and parents.
- I am committed to furthering my knowledge and expertise by regularly participating in specialized training and receiving ongoing clinical consultation.

TREATMENT ORIENTATION

My primary approach to counseling is client-centered and focuses on clients' strengths and abilities to make positive changes in their lives. I believe that one of the essential ingredients for therapeutic change is trust between the therapist and client. Clients are encouraged to set their own goals for therapy and to be full and active participants in their own approaches. Guided by the client's needs and issues, I use a variety of tools drawing from many therapeutic approaches, such as Psychoeducation, Client-Centered, Behavioral, Cognitive-Behavioral (including Trauma Focused Cognitive Behavioral Therapy), and Solution-Focused strategies. Together, we will explore your values and beliefs as well as those of your family. I am trained from a systemic perspective and believe that a person's role in their family of origin can be translated to their relationships, behaviors and beliefs. For this reason, I believe that family of origin exploration and family therapy can be helpful and is often necessary to see change.

MEETINGS

During our initial sessions I will be gathering information as we formulate goals and a plan together. Sessions typically last 50-minutes. They are expected to begin promptly, and end at the scheduled time. Although it is understood that there may be instances when you arrive late for a session, late arrival will not extend the scheduled ending time for the session. As your therapist, I am also expected to be on time, and will offer appropriate remedy if late, such as making the time up, prorating the fee, etc. Occasionally there is a need for sessions to go longer depending on the amount of processing a client needs. Longer sessions will be billed at a prorated amount based on my standard fee. The total number of sessions is dependent on a number of factors including your goals, timeframe, rate of progress, etc. I offer both short and long-term therapy. The therapeutic process is different for each person. On average, client sessions are at least once a week for the first 3 sessions and then can be tapered to weekly or every other week for at least 10-12 sessions. Course of treatment will be discussed with your therapist at intake. All of this can be updated as needed by any of us at any time.

FEE POLICY

I charge \$160 for the initial session (intake session) as there is quite a bit of paperwork and information gathering required to set you up as a new client. Thereafter, fees are \$140 per 50-minute session. Fees are adjusted annually in January, and will not increase more than \$15 per year. Payments (cash, check or credit card) are to be made at the beginning of each session unless we have made other arrangements. A \$30 fee will be charged for returned checks. Unpaid balances incur the maximum finance charge allowed by law after 30 days. Outstanding balances may be sent to a collection agency.

I charge for other professional services you may need based on a prorated rate of my standard fee. I will break down the hourly cost if I work for periods of less than one hour. Other services include telephone conversations lasting more than 10 minutes, consulting with other professionals with your permission, preparation of records or treatment summaries, and the time spent performing any other service you may request of me.

For those who cannot afford my fees, I do offer a sliding scale fee on a limited basis for lower income individuals/families. Sliding scale fees are based on family income and number of dependents using the Federal Poverty, Sliding Scale Guidelines and are updated annually in February. If finances are a concern to you, please check with me to see if this is an option. Please note, this option is only available for private pay clients.

Insurance/Managed Care

If I am billing your insurance, your copayment is required at the time of service. If your insurance coverage requires you to pay a co-insurance, you may either pay at the time of service or you will be billed after insurance has paid. I will bill insurance companies directly, unless you request otherwise, and I will provide you with a monthly statement for any outstanding balances. Unpaid balances more than 90 days past due will be charged an 18% interest rate (1.5% monthly). Accounts more than 180 days past due will be referred to collections. Any collection legal fees or costs necessary to collect unpaid balance will be your responsibility.

It is your responsibility to follow any plan requirement that applies to you including co-pay amounts, co-insurance and deductibles. I recommend you clarify with your insurance company the specific benefits provided under your insurance plan and to follow any plan requirements that apply to you. For example, some plans require that you obtain an authorization/referral from your insurance/managed care company prior to your first session. Most plans limit the services for which they will reimburse. *If you request or agree to a service for which reimbursement is later denied by your insurance company or its agent (i.e. not pre-authorized, considered medically unnecessary, beyond the benefit limit, etc.) then you assume the responsibility for paying the entire fee.*

Out of Network Provider

I participate in many insurance plans, but not all. If I am not yet a preferred provider for your insurance carrier then I am considered an out of network provider. Most often, companies will provide reimbursement based on your specific reimbursement rate for out-of-network care. Usually, the amount returned is calculated as a percentage, so if you have financial concerns please check with your agency to learn more about its particular policies. I offer two options as an out of network provider:

Option 1) You pay my fees up front and I will provide you with a SuperBill (Receipt) that can be submitted directly to your insurance company for reimbursement to you. If needed, I can help you figure out what forms need to be attached to this receipt and where to send them. Many clients choose this option to avoid receiving any bills later. Instead they are likely to receive a reimbursement check from their insurance provider (based on their out of network coverage) and will receive no further bills from me as services were paid for in advance.

