

# Sheryl R. Jacobs, Ph.D., P.C.

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## REGISTRATION FORM FOR ADULTS

<b>CLIENT INFORMATION</b>									
Name				Referred by:					
Street									
City				State			Zip		
Home Phone (    )				Cell Phone (    )					
Work Phone (    )				Email:					
Date of Birth				Gender    ___ Male    ___ Female					
Relationship to Policyholder		Self		Spouse		Child		Other	
Employment Status		Full Time		Part Time		Unemployed			
School Status		Full Time		Part Time		Does not attend school			
Is treatment related to		Employment		Auto Accident		Other Accident		N/A	
<b>POLICYHOLDER/INSURANCE INFORMATION</b>									
<i>If secondary coverage is available, please copy additional insurance form</i>									
Name						Group #			
Street				Member ID #.					
City				State			Zip		
Phone (H) (    )				(W) (    )			Other (    )		
Date of Birth				Gender (circle)    M    F					
Insurance Company				Phone (    )					
Street				City		State		Zip	
Employer				Authorization #					

*You will be provided with a statement that includes all information necessary to file a claim with your insurance company. You are responsible for the filing of your claims as this office does not participate with insurance plans. Statements will be provided on a monthly basis, unless other arrangements are made. Please feel free to discuss this process with Dr. Jacobs if you have any questions.*

**Client's Name** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth** \_\_\_\_\_

**Physician** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Physician's Address** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Other Family Members	Relationship	Date of Birth

**Marital Status**   ☐ Married   ☐ Separated   ☐ Divorced   ☐ Widowed   ☐ Single

How long married? \_\_\_\_\_

How long divorced? \_\_\_\_\_

**Person to contact in case of emergency:**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone Number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Relationship** \_\_\_\_\_

**School level completed** \_\_\_\_\_ **Occupation** \_\_\_\_\_

**Hospitalizations** \_\_\_\_\_

**Allergies** \_\_\_\_\_

**Chronic Medical Conditions (i.e. asthma, ear infections)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Current Medical Concerns** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Current Medications and Dosage** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Client's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Please list the problems with which you want help:

- 1 \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_

Have you received any other therapy or special treatments (psychological counseling, psychiatric help, speech therapy, medications, diets, etc.)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If so, please describe below:

Approximate Date(s)	Type of Treatment	Name/Address of Provider

**Family History:** *Following is a list of problems that sometimes run in families. We are interested in whether anyone else in the family has had any problems in these areas.*

Family History	Mother	Father	Brother(s)	Sister(s)	Others (e.g. aunt)
Hyperactive as child					
Behavior Problems					
In trouble as a teen					
Trouble learning to read					
Trouble learning to write					
Trouble with math					
Kept back in school					
Drug/alcohol Problems					
Anxiety					
Depression					
Psychiatric Hospitalization					

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

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## Coordination of Care With Primary Care Physician

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby give my permission to have

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Release/receive information to/from:

Primary Care Physician  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone:

RE:

Patient's Name:  
Patient's Date of Birth :  
Address of Patient:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

The specific information to be disclosed includes dates of treatment, diagnosis, treatment plan, treatment progress, psychological evaluation, and any other information listed below.

\_\_\_\_\_

I understand that I have the right to inspect the information to be disclosed, that the refusal to consent to the release means no information will be given and this consent may be revoked at any time prior to the information being sent. This authorization is valid until

Date:

\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Patient:  
Signature of Parent or Guardian:  
Witness:  
Date of Consent:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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### Email Policy

In order to comply with HIPPA rules with regards to privacy and confidential communication, I am instituting an email policy. I will only be initiating or responding to client emails through an encrypted email server, Hushmail.

