

STIPULATION FOR COUNSELING

In order for counseling to be effective one must be open, honest, and self reflective. When there is a possibility of litigation (legal/court actions, separation/custody/divorce proceedings, disability applications, etc.), this process is severely compromised and becomes ineffective. The tendency is for one to present themselves in a better light, depending on desired outcome, while highlighting the negatives attributed to another party or situation.

Counseling cannot be effective when these dynamics occur. There can be no therapeutic gain when the discourse becomes slanted and self-serving. I (we) agree to waive all rights to subpoena and/or to otherwise use Lanier Counseling Services, its therapists, its files and records, or the counseling process in any and all current and/or future litigation and/or court actions.

Signature

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Printed Name

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Date

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