Option 2) You pay my fees up front and I will submit the claims to your insurance company electronically for you. Whatever amount of funds your insurance pays for this claim will be reimbursed directly to you once the claim has been processed. I will do my best to verify your out of network insurance benefits and give you an estimate on how much you will be reimbursed for, but I cannot guarantee the exact amounts until your insurance company processes the claim. If your insurance company denies the claim, you will receive no reimbursements, as the full session fee was your responsibility.

APPOINTMENTS AND CANCELLATIONS

Regular psychotherapy promotes faster healing and progress, so it is important that you attend your scheduled therapy session consistently. My policies are outlined below.

Missed Appointments: In the event that you are unable to keep an appointment, please notify me via phone a minimum of two days (**48 hours**) in advance. E-mail and text messages are not adequate notice. Monday appointments require notification before 5:00pm the preceding Friday. **If you miss your appointment for whatever reason and fail to give me adequate notice, you will be responsible for the full fee for the session.** Emergency needs are an exception, so please discuss this with me to avoid a charge. To change or cancel an appointment, please call (253) 961-0552. If you are late, I will still stop at our regular ending time in order to keep my schedule, and you will still be required to pay for the entire session. In the event of a missed appointment, the bill will reflect a late cancellation instead of a clinical session. Most insurance companies will not reimburse for missed appointments. If I have an emergency, I will notify you as soon as possible of my need to reschedule our appointment.

Two or more late cancellations or no shows will result in the requirement of non-refundable prepayment for sessions at the time of scheduling. A pattern of frequent rescheduling, even if 48 hour notice is given, may result in a requirement of non-refundable prepayment for sessions at the time of scheduling, unless due to extenuating circumstances and agreed upon by the therapist. As an alternative you may be limited to scheduling appointments at times in low demand (typically mornings and early afternoons).

CRISIS INFORMATION/TELEPHONE/MESSAGES

I do not provide ongoing crisis services. If intensive or after-hours crisis services are needed during the course of therapy, I will facilitate linkage with crisis services, such as referrals to the local crisis center or referrals for hospital admittance. If you have concerns about this policy, please discuss this with me so any questions or concerns you may have can be clarified.

Messages may be left on my confidential voice mail at (253) 961-0552. I check my voicemail several times a day during business hours, Monday through Friday. Due to the nature of an outpatient practice, it may not be possible to respond immediately. If a situation requires an immediate response, call the 24-hour crisis clinic at (800) 244-5767 for King County or (800) 576-7764 for Pierce County, call 911, or go to the nearest hospital emergency room.

CONFIDENTIALITY

All issues discussed in the course of therapy will remain in the strictest of confidence except those for which you may choose to sign a release of confidential information (e.g., for your medical doctor, other treatment provider, or family member). Also, your insurance company or its agents may have the right to audit your records for the purposes that may include but not be limited to accuracy of claims, coverage of services, medical necessity, proper utilization and appropriateness of services, and appropriateness of billing. In the course of clinical consultation, your case information may be discussed with other professionals. However, this is done without revealing any information that would identify you. Exceptions to confidentiality, as provided by law, are explained in the Notice of Privacy Practices which can be found on my website at www.koalasmiles.com. When Federal and State laws differ, the more stringent law supersedes the other.

You are also protected under the provisions of the Federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA). This law insures the confidentiality of all electronic transmission of information about you. Whenever I transmit information about you electronically (for example, sending bills or faxing information), it will be done with special safeguards to insure confidentiality.