- ***When you receive an email from me, you will see the following in the text box:***

**[sri@sherylriacobs.com](mailto:sri@sherylriacobs.com)** has sent you a secure email using Hushmail.

- ***You will then need to click on the secure link:***

To read it, please visit the following web page: **<https://www.hushmail.com/express/XY9CSEND>**

- ***Your password will be your cell phone number (without spaces or dashes), unless we have agreed on another password. When you have gone to the link above you will see:***

**Question: you know the number**

- ***Once you type in your "Answer" word, you will be able to read the email.***

**Answer: your cell phone (no spaces or dashes)**

- ***If you want to respond to my email, hit reply and your reply will be encrypted back to me. However, the ability to reply to a message is only good for two weeks from opening the email.***
- ***If you want to initiate an encrypted email to me, you can easily set up a free Hushmail account ([www.hushmail.com](http://www.hushmail.com)) and use that to send me an email. If you have a Hushmail account, you will not need to enter a password to open my encrypted email. Other email service providers are also available to encrypt email.***
- ***Alternatively, you can send a request to me with the subject line "please send me an encrypted email" and I will send you an encrypted email that you can then send an encrypted response back to me.***

I have read these instructions and understand that Dr. Sheryl Jacobs will only reply to emails about clients through this encrypted email account. This includes emails that come from collateral sources such as schools, other clinicians or any other source about me (or my child). I have also been advised that should I choose to use email to communicate with Sheryl R. Jacobs, Ph.D. I should use an encrypted email server in order to protect my PHI, or Protected Health Information.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Witness \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Number \_\_\_\_\_

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## SUMMARY OF THERAPIST PATIENT AGREEMENT for the office of Sheryl R. Jacobs, Ph.D. P.C.

(Initial)

\_\_\_\_\_ I have been made aware that there is a Therapist Patient Agreement and Maryland Notice Form on Dr. Sheryl R. Jacobs' website ([www.sherylrjacobs.com](http://www.sherylrjacobs.com)) and that I have either read this document on her website or can download a copy for my records. If I do not have internet access I have been provided with a copy of Dr. Jacobs' Therapist Patient Agreement and Maryland Notice Form, or reviewed a copy at her office.

\_\_\_\_\_ Payment of fees is required at the time of the visit for all services. Dr. Jacobs can provide me with a statement with the necessary insurance information that I may use in order to be reimbursed. Dr. Jacobs will also be glad to complete any outpatient treatment plans necessary in order for me to receive my out of network benefits. However, I understand that if I have an HMO or Medicare, I will need to sign a Private Patient Contract with Dr. Jacobs, and will not be able to submit for reimbursement through this insurance.

\_\_\_\_\_ Dr. Jacobs requires 48 hours advance notice of cancellation or I will be billed a late cancellation/no show fee of \$75 for the session.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that I am required to obtain authorization for mental health services by contacting my PPO or POS insurance company, and I will keep Dr. Jacobs informed of any changes in my insurance plan.

\_\_\_\_\_ If I am unable to reach Dr. Jacobs directly at (410) 580 9045 in case of emergency, I have been told to call her emergency number (cell) at (410) 409 2135. If I cannot wait for a return call, I have been instructed to call 911 or proceed to the nearest emergency room.

\_\_\_\_\_ Email is not considered a secure or confidential form of communication and therefore should not be used for communication. Encrypted email may be used per the instructions made available to me by the Encrypting Email Form.

\_\_\_\_\_ Email is not checked on a regular basis and therefore should not be used for emergency communications or for same day or late cancellations. Please leave a message on the office phone in those cases and follow the voicemail directions for more immediate assistance.

\_\_\_\_\_ Text messaging is not considered a secure or confidential form of communication, and should not be used for routine or emergency communication.

\_\_\_\_\_ Services provided by Dr. Sheryl Jacobs are confidential with the exceptions listed in the Therapist-Patient Services Agreement and the Maryland Notice Privacy Act. For example, confidentiality may be broken in instances such as suspected child abuse, or if a client is posing a risk to themselves or others.

**YOUR SIGNATURE BELOW INDICATES THAT YOU HAVE READ THIS AGREEMENT AND AGREE TO ITS TERMS AND ALSO SERVES AS AN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT THAT YOU HAVE REVIEWED OR RECEIVED THE HIPAA NOTICE FORMS DESCRIBED ABOVE.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Therapist Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
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