If you elect to communicate with me by email at some point in our work together, please be aware that email is not completely confidential. All emails are retained in the logs of your or my internet service provider. While under normal circumstances no one looks at these logs, they are, in theory, available to be read by the system administrator(s) of the internet service provider. Any email I receive from you, and any responses that I send to you, will be printed out and kept in your treatment record.

AGE OF CONSENT — OUTPATIENT TREATMENT OF MINORS

Any minor thirteen years or older may request and receive outpatient treatment without the consent of the minor's parent. Parental authorization, or authorization from a person who may consent on behalf of the minor pursuant to RCW [7.70.065](#), is required for outpatient treatment of a minor under the age of thirteen. The counselor will act in the minor's best interests in deciding whether to disclose confidential information to the legal guardians without the minor's consent pursuant to WAC 246-924-363.

COURT TESTIMONY

If you become involved in any legal proceedings that require my participation, you will be expected to pay for all of my professional time. This includes any preparation and transportation time, even if I am called to testify by another party. Because of the difficulty of legal involvement, I charge \$185 per hour for preparation and travel, for attendance (waiting and participation) at any legal proceeding. Having said this, I am not a certified child custody evaluator and will be unable to help you legally if this is your purpose in pursuing treatment with me.

I, the therapist, reserve the right to terminate therapy at my discretion. Reasons for termination include, but are not limited to, untimely payment of fees, failure to comply with treatment recommendations, conflicts of interest, failure to participate in therapy, the client needs are outside of my scope of competence or practice, or the client is not making adequate progress in therapy. The client (or the parents if the client is a minor) has the right to terminate therapy at his/her discretion. Upon either party's decision to terminate therapy, I will generally recommend that the client participate in at least one, or possibly more, termination sessions. These sessions are intended to facilitate a positive termination experience and give both parties an opportunity to reflect on the work that has been done. I will also attempt to ensure a smooth transition to another therapist by offering referrals to the client.

YOUR AGREEMENT: I have read and understand all of this information, including my rights as a client. I agree to all of the above policies and procedures. If my fees are determined by a sliding scale, I agree to notify my therapist of changes in my income or household size that could affect my fee. I hereby agree, whether signing as an agent or as a patient, to be financially responsible for all charges not paid for by insurance. I hereby authorize Shawnda Brese, MA, LMFT, to render mental health services to (client's name): _____

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF KNOWLEDGE OF CONFIDENTIALITY AND PRIVACY PRACTICES: Privacy practices and confidentiality laws can be found on my website at www.koalasmls.com. A paper copy will be provided upon request.

Client Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature Date

Client printed name _____

Parent/Guardian printed name _____

Clinician Signature _____ Date _____

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Communication by Email, Text Message, and Other Non-Secure Means

It may become useful during the course of treatment to communicate by email, text message (e.g. "SMS") or other electronic methods of communication. Be informed that these methods, in their typical form, are not confidential means of communication. If you use these methods to communicate with your therapist, there is a reasonable chance that a third party may be able to intercept and eavesdrop on those messages. The kinds of parties that may intercept these messages include, but are not limited to:

- People in your home or other environments who can access your phone, computer, or other devices that you use to read and write messages
- Your employer, if you use your work email to communicate with your therapist.
- Third parties on the Internet such as server administrators and others who monitor Internet traffic

If there are people in your life that you don't want accessing these communications, please talk with your therapist about ways to keep your communications safe and confidential.

****As a practice policy, I do not communicate with patients and/or their families via social media nor accept any "friend" requests. Therapists are required to ignore all such requests.**

CONSENT FOR TRANSMISSION OF PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION BY NON-SECURE MEANS

I, _____
(name of client)

AUTHORIZE: Shawnda Brese, MA, LMFT
Koala Smiles Counseling, PLLC

(street address)

to use unsecured email and mobile phone text messaging to transmit to me the following protected health information to this email address(es): _____ Initial here: _____

☐ Information related to the scheduling of meetings or other appointments. Initial here: _____

☐ Information related to billing and payment for health care treatment. Initial here: _____

☐ Information related to administrative matters such as sending forms, including forms that have been filled out and signed. Initial here: _____

☐ Information directly related to therapy or other clinical matters. Initial here: _____ I have been informed of and understand the confidentiality risks inherent in sending therapeutic information by non-secure communication methods. Initial here: _____

☐ Other information. Describe here: _____ Initial: _____

BY THE FOLLOWING NON-SECURE MEDIA:

[] I consent to receive text messages for the purpose of appointment reminders. I agree to not use texting for any other purposes other than to cancel or reschedule an appointment. If I need to share any other information regarding treatment I will contact my therapist by other means. Initial here: _____

I understand that Shawnda Brese, MA, LMFT does not receive or send text messages other than for scheduling and/or appointment reminders or use any other media form, such as Skype or Facebook to communicate my Protected Health Information.

I understand that emails are not a way to communicate crisis/safety information and that it may take up to 24 hours for my therapist to respond to my emails. If I have an emergency, I agree to pick up the phone and dial 911, go to the nearest hospital emergency room or call the 24-hour crisis clinic at (800) 244-5767 for King County or (800) 576-7764 for Pierce County.

I understand that this agreement can be revoked at any time at my request.

I have been informed of the risks, including but not limited to my confidentiality in treatment, of signing this agreement. I understand that I am not required to sign this agreement in order to receive treatment. I also understand that Shawnda Brese, MA, LMFT makes secure means of communication available to me, but I prefer to use the above non-secure means for the above purposes.

(Signature of client)

Date

(Signature of parent/guardian)

Date

(Signature of therapist)

Date

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CLIENT EASY PAY CONSENT

(Optional payment plan for those paying by credit/debit card). This form is for those who wish me to keep your debit/credit card number on file and I will automatically deduct any payments owed from your debit/credit card. (Examples of payments deducted are copays, deductibles, coinsurances, late cancels, no- shows or full payment if not using insurance). Your payment information will be entered into an encrypted system and then blacked out on this form for security purposes.

I authorize **Koala Smiles Counseling, PLLC (Shawnda Brese)**, to charge my credit/debit card for fees charged (including late cancels and no shows) and if using insurance, copays, coinsurances, deductibles and the balance of charges not paid by insurance within 90 days.

Please charge my credit card:

☐ The amount of my copayment, coinsurance or other amounts due OR

☐ \$ _____ Each session

I authorize Koala Smiles Counseling, PLLC (Shawnda Brese) to charge my credit card for counseling services at the rate listed above. I understand that this form is valid for up to three months after I close out of counseling services unless I cancel the authorization through written notice to Koala Smiles Counseling, PLLC. I agree to update this information with my counselor if/when it changes.

Client Name		
Cardholder Name Exactly as it Appears on the Card		
Cardholder Address		
City	State	Zip
<input type="checkbox"/> Visa <input type="checkbox"/> MasterCard <input type="checkbox"/> Discovery <input type="checkbox"/> American Express <input type="checkbox"/> Other		
Card Credit Card Number _____		
Date of Expiration ____/____		
V-code (3-digit Security code on back of card) _____		
Cardholder Signature _____		

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BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INSURANCE INFORMATION

Today's Date: _____

Client's full name: _____

Sex: _____ Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Family Physician: _____ Phone Number: _____

Person to contact in emergency: _____ Phone: _____

INSURED / RESPONSIBLE PARTY INFORMATION

Please complete this section regardless of insurance coverage

Full Name of Insured: _____ Relationship: _____

Home Address: _____ City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ DOB: _____

Employer Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Employer Address: _____ Phone: _____

Insured's SS#: _____ Driver's License No. _____ State: _____

Insured's Primary Ins. Co.: _____ ID #: _____ Group #: _____

Secondary Ins. Co.: ____ No ____ Yes; Company: _____ Policy #: _____

Job Related Injury-Workmens Comp. Co.: ____ No ____ Yes; Company: _____

OFFICE BILLING AND INSURANCE POLICY

1. I authorize use of this form on all of my insurance submissions.
2. I authorize the release of information to my insurance company(s).
3. I understand that I am responsible for the full amount of my bill for services provided.
4. I authorize direct payment to my service provider.
5. I hereby permit a copy of this to be used in place of an original.

Name: _____ ID #: _____

Insurance Phone # Listed on insurance card: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

It is your responsibility to pay any deductible amount, co-pay, co-insurance amount or any other balance not paid by your insurance the day and time service is provided.

A \$30 fee will be charged for returned checks. Unpaid balances incur the maximum finance charge allowed by law after 30 days. Outstanding balances may be sent to a collection agency.